<u>Series</u>: Reset <u>Title</u>: Reset <u>Text</u>: (2 Peter Chapter 1) Theme of the Epistle: (Vs 10) It's Time for a Reset: To set again.

I. <u>RESET To Faith That KNOWS</u>: (Vs 1-4) Faith is nothing more than our Confidence in God! Do You Know What Your Faith is In?

Do You Know What God Expects from you? Do You Know what Your Personal Assignment from God is? God has specific calling for every individual believer.

Every Christian has a Specific Calling: (Eph 4:4) You have the Same Faith Peter did: (1 Pet 1:18-19)

We need to Reset back to the Basis of our Faith. Do You Know What your Faith is on? Do You Now Where Your Righteousness Comes From? (Is 64:6) Not Us! - (Rom 3:22) From Christ

Knowledge~Ip-Ig'-Nosis - Personal Relationship: (Phil 3:10) *That I may know him,* (Dan 11:32b) *people that do know their God shall be strong,* (Jn 17:3) *that they might know thee the only true God,*

What Does the Knowledge of Jesus Bring to us? We Receive Pardon by the Knowledge of Jesus: (Vs 2) We Received Peace by the Knowledge of Jesus: (Vs 2) We Receive Power by the Knowledge of Jesus: (Vs 3) We Receive Promises by the Knowledge of Jesus: (Vs 4) A Faith that is Sure, is a Faith that KNOWS. How Do I Know, that I KNOW? <u>I am Different Because of Him</u>: (2 Cor 5:17) <u>I have His Promises</u>: (John 1:12; 3:16; 6:37) <u>He Lives in my Heart</u>: (Rom 8:16) <u>God Convicts Me of My Sins</u>: Heb 12:5-13 <u>God has Changed my Desires</u>: (Eph 2:1-10)

Our Nature determines our Behaviors: (2 Pet 2:22) A Dog will do things a human wouldn't. It the Dogs Nature A Pig will eat things a human wouldn't. It the Pigs Nature It's the Nature of God's people to live in Victory. It's the Nature of a Christian to want to please God.

Your Nature Determines your Fellowship or Associations:

Christians want to be with one another.

Behavior, Appetites, Associations determined by your nature. Promises of God makes us partakers of the Divine Nature

II. RESET to A Faith That GROWS: (Vs 5-7)

Diligent~ (working daily w/o stopping): (2 Pet 3:18) Virtue: Moral Excellence: (1 Tim 5:13) Knowledge- General, Practical knowledge: (2 Tim 2:15) Temperance ~ (Self Control) (Prov 16:32)(Prov 25:28) Patience~ Endurance Godliness~ taking on the character of Christ, Brotherly kindness: (John 13:35, 1 Peter 1:22, 1 John 3:14) Charity: *Agape*, actually "Selfless love"(1 Corinthians 13)

III. <u>RESET to a Faith that Shows</u>: (Vs 8-11) <u>Not Barren</u>: USEFUL in God's Service. <u>Not Blind</u>: Symphony of Characteristics of (Vs 5-7) <u>Not Forget</u>: (Vs 10-11)