

DAY OF THE LORD-DRIVEN DILIGENCE • 2 Peter 3:10-15

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Diligent, expectant living should look like ...

- Being holy. (v.11B)
- Being godly. (worshipping well) (v.11B)
- Being diligent. (v.14A)
- Being peaceful. (v.14B)
- Being free from a pattern of un-confessed sins. (v.14B)
- Being above verifiable allegations of wrongdoing. (v.14B)
- Seizing opportunities to evangelize. (v.15A)

Previous to this passage, 2 Peter has called believers to being diligent 3 times: 1:5; 1:10; 1:15.

How diligent are you?

"day of the Lord" (v.10) / "the day of God" (v.12) = _____

"the heavens" (v.10) = _____

"destroyed" / "burned up" (v.10) = _____

"what sort of people" (v.11) = _____

"looking for and hastening" (v.12) = _____

Our expectation of the end should spur on our holy living up until the end!

(1 Cor.1:4-9) (1 John 2:28) (1 John 3:2-3)

"new heavens and a new earth" (Revelation Chapters 21 & 22)

Verse 11's term "godliness":

Greek "eu" (good/well) + "sebeiais" (to worship)

Godly believers worship well facing the prospect of God's ultimate incineration of His universe AND the prospect of God's sentencing Christ-rejecters to degrees of endless, conscious suffering in hell!

Are you worshipping well?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. To whom can you share today's sermon? Will you do so? When?

2. In what ways are you stirred by the sure prospects of the universe being destroyed and the unbelievers being damned forever to hell?
How will you live differently?

3. How will you improve your worship of God? Be specific
