

## 2 Peter 2

1. What two things does this chapter primarily address?
2. What method do false teachers generally use to “bring in” (introduce) their heresies? (*compare Gal. 2:4*)
  - a. What are “heresies?”
  - b. What specific heresy does Peter cite in verse 1?
  - c. What is the consequence of false teaching for the teacher *himself*?
  - d. What is the consequence of false teaching for many hearers?
  - e. What is the consequence of false teaching with respect to *truth* itself?
3. What examples of apostasy does Peter cite in an effort to warn saints? (3)
  - a. How does Jude’s list compare to Peter’s (Jude 5-7 - what is the same and what is different?)
  - b. What or *where* is “tartarus?”
4. Along with building an ark, what other job did Noah have?

5. Comparing 2 Pet. 2:6 with Jude 7 and Genesis 19:4-5, of what particular type of “ungodliness” were the people of Sodom and Gomorrah?

6. How is Lot described by Peter in verses 7-9?

a. *Thought Question:* Considering Lot’s actions in Genesis 13:8-13 and 19:8, how do we explain Peter’s description?

7. Peter gave a thorough description of the false teachers of his day. Complete the following. **These false teachers...**

a. Despised \_\_\_\_\_ (10)

b. Spoke \_\_\_\_\_ about things that they did not understand, and did so without fear (10, 11, 12)

c. Too pleasure in rioting/reveling in the \_\_\_\_\_ (13)

d. Had eyes full of \_\_\_\_\_ (14)

e. Had hearts trained in \_\_\_\_\_ (14)

f. Followed, not the \_\_\_\_\_, but the way of \_\_\_\_\_

g. Entice \_\_\_\_\_ (14), and entice them by \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (18)

h. Promise people \_\_\_\_\_ (19), but makes them \_\_\_\_\_

8. Does one have to do or be *all of these things* in order to qualify as a false teacher? (see Rom. 16:17, 18)

9. What possibility is taught in verses 20-22?

a. What illustrations does Peter use to illustrate this point?