



HEBREWS RECAP

Recap

- Strong warning – serious consequences if we abandon our commitment to Jesus
- If we are turning away from Him, repent before its too late (our hearts are hardened beyond point of repentance or we die)
- All – be carried forward to maturity; work of God and we cooperate with Him





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Abraham

- Ultimate example of one who through faith and patience inherited what was promised to him
 - Promise – numerous descendants
 - Faith – trust in the Lord to do what He said He would do; Abraham/Sarah had no children
 - Patience – state of inner peace/tranquility while waiting for an expected outcome; 25yrs from promise to birth of Isaac





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Promise to Abraham

- Tested – quoted text from Gen 22 after Abraham ‘sacrificed’ Isaac
- Tasted – Abraham didn’t see numerous descendants, but did see grandchildren





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God confirmed His promise with an oath in order:

- To make the unchangeable nature of His purpose very clear to the heirs of the promise
 - God's purpose – to save those who trust in Jesus
- That those who have fled to take hold of the hope set before them may be greatly encouraged
 - Hope set before us – confident expectation of a better future, fulfillment of God's promises to us





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Anchor

- This hope in an anchor for our souls firm and secure –
 - Hope - confident expectation of a better future
 - Firm and secure – stable and reliable
- Entered into the inner sanctuary behind the curtain –the Holy of Holies; place where God dwells





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Forerunner

- Where Jesus our Forerunner has entered on our behalf
 - Forerunner – military term; advanced scout who prepares way for advancing army
 - Aaron enter Holy of Holies as a representative of the people, Jesus as Forerunner for the people





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Father, we acknowledge that You are trustworthy and that everything You say You will do, You will do.

We also acknowledge that we struggle with fear and doubt.

We become impatient and grow weary in waiting.

Confess places where you are struggling to trust the Lord and/or growing impatient with Him

Father, we are grateful for the access we have to You through Jesus. We are grateful that You invite us to confidently come before Your throne of grace.

Name an area of your life where you need

We approach You now in faith as our Trustworthy Father.

