1 1 Peter Lesson 8

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2 2 1 Peter Lesson 8 Chapter 2:1-5

1 Wherefore laying aside all malice, and all guile, and hypocrisies, and envies, and all evil speakings, 2 As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby: 3 If so be ye have tasted that the Lord *is* gracious. 4 To whom coming, *as unto* a living stone, disallowed indeed of men, but chosen of God, *and* precious, 5 Ye also, as lively stones, are built up a spiritual house, an holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices, acceptable to God by Jesus Christ.1 Peter 2:1-5

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Verse 1:

Wherefore laying aside (He 12:1, Ja 1:21) all malice, (6x FM: 1 Co 5:8, 14:20, Eph 4:31, Col 3:8, Ti 3:3) and all guile, and hypocrisies, and envies, and all evil speakings,

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Verse 2: As newborn babes, (He 5:13) desire the sincere milk of the word, (1 Co 3:2) that ye may grow thereby: (2 Pe 3:18, Eph 2:21,4:15) Verse 3: If so be ye have tasted that the Lord *is* gracious. (Ps 34:8, He 6:5-6 *compared to He 2:9*)

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Verse 4: To whom coming, *as unto* a living stone, (7-8) disallowed indeed of men, (Ps 118:22, Matt 21:42, Ac 4:11) but chosen of God, *and* precious, (Lk 23:35, Ro 15:8 *contrast with Ac 9:15, Ro 15:16*)

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Verse 5:

Ye also, as lively stones, (v.4) are built up a spiritual house, (He 3:6 *contrast with body* 1 Co 12:27, Eph 5:30) an holy priesthood, (2:9 *comment on the teaching of the "Priesthood of Believers"*) to offer up spiritual sacrifices, (*Contrast with living* Ro 12:1) acceptable to God by Jesus Christ.