《天路导向(粤)》 双语讲义

打开心眼七要诀 - 10 SEVEN STEPS TO AVOID BLINDNESS - 10

- 1. Hello, listening friends. 亲爱的朋友,你好!
- 2. We are delighted you tuned in to this program. 很高兴,你能收听这个节目。
- 3. We are at the very end of a series of messages from 2 Peter, 今天,是彼得後书系列信息的最後一次,
- 5. In 2 Peter 3:10 在彼得後书 3 章 10 节那里,
- 6. he tells us the return of the Lord will be sudden. 他告诉我们,在突然之间,主就要回来。
- 7. Over the past several messages, 在过去的几次节目中,
- 8. we saw Peter's intense appeal to true believers. 我们看到彼得极力向那些真正的信徒呼吁。
- 9. He exhorts them to get out of the places where they are being misled by false doctrine. 他告诫他们,要脱离那些误导人的假教义。
- 10. He exhorts them o expose false teachers who are denying the Scriptural authority. 他也劝告他们要揭露那些否认圣经权威的假师傅。
- 11. Now, in 2 Peter 3:10 to 18, 今天,要看彼得後书 3 章 10 到 18 节,
- 12. just before he dies a martyr's death, 就在他为主殉道之前,
- 13. Peter concludes his last Epistle with a reminder that the Day of the Lord is coming. 彼得在他结束这卷书信时提醒我们,主来的日子近了。
- 14. In verse 10, 在第十节,
- 15. Peter says when the Day of the Lord comes, it will be like a thief in the night. 彼得说,主来的日子,要像夜间的贼来到一样。

- 16. This is a very revealing description. 这是一个很生动的比喻。
- 17. A thief does not call you first to say that I am coming.盗贼不会预先给你打个电话,说:我要来了。
- 18. No. 不会的。
- 19. A thief comes when people least expect it; when they are totally unsuspecting. 盗贼总是在人们毫无防备的时候来到。
- 20. From a spiritual perspective, 从属灵的眼光来看,
- 21. when people are so busy with their work, 当人们忙著工作,
- 22. when they are busy with their daily life and planning for their earthly future, 当他们为生活忙碌,为世上的前途筹算,
- 23. when people are totally consumed with their wants and with their needs and with their desires,

 当人们被自己的欲望、需求和奢想所占据的
 时候
- 24. when people are completely oblivious to a holy God Whose voice has been mocked, 当人们藐视神的话,对圣洁的神视而不见、 充耳不闻的时候,
- 25. at that point, He will come. 就在这个时刻,祂就来了。
- 26. There are going to be very few people who are truly waiting for Him. 只有很少一部分人真正地盼望祂的降临。
- 27. Remember this --请记住这一点--
- 28. Peter heard, with his own ears, the Lord Jesus Christ to be saying, in Matthew 24:44, 在马太福音 24章 44节,彼得亲耳听到主耶稣基督说:

- 29. that the Son of Man is coming at an hour when you do not expect Him. 就在你们想不到的时候,人子就来了。
- 30. Peter heard the Lord with his own ears when He said, 彼得亲耳听到主说:
- 31. "If the man of the house had known what hour the thief would come, he would have watched and would not have allowed his house to be broken into…" 家主若知道几更天有贼来,就必警醒,不容人挖透房屋,…"
- 32. and Peter explains that, on the Day of the Lord, heavens will pass away. 彼得解释说,主来的日子,天要废去。
- 33. Here, he is referring to the atmospheric heaven and, possibly, the stellar heaven. 在这里,他指的是大气层,或者还包括星际空间。
- 34. and, when the atmospheric heaven explodes, 当有形质的天空发生大爆炸时,
- 35. there is going to be such a noise as the world has never heard 必发出前所未有的大响声,
- 36. and the earth will burn up. 地和地上的万物都要被烧尽。
- 37. What an incredible and incomprehensible event! 这是多麽令人感到惊奇、无可想像的事啊!
- 38. The word used in this verse means "consume utterly." It means nothing will remain. 在这一节中所使用的字:"烧尽",就是说一丝一毫都不会剩下。
- 39. What an awesome event! 多麽可怕的事情啊!
- 40. Everything your eye sees has a stamp on it that says, "To be burnt."
 你今天眼所看见的一切东西,都贴上了标签说:"将被烧毁。"
- 41. All of the cities of the world have a stamp on them, "to be burnt."
 世上所有的城市都注定要被烧毁,
- 42. The magnificent mountains have a stamp on them, "to be burnt." 崇山峻岭都标明了会被烧掉。

