

**A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study**  
**Date: January 31, 2016**  
**2 Peter 3:1-18**

1. Why, according to Peter in verse 1, did Peter write his letters to the church?
  - a. As Reminders.
  - b. To stimulate us to wholesome thinking.
  
2. What is wholesome thinking?
  - a. I don't know.
  - b. See Philippians 1:9-11.
  - c. Pure or morally spotless
  - d. Strictly tested or judged by the light of the sun.
  
3. What does Peter say that he wants us to remember, according to verse 2?
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. What, according to Peter, will people say in the last days?
  - a. Where is this coming he promised?
  - b. Ever since our fathers died, everything goes on as it has since the beginning of creation.
  
5. Why would people say something like this? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. How does Peter address this?
  - a. He says that "With the Lord a day is like a thousand years..."
  - b. He reminds us that "The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise..."
  - c. He tells us why the Lord has not yet come back.
  - d. All of the above.
  
7. Who is the Lord waiting for? \_\_\_\_\_
  
8. How will Jesus come back, according to Peter in verse 10 (see also Matt 24:36-25:13, Mark 13:32-37)? \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. What question does Peter ask at the beginning of verse 11? \_\_\_\_\_  
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10. How does he answer his question?
  - a. You ought to live holy and godly lives.
  - b. You ought to look forward to the day of God and speed its coming.
  - c. You ought to make every effort to be found spotless, blameless, and at peace with Him.
  
11. What kind of life are you living? \_\_\_\_\_
  
12. Do you look forward to the day of God? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Explain. \_\_\_\_\_  
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13. Do you speed its coming? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Explain. \_\_\_\_\_