

Hebrews Bible Study III: “Be Faithful” – Hebrews 3:1-19

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Important Information to know:

- Apostle – a person who has been commissioned to oversee the ministries of several other ministers who serve local communities
- High Priest – a person responsible for guiding God’s people back into right relationship with God

Into the Text

- 1) Our text says that both Jesus and Moses have been faithful to God. How has Jesus been faithful to God?

- 2) Why does our lesson say that Jesus is worthy of more glory than Moses?

- 3) When should we encourage/exhort one another and why should we do it then?

When we should...	Why we should....

- 4) What prevented the first generation of Hebrews from entering the Promised Land?

Bringing Things Current

- 1) Give an example of how weakened faith can prevent someone from receiving something that God has promised them.

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- 2) What are some ways that we can encourage someone whose faith is weakening?

- 3) Many people today choose not to involve themselves in the lives of others, even if the other people are fellow believers. Do you believe that people of faith who choose not to encourage those in need of encouragement are being faithful when they do so?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Why or why not?

Something to Think About

Walter Hawkins’ famous gospel song “Be Grateful” says: “God has not promised me, sunshine. That’s not way it’s going to be. But a little rain mixed with God’s sunshine. A little pain makes me appreciate the good times. Be grateful! Be grateful! God desires to feel your longings. Every pain that you feel. He feels them just like you. But he can’t afford to make you feel only good. Then you can’t appreciate the good times. Be grateful! Be grateful!” If we will replace Mr. Hawkins’ charge to “Be Grateful” with the charge to “Be Faithful,” we will have the main thrust of today’s lesson. Use the space below to list some situations where a person might need someone to remind them to be faithful.

If you know someone who is facing one of the situations that you listed, what can you do and say to help encourage them to stay faithful to God?

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