- 43. Some of you may be listening to me today who do not like to hear about the Day of Judgment, 也许有一些听众朋友不愿意听到有关末日审判的事情,
- 44. but Jesus tells us about a man who did not like to hear about the Day of Judgment 不过,主耶稣曾经讲过一个故事,就是关于一个不喜欢听末日审判的人,
- 45. and he was making big plans for his life; 这个人爲他的人生作了远大的计画;
- 46. but Jesus said to him, 但是,耶稣对他说:
- 47. "Oh, fool. Tonight, your life is required of you and to whom will you leave all of this?" "无知的人哪,今夜必要你的灵魂,你所预备的,要归谁呢?"
- 48. The world has come to know that it is not only possible for the earth to burn, but it is a real possibility.

 世人应当晓得,世界要被火烧尽,这不是一种可能,而是必然的结局。
- 49. Peter says it is not only probable, but it is absolutely certain 彼得说,这不是个假设,而是必然要应验的事实。
- 50. and it is part of God's master plan 这是神宏伟计划中的一部分。
- 51. and, therefore, we must plan for it. We must prepare for it. 因此,我们必须爲此做出充分的准备。
- 52. In verses 11 and 12 of 2 Peter 3, 在彼得後书 3 章 11 节和 12 节,
- 53. Peter gives us two ways to live to which we must pay heed. 彼得要我们留意两种生活方式。
- 54. Since all things are made for destruction, what sort of people ought we to be? 因为一切受造之物都注定要被毁灭,所以,我们应当怎样行事为人呢?
- 55. First, we are to live lives of holy conduct. 首先,我们应当过圣洁的生活。
- 56. Peter spoke about holiness a great deal, both in 1 Peter and 2 Peter.彼得在彼得前、後书中多次提到关于圣洁的事情。
- 57. To be "holy" means to be set aside "圣洁",意思就是要分别出来,

- 58. and, when you are set aside, it means that you are meant for God's use only.
 分别出来的意思就是: 你只为神所用。
- 59. When your tongue is set aside, it means that you will bless and not curse. 把你的口舌分别出来,就是:只要祝福,不可咒诅。
- 60. When your mind has been set aside, you will think good thoughts, not evil ones. 把你的思想分别出来,就是:只思念善的事,不思念恶的事。
- 61. When your time is set aside, you will spend it in serving, encouraging and uplifting—not gossiping and tearing down.
 把时间分别出来,就是用你的时间来服事、鼓励和提携弟兄姊妹,而不是说长道短,攻击破坏。
- 62. Peter says you must live a godly and holy life. 所以,彼得说,你应当过一个圣洁而敬虔的生活。
- 63. Secondly, you must live a life of expectancy of the Lord's return.

 第二点,就是要切切盼望主再次降临的日子来到。
- 64. Jesus tells the parable about ten young women. 耶稣用十个童女作比喻,
- 65. Five were foolish and lived the life of self-pleasing 其中那五个愚拙的童女,只为自己的利益而活,
- 66. and they were not adequately prepared for the groom's return; 他们没有充分准备好迎接新郎的到来;
- 67. but the five wise ones were looking for his coming and were adequately prepared 然而,另外五个聪明的童女却把一切都准备好,等候新郎来临。
- 68. and, when the bridegroom came, 当新郎来到的时候,
- 69. the five wise ones went to the wedding. 那五个聪明的童女都去参加婚礼了,

- 71. Peter tells us that the reason the Lord has not yet come is because of His longsuffering; 彼得告诉我们,主是因爲长久的忍耐我们,所以祂迟迟没有回来。
- 72. but, then, he said we can hasten the Day of the Lord.
 然而,他说,我们可以催促主的日子早日来到。
- 73. How do we hasten the Day of the Lord? 怎样催促呢?
- 74. First, 首先,
- 75. by praying for it. 藉著祈求祷告。
- 76. We can ask the Lord daily to bring His Kingdom to fulfillment. 我们可以每天祈求主,愿祂的国度早日降 临。
- 77. Secondly, 第二,
- 78. by making Him known so people may repent and turn to Him. 藉著广传福音,让更多的人认识祂,并悔改归向祂。
- 79. Peter said 彼得说:
- 80. believers are not called to bask in the sunshine of God's Kingdom. 信徒被召,不是叫我们躺在神国的阳光下享受。
- 81. We are not given the privilege of being brought into salvation so that we can keep it as a secret to ourselves. 神特别把救恩赐给我们,并不是要我们仅仅

