

Simon / Peter

John 1: 40-42

Simon Peter

His given name was Simon, a Derivative of the name of Simeon,

Genesis 29: 31-33 2nd son of Jacob & Leah, so named because she felt she was unloved

The meaning for Simeon/Simon (the Greek usage of the name) is **“HE has heard”**

Ellicott's Commentary **Thou art now Hearer**, the Son of **Jehovah's Grace**; (referring to Leah's naming of Simeon) **thou shalt be called and be a Rock-man.**
(Cephas)

Coffman's Commentary tells us "**Cephas**" is a Syriac word, and is equivalent to the Greek word [**@Petros**], which we render "**Peter.**" **Both mean a stone, a portion of a rock.** [**@Petra**] means a rock, [**@Petros**] a piece of rock. **Peter was the latter, not the former.**

**Simon's name was changed from Hearer to Petros/
Peter, - Small Rock, Stone**

Matthew 4: 18-20 tells us Peter & Brother Andrew were fishermen when JESUS called them

Peter was married – his Mother in law was healed

Matthew 14: 25-33 Peter walks on the water

Matthew 16: 13-17 Confesses CHRIST as the Son of GOD Upon this confession - **ROCK**

Matthew 16: 21-23 Rebuked by CHRIST for questioning HIS upcoming death

Sees the Transfiguration, then refuses to have his feet washed

Denies that he will deny CHRIST & then denies
CHRIST 3 times Before the “Cock crows”

Coffman’s commentary – “the Cock crow” was a period of time, it always began with one or two, then swelled into a mighty chorus of hundreds or even thousands of roosters uniting to produce that phenomenon called simply the cock crow.

Cuts off the ear of the servant of the High Priest & then ran away when CHRIST was arrested

John 20: 20 Doubted when JESUS appears to the 10 after HIS D,B&R & showed HIS hands & side

John 21: 1-3 Peter & others are fishing,

John 21:15-23 Confesses to JESUS that he loved HIM, 3 times & CHRIST tells Peter don't worry about the others, YOU FOLLOW ME

Acts 2, Peter preaches the first Gospel Sermon

Healed people & had others fall dead at his feet for lying to the HOLY SPIRIT Ananias & Sapphira Acts 5

Acts 9: 26 & 27 Met the Apostle Paul (although skeptical at first)

Galatians 2: 11-14 Later Chastised by Paul for being a segregationist (separated himself from the Gentiles when Jews appeared)

Wrote 2 books 1st & 2nd Peter & Commended the Apostle Paul's writings

He went from Simon (Hearer) to Peter (a small rock)

A fisherman to a Fisher of Men

Coward to Courageous

Proud to Humble

Unlearned to Enlightened by GOD

Being confident in himself to being confident in
CHRIST

Wreckless & yet afraid to fearless in CHRIST

But no where in GOD's Holy Word is it hinted to that Peter was ever called Pope or was the head of the denotation know as the Catholic Church

That is an OUTRIGHT LIE!!!

ACTS 2: 38

Repent, and be baptized every one of you
in the name of Jesus Christ for the
remission of sins, and ye shall receive the
gift of the Holy Ghost.

Have you done what Peter said?