

Everyone's excited about salvation; are you?

1 Peter 1:10-12 PART ONE

Introduction:

GROUP #1 The OT prophets SOUGHT OUT salvation

1st It would be an OLD salvation *to the prophets who prophesied*

Genesis 3:15 And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her seed: He shall bruise you on the head, And you shall bruise him on the heel.

Ephesians 1:4 just as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world...

2 Peter 1:20 But know this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation,

2 Peter 1:21 for no prophecy was ever made by an act of human will, but men moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

1 Peter 1:25 the word of the Lord abides

2nd It would be a GRACIOUS salvation *of the grace that would come to you*

Habakkuk 2:4 But the righteous will live by his faith.

Jonah 4:2 And he prayed to the Lord and said, "Please Lord, was not this what I said while I was still in my own country? Therefore, in order to forestall this I fled to Tarshish, for I knew that Thou art a gracious and compassionate God, slow to anger and abundant in lovingkindness, and one who relents concerning calamity.

3rd It would be a RESEARCHED salvation *made careful search and inquiry,
11 seeking to know what person or time the Spirit of Christ within them was indicating*

John 14:26 "But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all that I said to you.

Luke 2:25 behold, there was a man in Jerusalem whose name was Simeon; and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation of Israel; and the Holy Spirit was upon him.26 And it had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ.

John 5:39 You search the Scriptures, because you think that in them you have eternal life; and it is these that bear witness of Me;

4th It would be a BLOODY salvation *as He predicted the sufferings of Christ*

TURN TO ISAIAH 53:4 Surely our griefs He Himself bore, And our sorrows He carried; Yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken, Smitten of God, and afflicted. 5 But He was pierced through for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; The chastening for our well-being fell upon Him, And by His scourging we are healed. 6 All of us like sheep have gone astray, Each of us has turned to his own way; But the Lord has caused the iniquity of us all To fall on Him.

John 18:4 Jesus therefore, knowing all the things that were coming upon Him, went forth, and said to them, "Whom do you seek?"

5th It would be a GLORIOUS salvation *and the glories to follow.*

6th It would be a DELAYED salvation

12 It was revealed to them that they were not serving themselves, but you,

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