

Second Peter 1,

1 Simon Peter, a servant and an apostle of Jesus Christ, to them that have obtained **like precious faith with us** through the righteousness of God and our Saviour Jesus Christ:

(Like)

* Not writing to the compromisers!

Dictionary: (Precious)

“Of great value; not to be wasted or treated carelessly.”

(Faith)

* **245x** - New Testament

* **5x** - “Trust”

* **240x** Believe!

5 And **beside** this, giving all diligence, **add to your faith virtue**; and to **virtue knowledge**;

(Virtue)

* **V.3**, “called us to glory and **virtue**.”

6 And to knowledge **temperance**; and to temperance **patience**; and to patience **godliness**;

7 And to godliness **brotherly kindness**; and to brotherly kindness **charity**.

8 **For if these things be in you**, and abound, they make you that ye shall neither be barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.

(“These Things”)

***8x** - Second Peter

9 But he that lacketh **these things** is blind, and cannot see afar off, and hath forgotten that he was purged from his old sins.

10 Wherefore the rather, brethren, give diligence to make your calling and election sure: for if ye do **these things**, **ye shall never fall**:

13 Yea, I think it meet, as long as I am in this tabernacle, to stir you up by putting you in remembrance;

14 **Knowing that shortly I must put off this my tabernacle, even as our Lord Jesus Christ hath shewed me.**

12 Wherefore I will not be negligent to put you always in remembrance of **these things**, though ye know them, and be established in the present truth.

15 Moreover I will endeavour that ye may be able after my decease to have **these things** always in remembrance.