



## How You Can Know You Are Saved

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Hebrews 6:9-12

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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 1<sup>st</sup> — Don't **drift** away from the Word (2:1-4)
  - The 2<sup>nd</sup> — Don't **doubt** the Word (3:7-4:13)
  - The 3<sup>rd</sup> — 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 grow?
- I. THE APPEAL — Go Forward in Salvation 6:1-3**
- II. THE APPLICATION — Grasp What Is At Stake In Regards to Salvation vs. 4-8**
  - The Seriousness ... If you are not growing, what does this possibly say about you?  
*"For in the case of those ..." 6:4-8*

**Note** ... These are unsaved "believers" (Cf. John 2:23-25; 6:60,66; 8:31,44)

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

*"But, beloved, we are convinced of better things concerning you, and things that accompany salvation, though we are speaking in this way. And we desire that each one of you ... realize the full assurance of hope until the end."*  
6:9,11

- Security refers to the **FACTS** of salvation (objective evidence)
- Assurance refers to the **FEELINGS** of salvation (subjective evidence)

*Reasons a person may not experience assurance*

- 1) They may not be **SAVED**.
- 2) They may be **DISOBEYING** God.
- 3) They may be under **ATTACK** by Satan.

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### III. THE ASSURANCE — Give Evidence of Your Salvation vs. 9-12

The People Described — Their **WORRIES**. v. 9

*But, beloved, we are convinced of better things concerning you, and things that accompany salvation, though we are speaking in this way."*

The Proofs Described — Their **WORKS**. vs. 10-12

The place of "works" in our salvation. v. 10a

*"For God is not unjust so as to forget your work ..."*

The proofs of our salvation vs. 10b-12

- 1) There is a continuing and deepening **LOVE** for God and other believers. v.10b

*"... and the love which you have shown toward His name, in having ministered and in still ministering to the saints."*

**Today's Growth Points — How Does This Passage Apply to Us Today?**