

HUMBLE YOURSELVES

(1 Peter 5:5-7)

VI. SEVERAL CLOSING APPLICATIONS TO THESE SUFFERING SAINTS (5:1-14)

A. Regarding CHURCH ELDERS (5:1-4)

B. Regarding the CHURCH FAMILY. (5:5-7)

1. An exhortation for _____ to _____ to your _____ . (5:5a)

* Why are “*younger people*” targeted?

* Where else in 1 Peter is this concept of submission taught?

* What does “*elders*” refer to?

2. Some exhortations to the _____ congregation. (5:5b-7)

a. The spirit that should be prevalent in a local church should be one of _____ to _____ .

* Philippians 2:1-4

b. The spiritual attitude that allows this to occur is to “*be clothed with* _____ .”

* What is “*humility*”?

* Why is this important?

* How does God respond to the proud?

* How does God respond to the humble?

**c. The specific conclusion following verse 5 is... “Therefore, _____
under the _____ of God that He may _____ you in
due time.”**

* What did the “*mighty hand*” of God underscore about the Lord in the Old Testament?

* What purpose does God want to bring to pass if you humble yourself?

* When is the “*due time*”?

* Philippians 2:5-11

**d. The special invitation that God gives to you is to be “_____”
your _____ upon _____, for He cares for you.” (5:7)**

* What is a “*care*”?

* What does God want you to do with your “*care*”?

* Why should you be quick to do this?

* How does this apply to you?