

THE PURPOSE OF HARDSHIP

1. Find blessings in your hardship

1 Peter 1:3-5, Romans 5:3-5

BIG IDEA:

THROUGH HOLINESS WE ENDURE HARDSHIP...

Through hardship we are made holy

1st Peter 1:1-2, Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ, To those who are elect exiles of the Dispersion in Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia, according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, in the sanctification of the Spirit, for obedience to Jesus Christ and for sprinkling with His blood: May grace and peace be multiplied to you.

NEXT STEP:

What inheritance will you leave behind?

Choose a legacy of grace and peace.

2. God's blessings outweigh the world's hardship

1 Peter 1:6-7, 8-9, Matthew 5:10-12

3. Your blessings outlast your hardship

1 Peter 1:10-12, James 4:14b