

I. Introduction

- A. This chapter
- B. The assurance of acceptance and peace (in Him)
- C. How has the Lord prepared for His followers in view of the events to come.
- D. The future? God will be the director of our place...
- E. The 'preparing steps'

II Discussion

- A. He has made God known to them - and to us (6)
- B. He has allowed them to see His relationship with the Father - (6)
- C. He has shown them the integrity of His work (7)
- D. They have been given the words of truth (8)
- E. They have been enabled to believe (8)

III Conclusion:

- A. They were "prepared" for trials, distress and discouragement.
- B. They were fortified with truth
- C. They were supported by the Lord, Himself