

A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study
Date: January 3, 2016
2 Peter 1:3-4

1. What does verse 3 tell us that God has given us?
 - a. Not much.
 - b. Enough to make due.
 - c. Everything we need...
 - d. Everything we need for a godly life.

2. What is our excuse when we fall short of God's plan for our lives?
 - a. God can't possibly expect that much of me...
 - b. I'm only human...
 - c. There is no excuse because His divine power has given us everything we need!

3. How, according to verse 3, do we receive "everything we need"? _____

4. What, then, is the answer if we don't feel that we have everything we need for a godly life?

5. What, according to verse 4, has God given us through his own glory and goodness?
 - a. His very great and precious promises.
 - b. The opportunity to participate in His divine nature.
 - c. The power to escape the corruption in the world caused by evil desires.

6. What does it mean to participate in the divine nature? _____

7. How do we escape the corruption of the world?
 - a. We can't!
 - b. We can't escape the world, but we can escape being corrupted by it.
 - c. John 17:16 suggests that while we live in the world, we can be "not of the world" as Jesus was "not of this world"
 - d. By taking hold of His promises. It is through His promises that that we participate in the divine nature!

8. Have you experienced this participation in the divine nature? Yes_____ No_____
What shall we do? _____
