

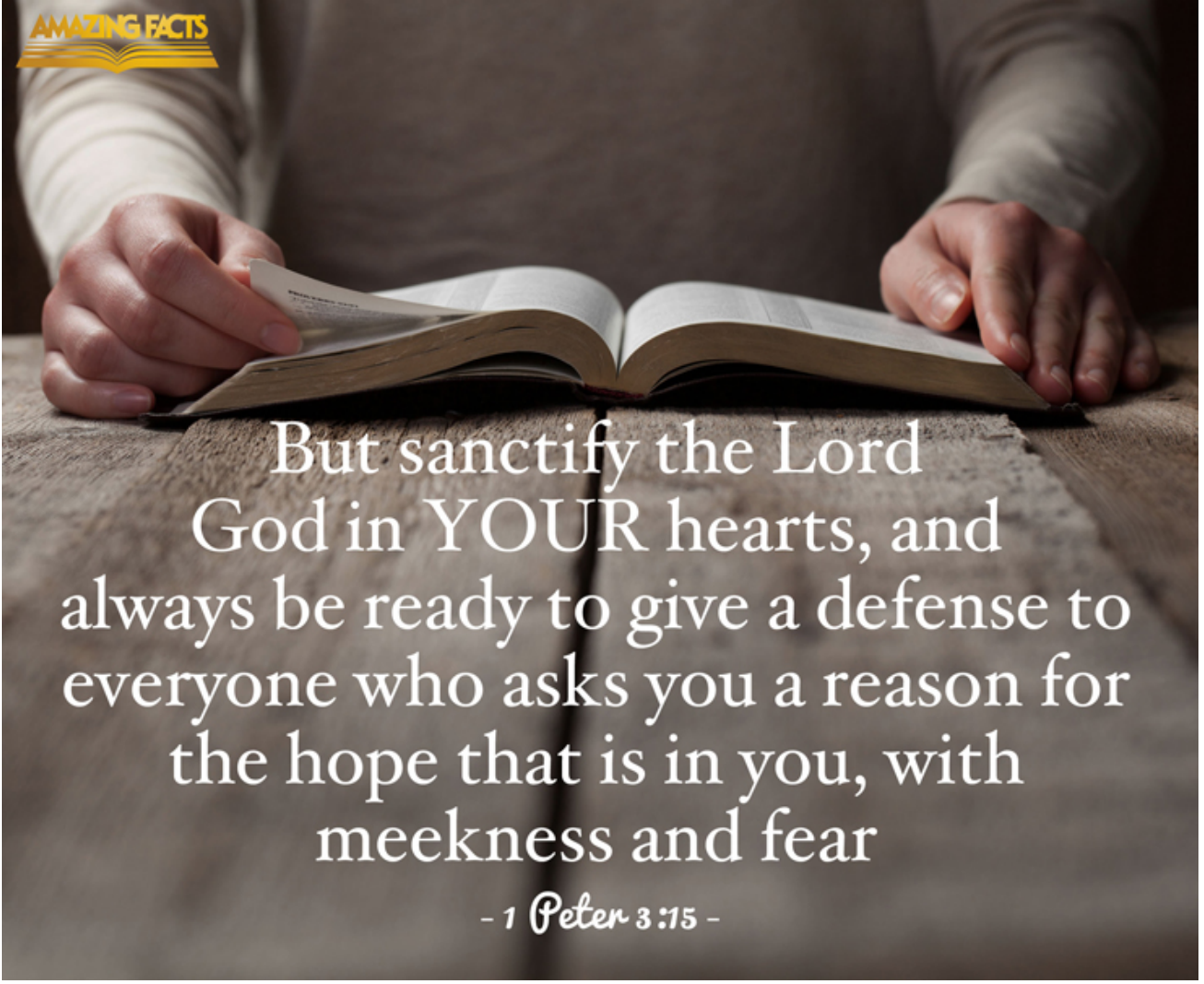
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Why do we do
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Part 2

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AMAZING FACTS

A close-up photograph of a person's hands holding an open book on a rustic wooden surface. The person is wearing a light-colored long-sleeved shirt. The background is dark and out of focus.

But sanctify the Lord
God in YOUR hearts, and
always be ready to give a defense to
everyone who asks you a reason for
the hope that is in you, with
meekness and fear

- 1 Peter 3:15 -

The image features a central red speech bubble with a white outline and a downward-pointing tail. Inside the bubble, the text "It's important what you put faith in!" is written in a white, sans-serif font. The background consists of several concentric circles in shades of light gray, some solid and some dashed, creating a subtle pattern.

It's important what
you put faith in!

AUTHORITY

It's also important
what authority
your faith is
based!

- Matthew 17:5
- Matthew 28:18
- Defining Authority:
 - Greek term: exousia (ex-oo-see'-ah)
 - privilege, i.e. (subjectively) force, capacity, competency, freedom, or (objectively) mastery (concretely, magistrate, superhuman, potentate, token of control), delegated influence:--authority, jurisdiction, liberty, power, right, strength.

Establishing the
Authority of the
Bible

God, the Father



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- **John 5:19**
- **1 Corinthians 15:27 – 28**
- **1 Corinthians 11:3**

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God, the Son

A red speech bubble graphic with a white outline, containing the text "God, the Son".

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■ **Matthew 28:18 – 20**

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**God, the Holy Spirit to
the Apostles**

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God, the Holy
Spirit to the
Apostles

- **John 16:5 – 15**
- **Acts 1:7 – 8**
- **Acts 2:1 – 4**
- **Acts 10:44 – 46**

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- **Acts 8:14 – 24**
- **1 Corinthians 13:8 – 10**

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- **2 Peter 1:20 – 21**
- **2 Timothy 3:16 – 17**

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Have you acted on your
belief in Jesus Christ?