

PETER'S CLOSING WORDS
(2 Peter 3:17-18)

- I. Exhortation to _____ of _____ (3:17)
 - A. The _____—"Knowing this _____"
 - 1. Informed concerning _____
 - 2. Comprehending _____
 - B. The _____—"be on your _____"
 - C. The _____ (cf. Gal. 2:13)
 - 1. Its _____—being " _____ "
 - 2. Its _____—"the _____ of _____ men"
 - D. The _____—_____ from your own _____
 - 1. Not in danger of _____ their _____
 - 2. But in danger of having their _____
- II. Exhortation to _____ (3:18a)
 - A. An appeal to the _____
 - 1. Growth is not _____ by the _____

2. The _____ of growth is _____ by the will

B. A challenge to "_____ in the _____ ..." (cf. Eph. 4:14-16)

1. Increase our _____ God's unmerited favor

2. Increase our _____ God's unmerited favor

3. Increase our _____ God's unmerited favor

C. A challenge to "_____ in the ... _____ ..." (cf. 1:5-8)

D. A focus on "our _____ and _____ Jesus _____" (cf. 1:11; 2:20; 3:2)

1. The _____ of _____

2. The _____ of _____

III. Concluding _____ (2 Pet. 3:18b)

A. Addressed to "_____"—"our _____ and _____ Jesus _____"

B. Ascribes to Him "the _____" (cf. Isa. 42:8; John 5:23)

1. He is our _____

2. He is our _____

3. He is our _____

C. Affirms He is worthy of _____ "both _____ and to the day of _____"