

Study in 1 Peter: 'The Challenge to Christians in Suffering' PART 6

VI. The Challenge to Christians in Suffering 1 Peter 4:1–19

A. The Expectation of Suffering 1 Peter 4:1–3

B. The Exposition on Suffering 1 Peter 4:4–6

C. The Exploitation of Suffering 1 Peter 4:7–11

1. It will make you more Prayerful 1 Peter 4:7, Mark 14:32–40

2. It will make us more Helpful 1 Peter 4:8–10, John 13:34–35

a. Christian Love is Forgiving (v:8b)
Proverbs 10:12, Proverbs 17:9, Matthew 18:21–35

b. Christian Love is Fervent (v:8a)

c. Christian Love is Fitting (v:9)
Exodus 22:21, Genesis 18

d. Christian Love is Fruitful (v:10)
Romans 12:1–3, Ephesians 4:1–16

3. It will make us more Purposeful 1 Peter 4:11

– About the Word of God (v:11a)

– About the Work of God (v:11b)

– About the Worship of God (v:11c)

D. The Exploration of Suffering 1 Peter 4:12–14