

Christ **Suffered** for us leaving us an **Example**

1 Peter 2:21-24

- A Christ **suffered** for us as **our example**
 - B that ye should **follow His steps**
 - C who did no sin, neither guile in His mouth
 - D when reviled, **He reviled not again** when He **suffered**, **He threatened not**
 - D But **committed to Him** that **judgeth righteously**
 - C who His own self, bare our sins in His **body**
 - B that we being dead to sins, **should live** unto righteousness
 - A By whose **stripes** ye were **healed**.

As we look at this beautiful envelop construction, we find that Christ suffered for us that we would be healed by His strips. As our Example, Jesus became “a great educating power among men” {CT 33.3}, which enabled us to suffer when we are reviled for doing good (vs.20), which brings glory to God. This is evidence we have become “dead to sins” and thus “live unto righteousness,” that is, live as being “committed to Him” [the Father], “who judgeth righteously, as Jesus was committed to Him.

How can we not praise God, for giving us such detailed instruction, especially when we view it from this perspective. Thank you, God for Jesus our Example. May we do as He has done! For more on the sufferings of Jesus, [click here](#).