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We Are Aliens

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Sermon Discussion Notes Celebration Church

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Key Text: 1 Peter 2:1-25

➤ **Who Are We?**

- We are God's chosen and treasured people (Exodus 19:5-6; 1 Peter 2:9).
 - Our days on earth are as a shadow (1 Chronicles 29:15).
- We are in a war and a race (1 Peter 2:11; Hebrews 12:1-3).
- We are known by our unity (John 17:20-23; 1 Corinthians 1:10; 1 John 4:20).

➤ **What Is Our Job?**

- Be subject to every human institution (Romans 13:1; 1 Peter 2:13-17).
- Show honor to everyone (Romans 12:10).
- Do good to silence the ignorance of foolish people (Romans 12:17-18; Hebrews 12:14).
- Live as people who are free (John 8:36; Galatians 5:1).
- Be servants of God (Mark 9:35, 10:45).
 - Jesus washed His disciples' feet, even His betrayer, Judas (John 13:1-16).

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➤ **How Should We Act?**

- Do good and be willing to suffer for it (Philippians 4:9; 1 Peter 2:19-23).
- Do not complain, but rejoice in the Lord (Philippians 2:14-16, 4:4).
- **John Piper:** "The world does not need cool Christians who are culturally saturated. It needs exiles with the scent of heaven and the aroma of Christ."