

HANDOUT 1 – HEBREWS OVERVIEW BY CHAPTER

1. God speaks to us. He always has. He still does.
2. We must pay more attention to the message. It is a VERY IMPORTANT message.
3. Never turn away from God.
4. Don't miss this chance to enter God's Rest. Accept God's offer of glory, comfort and rest. Believe that He CAN do it. Believe that He WILL do it.
5. Don't worry that you are unworthy.
6. Don't fall away. You've been stagnant. Be determined to fulfill the "dream" of salvation. Hold onto the "dream" of salvation as "the sure and solid anchor" of your soul.
7. This salvation and hope is better than that we used to have under the old Jewish law. For one thing, Jesus is our High Priest now and He represents the New Covenant.
8. Since there is a new and better covenant, there must have been something seriously wrong with the old covenant...or put another way, since the old covenant was so faulty, God created a new and better one.
9. Compare the Old with the New: First compare the offerings.
10. Then compare the results. The New is clearly better and more effective than the Old. If we reject it, all that is left for us is Hell, for we cannot save ourselves. Not only would we be rejecting Christ's sacrifice, but we would be throwing away our great reward.
11. Cling to your faith like the saints that went before you.
12. Stop whining and looking back to your old life. Start enduring and looking forward.
13. Live the Christian life: Love your brothers, trust God, support your leaders, enter fully into the Kingdom of Heaven now. The result will be that God will plant in us what is pleasing to Him, and will grow and perfect these virtues so that we will naturally do His will.