

**“Being Reminded of Authentic and Solid Foundations” 8/25/19**  
**2 Peter 1:12-15**

**Studies in 2 Peter- “Avoiding the Snare of Skepticism and False Teaching”**

**LESSON 1-** Failing to live a life without reminders would be NEGLIGENT

- A. In order to avoid neglect these truths need to be presented ALWAYS  
(1 Peter 3:15; Phil 3:1; 2 Peter 3:1; John 15:20; it takes effort!)
- B. In order to avoid neglect we are reminded of **truths** we already KNOW  
(1 Tim 1:15; 3:1; 4:8-9; 2 Timothy 2:11; Titus 3:8)
- C. In order to avoid neglect we should evaluate our PRESENT  
(What is foundation for your faith? Feelings? Experience? Truth?)

**Discipleship**     *A disciple will continually be growing in the Word!*  
**Moment**

**LESSON 2-** Failing to live a life without reminders would be UNRIGHTEOUS

- A. In order to avoid unrighteousness reminders are meant to STIR US UP

*"And do this, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep; for now our salvation is nearer than when we first believed." (Rom 13:11)*

- B. In order to avoid unrighteousness reminders reveal our FRAILITY  
(2 Cor 5:1-5; **John 21:18-19**; James 4:13-17; Psalm 90:1-17; Matt 6:33)

*I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.*  
2 Timothy 4:7

**Discipleship**     *A disciple will recognize the urgency of our mission!*  
**Moment**

**LESSON 3-** Failing to live a life without reminders would be IRRESPONSIBLE

- A. In order to avoid irresponsibility we must always be DILIGENT  
(2 Timothy 2:15; Hebrew 4:11; 2 Peter 1:10; 3:14)

**Discipleship**     *A disciple will be DILIGENT in practicing the basics!*  
**Moment**                     *(How much effort are you putting in?)*

*Our Vision- Striving to be Disciples who make Disciples*

## FOUNDATIONS OF FAITH

### CRUMBLING BECAUSE...

- 1) **Christians Fail** – Conversation with Thomas and Mario
- 2) **How many miracles happen?** Luke 16:19-31
- 3) Bible full of contradictions????
- 4) A loving God sends 4 billion people to hell-
- 5) Science pierces religion- DOES IT?
- 6) Christianity is just another religion? What's true to ME

Still, Kushner says, his relationship with God hasn't changed as he has become older.

"My sense is God and I came to an accommodation with each other a couple of decades ago, where he's gotten used to the things that I'm not capable of and I've come to terms with things he's not capable of," Kushner says. "And we care very much about each other."