

# MESSAGE NOTES

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*Stand Firm: A Chosen People*  
1 Peter 2:4-12  
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- By \_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus we \_\_\_\_\_. Matt 11:28-30; Luke 9:23-26; John 5:39-40

As you come to Him, the living Stone—  
rejected by men but chosen by God and precious to Him—  
you also, like living stones are being built into a spiritual house.... 1 Peter 2:4-5

## A SPIRITUAL HOUSE (1 Peter 2:4-8)

- Built on \_\_\_\_\_ the living \_\_\_\_\_. Psalm 118:22; 1 Corinthians 3:9-17
- Of \_\_\_\_\_ joined in His \_\_\_\_\_. Matt 16:18; Eph 2:19-22
- Of all \_\_\_\_\_ who bring \_\_\_\_\_ to God. Rom 12:1; Heb 13:15-16

## THE PEOPLE OF GOD (1 Peter 2:9-10)

- Brought out of \_\_\_\_\_ to know His \_\_\_\_\_. Eph 5:8-11; Col 1:12-14
- Who belong \_\_\_\_\_ & think “\_\_\_\_\_” & “\_\_\_\_\_.” Exodus 19:5-6; Titus 2:11-14
- Who live to \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ His \_\_\_\_\_. Psalm 145:3-7; Acts 4:8-13

Once you were not a people, but now you are the people of God; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy. 1 Peter 2:10

## STRANGERS IN THE WORLD (1 Peter 2:11-12)

- \_\_\_\_\_, but \_\_\_\_\_ it—looking for a better \_\_\_\_\_. Heb 11:13-16; 24-26
- Who \_\_\_\_\_ sinful desires—“\_\_\_\_\_” coming against us.
- Who go after good \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_. Matt 5:16; 1 Peter 2:15