

2 Peter Series

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Reminders of Fulfilled Prophecy

2 Peter 3:2



2nd PETER

Guard Against False Teachers

2 Peter Outline

Salutation, 2 Peter 1:1–2

1A God's will is for us to grow to spiritual maturity, 2 Peter 1:3–21

2A God warns us about false teachers, 2 Peter 2:1–22

3A God refutes specific false teaching in light of the future return of Christ, 2 Peter 3:1–14

Conclusion: God mandates us to grow spiritually, in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. 1 Pet. 3:18.

**3A God refutes specific false teaching in light of the future return of Christ,
2 Peter 3:1–14**

**1B Peter's second reminder,
2 Peter 3:1–2**

**2B God refutes the false teachers denial of the literal Second Advent,
2 Peter 3:3–14**

**Conclusion: Warning and Challenge
Do not fall into error, but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.
2 Peter 3:15–18**

2 Pet. 3:1, “Beloved, I now write to you this second epistle (in both of which I stir up your pure minds by way of reminder),

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ὑπόμνησις *hupomnēsis*

3x fem sing dat

remembrance,

reminder

2 Tim. 1:5, “when I call to remembrance the genuine faith that is in you, which dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice, and I am persuaded is in you also.”

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The Seven Laws of Teaching

- 1. The Law of the Teacher**
- 2. The Law of the Learner**
- 3. The Law of the Language**
- 4. The Law of the Lesson**
- 5. The Law of the Teaching Process**
- 6. The Law of the Learning Process**
- 7. The Law of Review and Application**

Deut. 8:18, “And you shall remember the LORD your God, for it is He who gives you power to get wealth, that He may establish His covenant which He swore to your fathers, as it is this day.

Deut. 8:19, “Then it shall be, if you by any means forget the LORD your God, and follow other gods, and serve them and worship them, I testify against you this day that you shall surely perish.”

1. Reminders or repetition are designed to help us all learn.

2. Teaching should not be toward the goal of remembering, but toward the goal that we cannot forget it.

3. Through repetition we develop the ability to retain the information, and to later recall it for use.

Lam. 3:20, “My soul still remembers and sinks within me.

Lam. 3:21, “This I recall to my mind, therefore I have hope.

Lam. 3:22, “Through the LORD’S mercies we are not consumed, because His compassions fail not.”

**Lam. 3:23, “They are new every morning;
Great is Your faithfulness.**

**Lam. 3:24, “ ‘The LORD is my portion,’
says my soul, ‘Therefore I hope in Him!’**

**Lam. 3:25, “The LORD is good to those
who wait for Him, to the soul who seeks
Him.**

**Lam. 3:26, “It is good that one should hope
and wait quietly for the salvation of the
LORD.”**

4. Just as repetition of physical actions gets into muscle memory, so repetition of Scripture, or diagrams, or phrases, or the repeated teaching of concepts, develops memories in the soul which are drawn on for application.

5. Repetition is necessary to learn and to master any skill, but especially 0-pthe 10 spiritual skills.

2 Pet. 1:12, “Therefore, I intend to remind you constantly of these things even though you know them and are well established in the truth that you now have.” ~NET

John 14:26, “But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you [the 11] all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you.”

2 Tim. 2:14, “Remind them of these things, charging them before the Lord not to strive about words to no profit, to the ruin of the hearers.”

Titus 3:1, “Remind them to be subject to rulers and authorities, to obey, to be ready for every good work,”

Jude 5, “But I want to remind you, though you once knew this, that the Lord, having saved the people out of the land of Egypt, afterward destroyed those who did not believe.”

2 Pet. 1:12, “Therefore, I will not neglect to remind you constantly about these things even though you know them and are well established in the truth that you now have.”

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***hupmimnesko* 7x**
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peri touton
about these things,
e.g., all that has
been said from vs. 3

2 Pet. 1:13, “Yes, I think it is right, as long as I am in this tent, to stir you up by reminding you,

2 Pet. 1:14, “knowing that shortly I must put off my tent, just as our Lord Jesus Christ showed me.

2 Pet. 1:15, “Moreover I will be careful to ensure that you always have a reminder of these things after my decease.”

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προλέγω *prolegō*

perf pass part neut

plur gen

to say ahead of time;

foretell, predict

Acts 3:18, “But those things which God foretold by the mouth of all His prophets, that the Christ would suffer, He has thus fulfilled.”

**“NONE OF THE
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~B. SANHEDRIN 99A

THE JEWISH PROPHET



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~MOSES MAIMONIDES

**THE WOLF SHALL LIE WITH THE LAMB.
TRANSLATED BYBOTEACH, P. 3.**

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“THE PASSAGES IN THE OLD TESTAMENT APPLIED TO THE MESSIAH OR TO MESSIANIC TIMES IN THE MOST ANCIENT JEWISH WRITINGS ... AMOUNT IN ALL TO 456, THUS DISTRIBUTED: 75 FROM THE PENTATEUCH, 243 FROM THE PROPHETS, AND 138 FROM THE HAGIOGRAPHA, AND SUPPORTED BY MORE THAN 558 SEPARATE QUOTATIONS FROM THE RABBINICAL WRITINGS.”

~Alfred Edersheim, Life and Times of Jesus the Messiah, 2:980 (Appendix IX)



1. Luke 4:16–20 with Isa. 61:1–3

Lk. 4:17, “And He was handed the book of the prophet Isaiah. And when He had opened the book, He found the place where it was written:

Lk. 4:18, “ ‘*The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me, because He has anointed Me to preach the gospel to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed;*

Lk. 4:19, “ ‘*To proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord.*’ ”

Lk. 4:20, “Then He closed the book, and gave it back to the attendant and sat down. And the eyes of all who were in the synagogue were fixed on Him.

Lk. 4:21, “And He began to say to them, ‘Today this Scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.’ ”

Isa. 61:1, “ ‘The Spirit of the Lord God is upon Me, because the Lord has anointed Me to preach good tidings to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to those who are bound;

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Gal. 4:4, “But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law,”

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Matt. 1:18, “... After His mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Spirit.”

Matt. 1:24, “Then Joseph, ... took to him his wife,

Matt. 1:25, “and did not know her till she had brought forth her firstborn Son. And he called His name JESUS.”

4. Son of God

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FULFILLMENT:

Matt. 3:17, “And suddenly a voice came from heaven, saying, ‘This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.’ ”

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Luke 3:23, “Now Jesus Himself ... being ... the son of Joseph, the son of Heli,”

Luke 3:33, “... the son of Perez, the son of Judah,”

6. House of David, Jer. 23:5/Luke 3:23, 31

PROPHECY:

Jer. 23:5, “ ‘Behold, the days are coming,’ says the LORD, ‘That I will raise to David a Branch of righteousness; A King shall reign and prosper, and execute judgment and righteousness in the earth.’ ”