

Listening Guide: Pastor Frank Johnson
First Peter: Truth and Hope for Sojourners
"The Formation of Identity"
1 Peter 1:1-2

Take a closer look.

I. THE IDENTITY OF SOJOURNERS IS DRAWN FROM THE _____ OF GOD. v. 1

1. Peter was not speaking on his own, but as a representative of Jesus _____.
2. As an apostle, he was _____ out by Jesus Himself.

II. THE IDENTITY OF SOJOURNERS RESULTS FROM KNOWING _____ THEY COME FROM. v. 2

1. God Himself has _____ His people, based on His foreknowledge. "To God's elect"
2. The identity of God's people is not derived from this present _____. "Strangers in the world"
3. Though God's people might be "scattered" all over the earth, we have a _____ identity as His chosen ones.

III. THE IDENTITY OF SOJOURNERS RESULTS FROM KNOWING WHERE THEY ARE _____. v. 2

1. The destiny of God's people is to _____ Jesus. "for obedience to Jesus Christ"
2. The destiny of God's people is to be cleansed and _____. "sprinkling by his blood"

IV. THE IDENTITY OF SOJOURNERS RESULTS FROM KNOWING HOW _____ WILL GET US THERE.

1. God's Spirit makes spiritual _____ possible for us.
2. He intends to make us _____.

Take it home (applications).