

***God's Design For The Church: Elders, Deacons and The Local Body Part 2- January 12, 2020***

***"Who Are The Elders, Where Did They Come From, What Are They To Do?"***

***1 Peter 5:1-4***

***Who Are The Elders?-***

- \_\_\_\_\_ who \_\_\_\_\_ as the spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (pastors) of a local church – 1 Peter 5:1, Acts 20:17, Acts 20:28, 1 Peter 5:2-3

***Where Did They Come From?***

- God Has Always Cared For, And Been A \_\_\_\_\_ To, His People – Psalm 23:1, Ezekiel 34, John 10:11, John 21
  
- Jesus Christ Is The \_\_\_\_\_ Of The Church – 1 Peter 5:4,
  
- Jesus appointed apostles who would then \_\_\_\_\_ over to the \_\_\_\_\_ of the local \_\_\_\_\_ – Acts 14:23, Acts 14:21-22, Titus 1:5

***What Are They To Do?-***

- Elders are called to be the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ 1 Peter 5:2-3, Acts 20:28