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Mark 3:23

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1 Peter 2:23

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"But when you do good and suffer, if you take it patiently, this is commendable before God"

1 Peter 2:20

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"Servants, be submissive to your masters with all fear, not only to the good and gentle, but also to the harsh"

1 Peter 2:18

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"when He suffered, He did not threaten, but committed Himself to Him who judges righteously" 1 Peter 2:23

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"For to this you were called, because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that you should follow His steps"

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