

The People of God



Matthew 16:13-23 Four Important Statements

1. An earnest _____ (16)
2. A concept of God's _____ (18)
3. The _____ of authority to the apostles (19)
4. The _____ of Christ's _____ (21)

- Hearing that Peter says something that _____ (22)
- Jesus says the _____ words to anyone (23)
 - Your mind is not _____ it needs to be
 - You are not _____ where you need to stand
 - You are not _____ Me

The rock becomes a _____
 The one blessed is now _____
 An apostle is called the _____
 A dear _____ becomes a dire _____

SATAN

DEVIL

God has always condemned _____
 _____ among His people

Slander is not intended to help, but rather _____

Slander isn't about correcting, but rather _____

Slander isn't concerned whether it's _____, _____
 or _____

The purpose of slander is to _____ & _____
 one's _____

When you sling mud at God's People

The devil is given a _____ in the church

The lost have an _____ to remain lost

You hurt others for whom Jesus _____ and

You lose _____ and _____
 among the saints of God

You _____ and _____ yourself with
 _____ and face _____

I have heard...I was told...I'm just repeating what someone said to me

1 Timothy 5:13

If you repeat something without checking it out, you are _____ of sin and need to _____

If you repeat something without going to the _____ involved you are guilty of sin and need to _____

Have you _____ about it?
 Why do you feel _____ to say something awful about your brother or sister in Christ?

How long has it been since you _____ the Lord for this congregation and said something _____ about God's people?