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Accept a countercultural \_\_\_\_\_.

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— \_\_\_\_\_ . 1Pet 3:10-12. Ps 34:12-16

*We are not abandoned in this culture;  
we are \_\_\_\_\_.*

Read 1Peter 3:8-12 out loud in the group and talk about what stands out to you.

What idea from the message helped you the most?

What was the most challenging part in the message for you?

What does it mean for you to live in a way to “bring blessing” to the world?

How can we be peacemakers without compromising?

Read 1Peter 3:12. How does it affect you to know that you have God’s attention in this way?

How can we live “embedded” in this culture?

How are we being a people for the sake of others?

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