Questions on 1 Peter chapter 1

1. Who were the “strangers” to whom Peter addressed this epistle? Verse 1.

2. “Sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ” indicates the divine side of salvation. What word indicates the human side? Verse 2.

3. What is the significance of the word “again”? (Had they been spiritually begotten before?) Verse 3.

4. What is the inheritance of Christians and where will it be enjoyed? Verse 4.

5. When will the salvation of verse five be enjoyed? Weren’t we saved when we were baptized? Verse 5.

6. What is the reason for rejoicing if they were indeed “in heaviness through manifold temptations”? Verse 6. (See Matthew 5:11-12)

7. In what way is a trial or a proof of faith more precious than gold? Verse 7.

8. What is the difference between ordinary love and love that has the Savior as its object? Verse 8.

9. What is the object or end of faith? Verse 9.

10. What was the nature of the inquiry of the prophets? Verses 10-11.

11. The things revealed to the prophets did not pertain to them but to whom? Verse 12.

12. What is the meaning of “gird up the loins of your mind”? Verse 13.

13. Was the ignorance mentioned by Peter characteristic of the Jews or the Gentiles? Verse 14.

14. Does “conversation” refer to speech? Verse 15.

15. Where is it written about being holy? Verse 16.

16. What is the kind of fear we are to have while sojourning? Verse 17.

17. Would the phrase “vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers” have application more to the Jews or to the Gentiles? Verse 18.

18. How is Christ like “a lamb without blemish and without spot”? Verse 19.

19. Was Christ foreordained (foreknown, American Standard Version) before the creation or before the foundation or beginning of the age? Verse 20.

20. What is the basis of our faith and hope in God? Verse 21.

21. What was the ground of their godliness and what was the effect of the same? Verse 22.

22. In what way are we “born (begotten, American Standard Version) again” by the Word of God? Verse 23.

23. How is flesh like grass? Verse 24.

24. If the word endures forever, how will that affect the judgment? Verse 25.