



God's Last Words Must Be Our First Concern

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I. Do Not Be INSENSITIVE to God's Love (1:2-5)

A. Love is not earned, it is **RECEIVED**

B. Love demands a **RESPONSE**

II. Do not be INSINCERE in your worship (1:6 - 2:9)

A. Half-hearted worship is whole-hearted **DISRESPECT**

B. Sincere worship is **INTENTIONAL**

III. Do not allow INSTABILITY in your family (2:10-16)

- A. The **PLAN** of the family

- B. The **PURPOSE** for the family

IV. Do not be INACCURATE in your view of God's justice (2:17 - 3:7)

- A. There can only be one set of **RULES**

- B. Course correction can only be done from a **FIXED** point

V. Do not be INSUFFICIENT in your giving (3:8-12)

- A. Audits are **SERIOUS**

- B. Giving is way more than just about the **MONEY**

VI. Do not maintain IMPROPER motives in your service (3:13 - 4:3)

- A. Discouragement in the moment can lead to **FALSE** beliefs

- B. God always writes the last **CHAPTER**