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“General Letters to the Early Christians

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- Course objective:*** To explore each of the general letters with an emphasis on the practical and theological implications of each letter.
- Required reading:*** **Bible:** Letters to Hebrews, James, I&II Peter, I, II, III John, and Jude.
- Assignment:*** Write a five (5) page, double-spaced paper to be turned in during class. Select one of the general epistles, and address the following:
- 1) Historical background of the letter.
 - 2) Purpose of the letter.
 - 3) Practical implications/applications for our own day.
 - 4) How has reading this material affected you personally?