据为己有就算了。

- 82. Jesus wants us to bring others to know Him and receive salvation, 耶稣还要我们带领其他的人来认识祂,并接受救恩。
- 83. and Peter is saying this is how we can hasten the Day of the Lord, 彼得说,这样,我们就可以催促主的日子早日来到。
- 84. and the way we do that is to see to it that the Gospel is known to everyone. 当我们让福音传遍地极,主的日子就可以早日来到。

- 85. In verse 13, 在 13 节那里,
- 86. Peter tells us that the destruction of the earth and the heavens should not depress us. 彼得告诉我们,天地的毁灭不应该让信主的人感到沮丧。
- 87. If we know the Lord, 如果我们认识主,
- 88. if you have put all of your sins under His cleansing blood, 如果你已经祈求主的寶血遮盖你所有的罪,
- 89. you should be happy and excited and look forward to the Day of the Lord. 你就应该欢喜快乐地盼望主的日子来到。
- 90. Why? 爲什麽呢?
- 91. Peter gives us the answer in verse 14. 彼得在 14 节那里给了我们答案。
- 92. Peter says 彼得说:
- 93. "...because you are in peace and without blemish or spot."
 因爲你们"使自己没有玷污,无可指摘,安然见主。"
- 94. My listening friend, let me ask you a question. 我亲爱的朋友,让我问你一个问题。
- 95. Are you at peace with yourself? 你面对自我,有平安吗?
- 96. Are you at peace with your brothers and sisters in the family of Christ?
 你面对神家里的弟兄姐妹,有平安吗?
- 97. Then Peter also said, "blameless." 彼得又说,要"无可指摘。"
- 98. How can we be blameless? 我们怎样才能够无可指摘呢?
- 99. It means that, when you sin, you confess it. 意思就是,当你犯了罪,你要悔改。
- 100. You don't rationalize it or hide it. 不要为自己找理由,或故意遮掩。
- 101. You don't cover it up by saying, "Well, I'm not as bad as this person."
 不要遮掩它,说:"我并没有像某些人那样坏。"
- 102. Confess it and be truly repentant. 承认所犯的罪,并真诚地悔改。

- 103. That's what "without blemish" means; 这才是"无可指摘"的意思;
- 104. then, he said, "without spot." 然後,他说:"没有玷污。"
- 105. "Without a spot" means that you have covered your sin only through confession under the blood of the Lamb.
 "没有玷污"就是藉著认罪,让羔羊的血来遮盖你。
- 106. Peter is offering you one chosen path today. 在这里,彼得给你指出了一条道路。
- 107. It's the only way that will bring you peace and make you blameless and without a spot 这是唯一能够带给你平安,并且使你无可指摘、毫无玷污的道路。
- 108. and that can only come from the Lord Jesus. 这种平安只有从主耶稣那里而来。
- 109. In fact, this peace is in contrast with the destruction that will come to those who twist and pervert the truth of the Word of God. 事实上,这种平安刚好与那些离道叛教之人所受的刑罚形成鲜明的对比。
- 110. In verse 16, 在第 16 节,
- 111. Peter tells us of the same great truth which Paul dealt with in all of his Epistles. 彼得告诉我们,在保罗的书信中也同样谈到这一伟大事实。
- 112. What are these truths? 是什么事实呢?
- 113. My listening friend, please listen carefully -- 我亲爱的朋友,请仔细听我说--
- 114. the truth of the new birth, 这是关于重生的事实,
- 115. the truth of Jesus as the only way to cleansing our sin, 也就是,耶稣是洗净我们罪孽的唯一途径这个事实,
- 116. the truth of the deity of Christ, 是关于基督的神性的事实,
- 117. the truth of His life of sinless suffering, 是那无罪的,为我们替罪受苦的事实,
- 118. the truth of His substitutionary death, 是祂代替我们死的事实,
- 119. the truth of His resurrection, 是祂从死里复活的事实,

- 120. the truth of His ascension, 是关于祂升天的事实,
- 121. and, now, Peter deals with the truth of His coming again: 现在,彼得谈到关于祂再来的事实:
- 122. the Day of the Lord and the eternal estate. 那就是关于主来的日子和永恒基业的事。
- 123. Peter tells us that many of these truths are difficult to comprehend with our finite minds. 彼得告诉我们这许多的事实,是用我们有限的头脑难以理解的。
- 124. It is hard to understand truth like the Trinity. 比如说,我们很难明白'三位一体'的含义。
- 125. It is hard to understand truth like the mystery of suffering, 我们很难明白苦难的奥秘,
- 126. but this should not disturb us. 可是,我们不需要为这些感到困扰。
- 127. Why? 爲什麽呢?
- 128. Peter said because the Word of God is infinite and inexhaustible, 彼得说,因爲神的话是无限的,永不枯竭,
- 129. but there is a day that is coming in which you and I will comprehend all truth; 所以,有一天,你和我会明白一切的真理;
- 130. not only that, but, one day, we will even understand why these things are kept from our eyes.

 不仅如此,到了那一天,我们也会明白,爲什麽这些事今日要向我们隐藏。
- 131. In the last two verses, Peter is building to the climax of his letter. 最後的两节经文是彼得後书的最高潮。
- 132. His message is clear. 他清晰地告诉我们:
- 133. False teachers will lead you astray; 假师傅会诱惑你偏离正路;
- 134. their end is destruction, for the Day of Judgment is coming; 他们的结局就是灭亡,因爲主来的日子近了;
- 135. so, as he closes his letter, Peter says, in verse17, 因此,在 17 节,彼得总结说:
- 136. "Remember what you know. "牢记我所教导你们的,

- 137. Don't be fooled by false teachers. 不要被恶人的错谬诱惑。
- 138. Be steadfast. 要站立得稳。
- 139. Watch out. 要警醒。
- 140. Be on guard. 要防备他们。
- 141. Flee from evil." 要逃离罪恶。"
- 142. Finally, in verse 18, he says 最後,他在 18 节说,
- 143. the way you're going to be strong and not fall is to grow in grace and in knowledge. 要刚强坚立,就要在恩典和知识上有长进。
- 144. How do you grow in grace? 怎样才能在恩典上有长进呢?
- 145. To "grow in grace" means that you become more like Jesus every day.
 "在恩典上有长进"的意思就是,你每一天活得更像耶稣。
- 146. Grace flows from Him and you cannot receive it if you are not spending time with Him. 恩典是从祂而来,但是,如果你不与主同行,你就得不到祂的恩典。
- 147. When He hung on the cross, 当祂被挂在十字架上面,
- 148. His grace was manifested 祂的恩典彰显出来,
- 149. when He looked up to Heaven and He said, "Father, forgive them." 就在祂举目望天说:"父啊,赦免他们。"的时候。
- 150. Have you forgiven those who have wronged you? 你有没有饶恕曾经得罪你的人呢?
- 151. If you have someone that you cannot forgive, then you are not growing in grace. 如果还有让你无法饶恕的人,那麽,你就不能在恩典上有长进。
- 152. Then, Peter said that you may grow in the knowledge. 彼得又说,你们要在知识上有长进。

- 153. "Knowledge" here does not mean head-knowledge or information, "知识"在这里的意思,并不是指人类思想中的学识和理论,
- 154. but it means intimate knowledge. 而是与神同行得来的智慧。
- 155. Are you growing every day in knowing God? 你是不是每天都在认识神上有长进呢?
- 156. Are you growing every day in knowing His character? 你是不是每天都更加认识神的性情呢?
- 157. Are you growing every day in knowing how He works?
 你是不是每天都更知道神如何做工呢?
- 158. Are you growing every day in knowing how He deals with you? 你是不是每天都更明白神如何对待你呢?
- 159. Are you able to hear His voice? 你能听到主的声音吗?
- 160. Are you able to distinguish between His voice and the voice of Satan and the flesh? 你能不能分辨出主的声音和撒但的声音,以及你自己肉体的声音呢?
- 161. Test what you know by the Word of God 要用神的话来查验你所听到的,
- 162. and, then, obey Him without counting the sacrifice. 并且不计代价地听从神的话。
- 163. Jesus is coming back 耶稣就要回来了
- 164. and, when He does, will you be ready? 如果祂现在回来的话,你准备好了吗?
- 165. It is my prayer that I'll see each one of you in Heaven. 盼望到那一天,我们都能在天国里相会。
- 166. The Lord wants you to come to Him. 主盼望你能转向祂。
- 167. Will you give Him your life right now? 你愿意现在就将你的生命交托给祂吗?
- 168. You can pray this simple prayer with me. 让我们一起祷告:
- 169. "Lord Jesus, "主耶稣,
- 170. I want to go to Heaven. 我愿意进入你的国度,

- 171. I come to You now, 我现在来到你的面前,
- 172. confessing my sin, 向你承认我的罪,
- 173. repenting of my sin. 并愿意悔改,远离罪。
- 174. I receive You as my Savior. 我愿意接受你做我的救主。
- 175. I will follow You as my Lord. 并愿意跟随你,让你做我生命之主。
- 176. Thank you for the assurance of Heaven. 感谢你赐给我进天国的确据。
- 177. Amen." 呵们。