**I Peter 1:3-5, KJV, emphasis mine, “**Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively **hope** by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, To an **inheritance** incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, **reserved in heaven for you, Who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed** in the last time.”

**And, here’s a “heads up” for today--Writing between 60-68 A.D., Peter (the obvious author of I Peter) claims to be writing this from Babylon (I Peter 5:13), which is** **probably a symbolic reference to Rome. Although other scholars assume it is the actual ancient city of Babylon. Most likely, Silas was with him and may have assisted in the penning of this epistle.**

The two words that hover around this passage are explicitly enlightening, endearingly encouraging, and enduringly everlasting! "E----ekes!" **Hope and Inheritance are promises sure and true from the heart of the Savior, through the 'scribing' of the Apostle Peter, and given to your listening ears. And further, Peter denotes that this "inheritance" is “reserved in heaven for you, Who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed.” So, today, this convinced, certain, confident “Centered on Christ” Sunday, may you comprehend that the incontrovertible Hope of your Inheritance** is yours by God's colossal control and clout, currently and ceaselessly!

It is always because of the incredible, incorruptible, inexplicable **power of God!**

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**Dear Holy Father in Heaven, thank You for the hope and inheritance that is in Jesus Christ, my LORD! Thank You for the mercy that His resurrection affords. Help me “tap into” that ever-available power of life that You so freely give us, for help, healing, and encouragement. Show me how to serve, sustain, support, and facilitate Your “high calling” for my walk. Thank You for Your precious Word, the living truth that upholds me. Thank You for forgiving me in all of my flaws. Keep me true to my heritage in Christ, through Your great power. I love You! In Jesus’ name, Amen.**

**The HOPE of your inheritance is Jesus!! Do you know him as your Savior? Email me with questions…**