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-CELL GROUPS-

1 Peter 4:12-19

"Let your kingdom.....come

1. - ...of Joy..... (12, 13)
2. - ...of Glory..... (14-16)
3. - ...of Service..... (17-19)

Objective: Recognize that for Jesus' disciples, life in the present is not so different from life in "heaven".

Icebreaker:

How close have you been to death?

To Start:

1. - Let us briefly share some of our notes and/or our reflections derived from last Sunday's teaching on "Semilla Online", 1 Peter 4:12-19.
2. - Let's review this week's memorization (1 Peter 4:18) together and then two or three volunteers say our memory verses.

To Observe:

1. - What are the two experiences related to JOY in verses 12 and 13?
2. - Underline all the times that the word glory and its derivatives appear in verses 11 to 16; then, let's make a list of what we learn about that interesting word.
3. - What could "commit your soul to the faithful creator and do good" (vs. 19) mean in light of the context of verses 16 to 19? Let's read and discuss.



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For Reflection:

1. - When do you discover that you are more joyful:

a) When you serve others or when they serve you?

b) When you focus on others or in yourself?

c) When you observe the circumstances or when you focus on eternal realities?

2. - In what way could we as a cell this week make it more noticeable or more evident that the Spirit "rests on us"?

3. - Seeing so much evil in this world, what kind of thoughts come to your mind?

a) "No one will escape the judgment of God"

b) "All the evil they do will be reversed sooner or later"

c) "God has forgotten his creation"

d) "God has entrusted me with the good news (gospel) to make it known"

e) "May Christ delay his return a little bit so that more people know him"

f) "other"

Let's have a time of prayer.

Memorization:

1 Peter 4:19 New International Version

¹⁹ So then, those who suffer according to God's will should commit themselves to their faithful Creator and continue to do good.