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*But you are a
chosen people, a
royal priesthood,
a holy nation,
God's special
possession, that
you may declare
the praises of
him who called
you out of
darkness into his
wonderful light.*

1 Peter 2.9





⁴For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight.... ⁷In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace.

Ephesians 1.4,7

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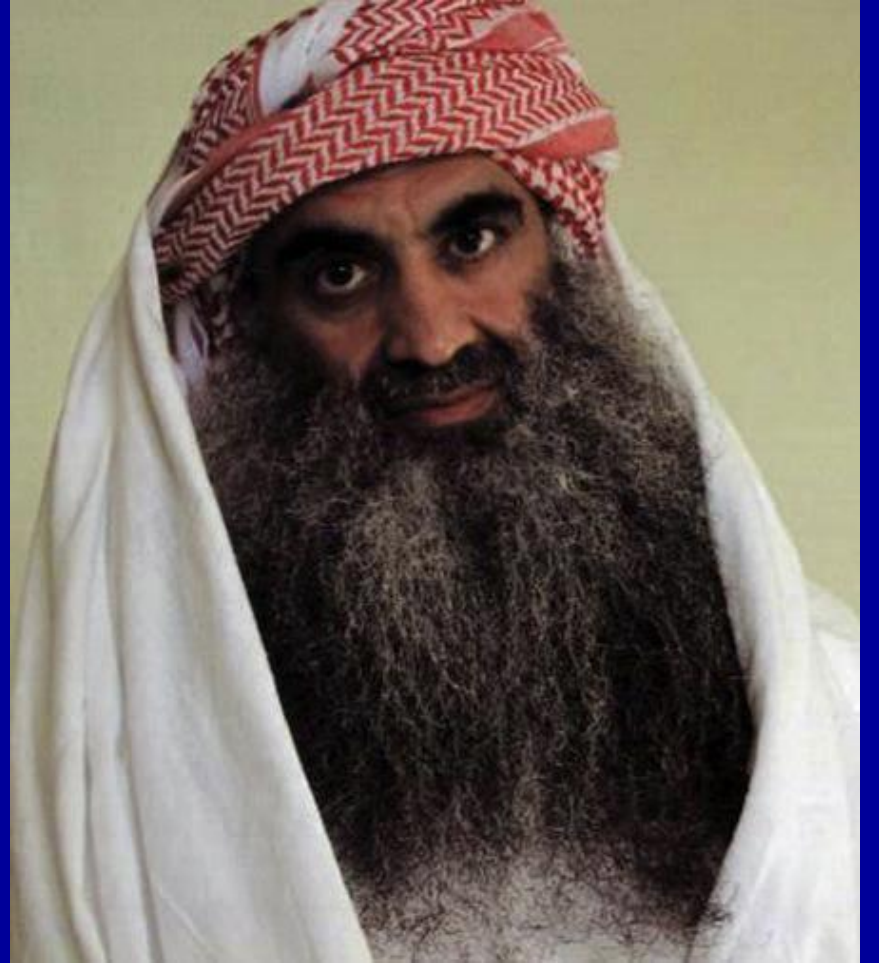
15 But just as he who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do; 16 for it is written: "Be holy, because I am holy."

1 Peter 1.15-16









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He was chosen before the creation of the world, but was revealed in these last times for your sake.

1 Peter 1.20

... a lamb without blemish or defect....

1 Peter 1.18

Living it out

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No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it.

1 Corinthians 10.13

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Since you call on a Father who judges each person's work impartially, live out your time as foreigners here in reverent fear.

1 Peter 1.17

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- ◆ *prepare our minds*
- ◆ *be self-controlled*
- ◆ *get our focus right*
- ◆ *choose not to conform*
- ◆ *model ourselves on Jesus*
- ◆ *love one another as Jesus loves us*

¹⁸ For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your ancestors, ¹⁹ but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect.

1 Peter 1.18-19

23 For you have been born again, not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through the living and enduring word of God. 24 For, "All people are like grass, and all their glory is like the flowers of the field; the grass withers and the flowers fall, 25 but the word of the Lord endures forever."

1 Peter 1.1.23-25

