## **Tough Times: Looking Ahead While Looking Around**

1 Peter 1:3-12

**Key Thought** – My 'living hope' involves looking ahead while looking around.

## Looking ahead creates. . .

- 1. Internally Joy in the blessing of God
  - Externally Praise to God for His blessings
- 2. Internally Joy in circumstances
  - Externally Patience in suffering
- 3. Internally Joy in fellowship with Christ
  - Externally Perspective in our salvation

## Practicing a living hope lifestyle

- Personally:
- Church-wide: