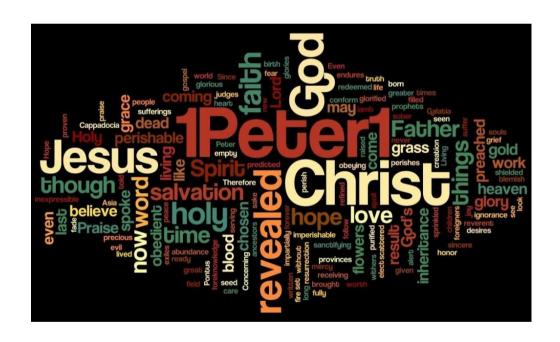
## Welcome to Bow Baptist Church Sunday 1st December 2013

**Good morning!** 

Today's message...

**Suffering & Glory** 



... is based on the letter of 1 Peter in the Bible

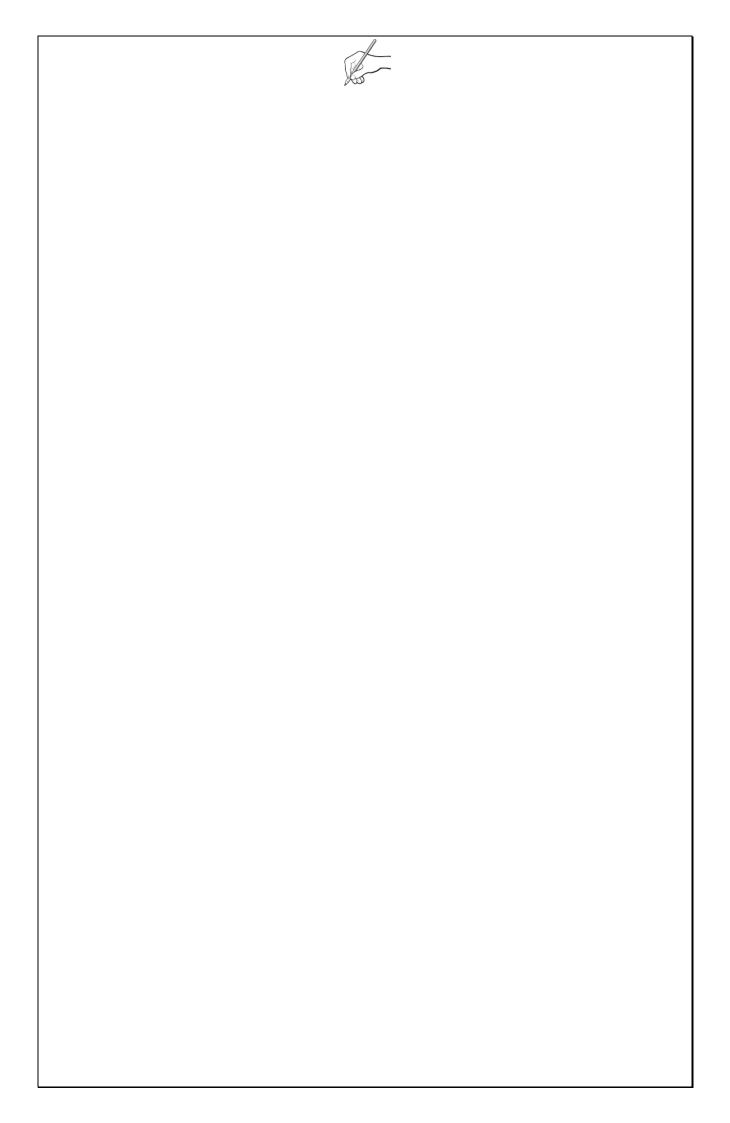
The message will be delivered by the pastor, Oli Rice

## 1Peter

<sup>3</sup> Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. 4 and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, 5 who through faith are shielded by God's power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time. In all this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while you may have had to suffer grief in all kinds of trials. <sup>7</sup> These have come so that the proven genuineness of your faith—of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire—may result in praise, glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. 8 Though you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and are filled with an inexpressible and glorious joy, 9 for you are receiving the end result of your faith, the salvation of your souls. (1:3-9)

12 With the help of Silas, whom I regard as a faithful brother, I have written to you briefly, encouraging you and testifying that this is the true grace of God. Stand fast in it.

<sup>13</sup> She who is in Babylon, chosen together with you, sends you her greetings, and so does my son Mark. <sup>14</sup> Greet one another with a kiss of love. Peace to all of you who are in Christ. (5:12-14)



What's happening at Bow Baptist Church:

Lunch snacks for everyone after service in back hall 12.30 discussion of today's message – your opportunity to question and comment 5 pm set up for Tuesday's toddler group

Tuesday 10 am Cookie Jar toddler group Tuesday 7.30 pm prayer meeting

Wednesday 8 pm Bible study – Revelation chapter 3

Thursday 7.30 pm Prayer time with other churches 9.30-11.30 am Christmas sale at ELT Baptist Church

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> Morning service followed by Christmas decorating and distribution of invitation flyers

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December Christmas service with nativity play Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December 7.30 pm Candle-lit Christmas-in-art carol service

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Christmas carol service

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> Christmas day service followed by Christmas lunch – please sign for this

Leaders: Oli (pastor), Stuart (elder), Dave (treasurer), Glenn, Rollei, Meike, Dorie

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