

## **A Prescription for Health. 1 Peter 4:7-11**

### **The Year's End**

#### **Thinking rightly about our times. 4:7a**

The awesome end [1:5, 7, 20; 2:12; 4:13, 5:1]

Near – timetable, not time; a theological judgment, not a calculation

Mark 1:14-15; Matthew 24:36-44; Romans 13:11-14; James 5:7-8

What if you took the nearness of the end seriously?

#### **Embracing God's will for our times**

##### **Prayer**

God hears our prayers [John 14-16, 1 John 5:14-15]

**Love** [John 13:34-35, 15:12-14; 1 John 3:11; Prov. 10:12 1 Cor. 13; 1 John 4:19; Matthew 24:12; Prov. 10:12]

We have been loved first

##### **Hospitality**

We are doing it for Jesus Matt. 25:25, 43

##### **Service**

Each one has received a gift – all called to serve [1 Cor. 12:7, 11, 12-14]

Attitude [1 Cor. 4:2; Matt. 25:14-30]

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Goal – God glorified through Jesus Christ – in everything!

Use God's gifts God's way to serve God's people to God's glory

#### **The Prescription for our times**

Will we take it?