

Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

HOW TO REACT IN TIMES OF SUFFERING

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PART 1: CHRISTIANS ARE CALLED TO SUFFER FOR JESUS

WHAT IS SUFFERING?

Suffering comes from two sources, the first is to suffer for Jesus and the second is to suffer from our own mistakes. The apostle Peter addressed how a Christian should respond. **I Peter 2:9-25**

- You are a chosen generation. **verses 9-10**
- Reject the temptations of the flesh. **verse 11**
- Be honest in all conversation, no double standard. **verse 12**
- Submit yourself to every ordinance. **verses 13-14**
- Silence your critics with good works. **verse 15**
- Do not use your freedom in Christ to do evil deeds. **verse 16**
- Honor, respect and love people; respect and worship God. **verse 17**
- Workers are to give respect to both good and bad supervisors. **verse 18**
- It is pleasing to God that we take suffering when we have done no evil. **verses 19-20**
- The believer in Christ is called to suffer. **verses 21-25**

Are you lining up with the Word of God in your life? **Matthew 10:38**

Do you have an ear to hear with?

