## Adult Impact Questions February 5, 2017

If possible, read the book of I Peter 1:2 from several translations. For additional insight and study go to <u>www.studylight.org</u>.

1. What is peace? How else is it used in Scripture that applies to the Christian? See Mark 4:39; John 14:27 (14:1-6); 16:31-33; Acts 10:36; Romans 5:1; 15:13; Galatians 5:22; Philippians 4:6-7, 9; Colossians 1:20; 3:15

Discuss why the term might be an appropriate greeting in this setting?

2. Discuss examples in Scripture of individuals who experienced God's peace. Why were they able to have peace? (For example: Acts 12:1-11; 16:22-28)

Discuss examples of individuals who lacked peace and why they didn't have it? (For example: Matthew 8:23-27; 14:25-33)

3. Why do you think Peter wants these believers to experience peace in abundance? What does faith have to do with peace?

4. What are some ways you can experience the peace of God in abundance today?

Next week: I Peter 1:3-4 – the new birth and our inheritance