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# Living in Light of the End

Part 8 of Strangers in a Strange Land

**1 Peter 4:7-11** *“The end of all things is near. Therefore be clear minded and self-controlled so that you can pray. Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins. Offer hospitality to one another without grumbling. Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God’s grace in its various forms. If anyone speaks, he should do it as one speaking the very words of God. If anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen”*

*(Romans 13:12, Philippians 4:5, James 5:8, Revelation 22:20)*

**The return of Christ is imminent – If we believe that, how then should we live?**

- 1. Not as \_\_\_\_\_** (1 Peter 4:3, 4, 5)
- 2. Keep Your \_\_\_\_\_ Under Control so You Can \_\_\_\_\_** (vs 7)
- 3. Be \_\_\_\_\_ to Forgive the \_\_\_\_\_ Things Other People Do** (vs 8)
- 4. Stop \_\_\_\_\_ and Start \_\_\_\_\_ what God has Given You** (vs 9)
- 5. Use Your \_\_\_\_\_ gifts to \_\_\_\_\_ Others** (vv 10-11)

*What have you done with the gifts God has given you?*