

THE BOOK OF HEBREWS

THEME - JESUS CHRIST IS THE ONE AND ONLY

THE SUPREMACY AND SUFFICIENCY OF JESUS CHRIST.
A THEOLOGY OF REDEMPTION, ATONEMENT AND MINISTRY OF THE PROMISED MESSIAH

Hebrews 13:7-9

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

IN THE END

In everything, the book of Hebrews presents Jesus Christ as the all-sufficient and eternal priest.
In all things Jesus Christ is better than Moses, than Angels, than the Law, being the centrality of those ministries.

SUBJECT TOPICALLY REFERENCED UNDER:

rest, hope, promises, oaths, immutability, blessings, Gods' faithfulness.

Hebrews 13:7-9

Remember those who rule over you, who have spoken the word of God to you, whose faith follow, considering the outcome of their conduct. **8** Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever. **9** Do not be carried about with various and strange doctrines. For it is good that the heart be established by grace, not with foods which have not profited those who have been occupied with them.

As we come to the ending sections of this book,
The Book of Hebrews, we are coming to the end of a book that, apart from the Book of Romans, is by far the greatest theological treatise known to man.

One more thing before we dive in

Notice Here in verse 7,

Hebrews 13:7

Remember those who rule over you, who have spoken the word of God to you, whose faith follow, considering the outcome of their conduct.

And again, in verse 17

Hebrews 13:17a

Obey those who rule over you, and be submissive, for they watch out for your souls, as those who must give account.

And again, in verse 18

Hebrew 13:18

Pray for us; for we are confident that we have a good conscience, in all things desiring to live honorably.

And finally in verse 24

Hebrews 13:24

Greet all those who rule over you, and all the saints.
Those from Italy greet you.

IN THE END

1.) Faith will have carried us

vs. 7

Hebrews 13:7a

Remember those who rule over you, who have spoken the word of God to you, whose faith follow, considering the outcome of their conduct.

The reality and the charge to all of us,
that the end of {all things ministry} is rapidly approaching -
and for the believer, that is a glorious thing.

1 Peter 4:7

But (The End) of all things is at hand; therefore be serious and watchful in your prayers.

Titus 2:13

Looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing (The End)
of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ,

**FAITH WILL HAVE CARRIED US
IN THE END**

1a.) The past was secured by faith

vs. 7a

Hebrews 13:7a

Remember those who rule over you,

Remember grk: mnemoneuo

to call up to mind, to rehearse or to think again about, to look back to a memorial, to hold in the mind.

Rule grk: hegeomai

to lead by act or action, to be ahead or point.
to walk ahead of, to stand ahead of.

Think of The Saints that Came Before Us.

The Love and Respect of The Leaders of The Past

SADLY - MANY CHRISTIANS NEED TO BE DETOXED

I think of the Pastors and Teachers in Areas
where they have never been thanked, never been recognized, never have seen results.

**FAITH WILL HAVE CARRIED US
IN THE END**

1b.) The present is being secured by faith

vs. 7b

Verse 7b

who have spoken the word of God to you.

Spoken grk: laleo

to talk forth, the proclaiming, the announcing.

2 Timothy 3:16-17

All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, **17** that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.

...and in this, we should not be surprised.

Because, The Bible Says In...

Hebrews 4:12

For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

Because, The Bible Says In...

1 Corinthians 2:12-13

Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God. **13** These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual.

Because, The Bible Says In...

2 Peter 1:19-21

And so we have the prophetic word confirmed, which you do well to heed as a light that shines in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts; **20** knowing this first, that no prophecy of Scripture is of any private interpretation, **21** for prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.

Because, The Bible Says In...

Psalms 138:2c

For You have magnified Your word above all Your name.

Because, The Bible Says In...

Matthew 5:17-18

"Do not think that I came to destroy the Law or the Prophets. I did not come to destroy but to fulfill. **18** For assuredly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, one jot or one tittle will by no means pass from the law till all is fulfilled.

**FAITH WILL HAVE CARRIED US
IN THE END**

1c.) The future will be secured by faith

vs. 7c

Verse 7c

whose faith follow, considering the outcome of their conduct.

Follow grk: mimeomai
To shadow, to mimic, to imitate

We must know lives and lifestyles of the righteous and faithful,
the spiritual giants that have come before us and those among us
So that we can shadow them, mimic them and to imitate them now.

Considering grk: anatheoreo
to examine, to ponder, to take into consideration to study
and to observe

Outcome grk: ekbasis
the exit, the finish, the result, the end. to finish the race.

2 Timothy 4:3-8

For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine, but according to their own desires, because they have itching ears, they will heap up for themselves teachers; **4** and they will turn their ears away from the truth, and be turned aside to fables. **5** But you be watchful in all things, endure afflictions, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry. **6** For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure is at hand. **7** I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. **8** Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing.

Conduct grk: anastrophe
behavior, conduct: —behavior, manner of life, their way of life.

What is their Morality. What of their Faithfulness.
What of their Reputation and What of their Example.

2 Timothy 3:10-12

But you have carefully followed my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, love, perseverance, **11** persecutions, afflictions, which happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, at Lystra—what persecutions I endured. And out of *them* all the Lord delivered me. **12** Yes, and all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution.

Acts 2:42

And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers.

Acts 20:18

And when they had come to him, he said to them: "You know, from the first day that I came to Asia, in what manner I always lived among you,

1 Corinthians 11:1

Imitate me, just as I also imitate Christ.

End of Study

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