

## Precept Upon Precept-Hebrews

### **What Happens When We Neglect What God Has Said? Why?, Lesson 6**

- Final reference that establishes Christ as better than the angels; Hebrews 1:13: “But to which of the angels has He ever said, “Sit at My right hand, Until I make Your enemies a footstool for Your feet”
  - Mark 14:62: ““Are You the Christ, the Son of the Blessed One?” And Jesus said, “I am; and you shall see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of Power, and coming with the clouds of heaven.”
  - Daniel 7:13-14: “One like a Son of Man was coming, and He came up to the Ancient of Days and was presented before Him and to Him was given dominion. Glory and a kingdom, that all the peoples, nations and men of every language might serve Him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion which will not pass away; and His kingdom is one which will not be destroyed.”
  - Hebrews 2:5: “For He did not subject to angels the world to come, concerning which we are speaking.”
  - Acts 2:33-35, God has poured forth his Holy Spirit through the new covenant
  - Ephesians 1:19-23, That you might know, “what is the surpassing greatness of His power toward us who believe. These are in accordance with the working of the strength of His might which He brought about in Christ, when He raised Him from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. And He put all things in subjection under His feet, and gave Him as head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.”
  - Ephesians 6:10-11: “Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might. Put on the full armor of God, so that you will be able to stand firm against the schemes of the devil.”
  - Ephesians 2:1-6, Satan is fighting us spiritually but God has made us alive in Him
- What has God spoken in His Son?
  - Hebrews 1,1-2: “God, after He spoke long ago to the fathers in the prophets in many portions and in many ways, in these last days has spoken to us in His Son, whom He appointed heir of all things, through whom also He made the world.
  - Hebrews 2:1-4, We need to pay close attention to what God has said
  - Hebrews 2:3: “how will we escape if we neglect so great a salvation?”
  - I Corinthians 15:1: “Now I make known to you, brethren, the gospel which I preached to you, which also you received, in which also you stand, by which also you are saved, if you hold fast the word which I preached to you, unless you believed in vain.” Paul goes on to summarize the Gospel.
  - Acts 4:12: “And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved.”
  - John 1:12-16: “But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, even to those who believe in His name.” Paul tells of

the begotten Son of God then claims, “For the Law was given through Moses; grace and truth were realized through Jesus Christ.”

- How do we know what we have heard is from God?
  - Hebrews 2:3-4: “how will we escape if we neglect so great a salvation? After it was at the first spoken through the Lord, it was confirmed to us by those who heard.”
  - Miracles authenticated the message; Hebrews 2:3-4: “God also testifying with them, both by signs and wonders and by various miracles and by gifts of the Holy Spirit according to His own will.”
  - Miracles attended the Law and Moses; Miracles attended Elijah; Miracles attended Christ and his disciples
    - Luke 16:16: “he Law and the Prophets were proclaimed until John; since that time the gospel of the kingdom of God has been preached, and everyone is forcing his way into it.”
    - Matthew 17:3, The Law, the Prophets, and the Messiah
  - II Corinthians 12:12: “The signs of a true apostle were performed among you with all perseverance, by signs and wonders and miracles.”
  - II Peter 1:20-21, “but men moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.”
  - II Peter 3:2, Remember the word spoken by the apostles
- What happens when we neglect what God has said?
  - II Timothy 2:16-17: “All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness; so that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work.”
  - When we neglect so great a salvation, we have a just judgment
  - Hebrews 2:2: “For if the word spoken through angels proved unalterable, and every transgression and disobedience received a just penalty.”
  - Why should we not neglect this? God means what he says and he stands by what he says
  - II Thessalonians 2:8-10: “Then that lawless one will be revealed whom the Lord will slay with the breath of His mouth and bring to an end by the appearance of His coming; that is, the one whose coming is in accord with the activity of Satan, with all power and signs and false wonders, and with all the deception of wickedness for those who perish, because they did not receive the love of the truth so as to be saved.”
  - If you don’t pay attention, you are open to deception and lies
  - Colossians 2:1-8, “...Therefore as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, having been firmly rooted and now being built up in Him and established in your faith, just as you were instructed, and overflowing with gratitude. See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deception, according to the tradition of men, according to the elementary principles of the world, rather than according to Christ.”