



The purpose of this column is to help you study the Bible on your own. Look up the Bible references and think about them before writing your answers. Do not send this study to us, as this is not a correspondence course.

# The Bible – Its Writers

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**P**eter, our next writer, lived with the Lord Jesus for over three years and continued to serve Him the rest of his life. Much is written about Simon Peter in the Gospels, Acts, Galatians and 1 and 2 Peter. Let's take a look at some Scriptures about him.

**Read John 1:35-42; Luke 4:31,38-39, 5:1-11, 6:12-16**

1. Who brought Simon to Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What name did Jesus give Simon? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What do we learn about Simon in Luke 4? \_\_\_\_\_
4. In Luke 5 whose boat did Jesus get into? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What was Simon? What was he going to be? \_\_\_\_\_
6. When Jesus left the boat, who followed Him? \_\_\_\_\_
7. In Luke 6 what did Jesus call the twelve He chose? \_\_\_\_\_

**Read Matthew 14:22-33**

1. To whom did Peter want to go? \_\_\_\_\_

**Read Matthew 16:13-28, 17:1-8**

1. Jesus asked the disciples, "But who do you say that I am?" What was Simon Peter's response? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Did Peter like what Jesus said would happen to Him in Jerusalem? \_\_\_\_\_

3. What happened to Jesus on the high mountain? \_\_\_\_\_

4. What did the voice out of the cloud say? \_\_\_\_\_

**Read Matthew 26:31-46,56,58,69-75**

1. What did Jesus say Peter would do? \_\_\_\_\_
2. When Jesus was praying, what were the disciples doing? \_\_\_\_\_

**Read John 21:1-21**

1. Who went fishing? \_\_\_\_\_
2. After breakfast, how many times did Jesus ask Peter if he loved Him? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What was Peter commissioned to do? \_\_\_\_\_

**Read Acts 1:1-14, 2:1-5,14-39**

1. Describe some of the things Peter experienced. \_\_\_\_\_

**Read Acts 10:24-48**

1. Who called Peter to his house? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Where was Peter staying? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What happened to those who heard Peter? \_\_\_\_\_

**Read Acts 12:1-17**

1. Who delivered Peter out of prison? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Where did he go after he was delivered? \_\_\_\_\_

**Read 1 Peter 5:10-12; 2 Peter 1:12-15, 3:14-18**

1. Why did Peter write his first letter? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Who shared with Peter that he would die? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What was Peter's final exhortation? \_\_\_\_\_

*In our next study we will learn more about the Bible and its writers.*