



HOPE and HOLINESS

in a hostile world

STUDIES IN 1 PETER

A grayscale, foggy photograph of a city skyline, likely New York City, with various skyscrapers visible in the background. The text is overlaid on this image.

The Urgent Need to Grow through God's Word

1 Peter 2:1-3

A faded, grayscale image of a city skyline, likely New York City, serves as the background for the text. The skyline is visible through a light, hazy filter, with various skyscrapers and buildings discernible against a lighter sky.

In order to grow spiritually ...

- 1. We must get rid of attitudes that destroy relationships and disrupt growth.**
- 2. We must cultivate a genuine hunger for the Word of God.**
- 3. We must remember the goodness of our Savior and see Him in the Word.**

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We need to “lay aside” all ...

A. Malice

B. Deceitfulness (“guile”)

C. Hypocrisy

D. Envy

E. Slander (“evil speakings”)



God's Word is ...

A. Pure (“sincere”)

B. Milk *for your soul*

C. Nourishing