

Let's Study Hebrews Together; **Heb 3:1-11**

1. Put the powerful message of **V1-6** in your own words; **Jesus is the builder or creator of all things including us. As a builder of a house is worthy of honor, Jesus is worth more. He not only built us, but dwells in us, he is the builder of the house and the resident as well. Remember Jesus is the apostle and High Priest of our confession.**
 - a. What is the heavenly calling? **We are called to dwell in heaven not by anything we have earned, but by the call of Jesus Christ who paid our way to heaven.**
 - b. How is Jesus the apostle and high priest of our confession? **He is the one who called us, and the one who offered the sacrifice of Himself for the forgiveness of sin.**
 - c. What does all of it mean about Jesus being the builder of the house, and greater than the house itself? **Jesus not only created the world, but also the human race, and He condescends to take up dwelling by the Holy Spirit in the heart of those who call upon His Name in confession of sin.**

2. Do a serious reading of **V7-11** and then attempt to give your understanding of those verses; **when it says the Holy Spirit tells us to hear His voice it is because He did not come to testify of Himself, but to testify of Jesus. The Holy Spirit encourages us not to harden our hearts like the unbelievers of the past and present, but to confess Him as our Lord and Savior.**
 - a. Why is it the Holy Spirit speaking to us, rather than the other two persons of the singular God head? **God is one, but three persons, and each person of the Godhead works in a different way; God the Father sent God the Son, and God the Son sent God the Holy Spirit. God's love sent Jesus, and**

Jesus love sent the Holy Spirit, and the Spirits love guides and directs us, not leaving us even with all our frailties' and sin.

- b. Why does it say in **V7**, if you hear His voice? God speaks to everyone, but some think it is thunder and others hear His voice. It is not only hearing but listening.
- c. How can our hearts be like the children of Israel wondering in the wilderness? The children of Israel believed enough to leave Egypt, but not enough to follow Him when it became difficult.
- d. How can we as believers test and try the LORD? When our heart is full of unbelief, and when we continue to fall to our besetting sins.
- e. How might people today not enter His rest? When we refuse to surrender any part of our life, it will be a place of unrest for us. Pray for the strength and power of the Holy Spirit to have complete victory.