SPIRITUAL PRIVILEGES—PART 4 (1 Peter 2:9*c*-10)

- I. Our SEPARATION to Christ (2:9*c*)
 - A. Believers comprise a "NATION"
 - 1. Structured GOVERNMENT
 - 2. Mutual INTERRELATIONSHIP
 - B. It is characterized as "HOLY"
 - 1. Includes the idea of MORAL UPRIGHTNESS
 - 2. Emphasizes our SEPARATION
- II. Our POSSESSION by Christ (2:9d)
 - A. We are acquired by PURCHASE
 - B. We are a PRIVATE possession that is PRECIOUS
- III. Our PROCLAMATION of Christ (2:9*e*)
 - A. We are to "PUBLISH" or "ADVERTISE" the message

- B. The message is of HIS EXCELLENCIES
- C. The messengers include YOU
- IV. Our ILLUMINATION in Christ (2:9*f*)
 - A. It is accomplished by His CALL
 - B. It removes us from DARKNESS
 - 1. Involves the inability to GRASP the TRUTH
 - 2. Involves the inability to SEE and DO what is RIGHT
 - C. It transfers us "into His MARVELOUS LIGHT"

V. Our COMPASSION from Christ (2:10)

- A. He causes an OUTWARD change in STATUS
- B. He causes an INNER change of CONDITION
 - 1. FORGIVENESS for their SINS
 - 2. DELIVERANCE from eternal CONDEMNATION