2 Peter 3 • A Final Message to the Beloved

- (v.1-2) The whole of God's Word in *both* Testaments points to <u>Christ</u>. A right relationship with Christ is impossible for those who do not "<u>remember the words</u>".
- 2. (v.3-7) False teaching is essentially the <u>misapplication</u> or <u>omission</u> altogether of God's Word.
- 3. (v.8-10) All of God's <u>promises</u> will be fulfilled, both for this life and the next. It is a mistake to attach them to our own <u>calendar</u> of expectations.
- 4. (v.11-13) The fulfillment of God's End Times <u>promises</u> is supposed to <u>motivate</u> an even greater commitment to putting the rest of <u>His Word</u> into practice.
- 5. (v.14-18a) The primary goal of false teachers is to <u>undermine</u> the very thing which is most important for believers, their <u>commitment</u> to the <u>whole</u> Word of God.
- 6. (v.18b) The fulfillment of God's Word is not just in the <u>Rapture</u>, nor just the <u>Parousia</u>, or even the <u>Millennial Reign</u>, but in the promise of <u>eternity</u> to come.