



HOLY CHURCH

1 Peter 2:9-12

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11 Dear friends, I urge you, as aliens and strangers in the world, to abstain from sinful desires, which war against your soul.

12 Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us.

BIG IDEA: The Church is a holy and chosen people, called out of darkness to proclaim his light to the world. That includes you!

The Good: Who the Church Is (9)

A chosen people

A royal priesthood

A holy nation

A people belonging to God

The Bad: Who the Church Is Not (9-10)

People living in darkness (9c)

People on the outside of God's family (10a)

People without mercy (10b)

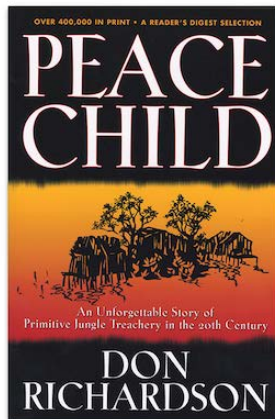
The Urgent: How the Church Should Behave (11-12)

As aliens. (11)

Overflowing with goodness. (12)

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