



How You Can Know You Are Saved, Conclusion

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Hebrews 6:13-20

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What we have learned so far in our study ...

- The Theme of the Book - Jesus is "Better" ...
 - The Warnings in Hebrews (There are a total of 5 in the book of Hebrews) ...
 - The 1st— Don't **drift** away from the Word (2:1-4)
 - The 2nd — Don't **doubt** the Word (3:7-4:13)
 - The 3rd — Don't be **dull** toward the Word (5:11-6:20)
 - The Situation ... Why were they not growing?
 - The Solution ... What is going to cause them to grow?
- I. THE APPEAL — Go Forward in Salvation 6:1-3**
- II. THE APPLICATION — Grasp What Is At Stake In Regards to Salvation 6:4-8**
- The Seriousness ... If you are not growing, what does this possibly say about you?
"For in the case of those ..."
- III. THE ASSURANCE — Give Evidence of Your Salvation vs. 9-20**
- The Security ... Can you know you are saved?
"But, beloved, we are convinced of better things concerning you, and things that accompany salvation, ..."
- The Signs ... How can you know you are saved?
- The People Described — Their **WORRIES**. v. 9
- The Proofs Described — Their **WORKS**. vs. 10-12
- 1) There is a continuing and deepening **LOVE** for God and other believers. v.10b

What we are going to learn today in our study ...

- 2) There is a growing perseverance in the **FAITH**. vs. 11-12
- 3) There is a steadfast **HOPE** in the person of God. vs. 13-20

LESSON - How You Can Know You Are Saved, Conclusion 6:13-20

The Sovereign ... Why can we trust God? vs. 13-20

- God's Person — Two things He cannot do vs. 13-15

He cannot **LIE** to His people. v. 13

He cannot **LOSE** His people. vs. 14-15

The Point ... We can trust God to save us because He can never back out on His promises!

- God's Purpose — To redeem the lost world v. 14

God's **UNFOLDING** plan for the world. (Deuteronomy 7:7-8; John 4:22)

God's **UNCONDITIONAL** promise to Abraham. (Genesis 15:9-18)

The Point ... We can trust God to save us, because God's purpose to save us does not ultimately depend on our faith, but on God's commitment to His own purpose!

- God's Pledge — What He says vs. 13b,16-18

The **PROMISE**. v. 13b

The **OATH**. vs. 16-18

The Point ... We can count on God's very word to Himself to keep us saved!

- God's Priest — The anchor of our soul vs. 19-20

The **ANCHOR**. v. 19

The **ASSURANCE**. v. 20

The Point ... We can count on God to save us, because our anchored soul is, in God's mind, already secure within His eternal sanctuary.

Today's Growth Points — How can we find this hope in God?

Meditate from the Bible on how sure your hope is in the presence of God.

Pray earnestly that God would open your mind and heart to the great and certain hope He desires for you to have in Him.

Consider how much Christ has suffered for your hope.

Help each other do all these things as you fellowship and interact with each other and exhort each other to lay hold of our hope in Christ.