

“Hold to God's Unchanging Hand”

Heb. 13:8-9

Introduction

- I. Change is sometimes a good thing, but other times it can be a very bad thing.
- II. Change can often make us uncomfortable and unsettled.
- III. We can find encouragement and confidence in knowing that God is the same every day.
 - A. The God of the Patriarchal Age is the same God today.
 - B. The God of the Mosaic Age is the same God today.
 - C. The God of the Christian Age will continue to be the same.

Discussion

- I. The God of the Patriarchal Age is the same God today.
 - A. It should humble us to know that the God Who created this universe is the same God that we serve today (Gen. 1-2).
 - B. Is it not amazing to think that the God that spoke to Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden is the same God that we serve today (Gen. 3:8-24)?
 - C. The God that brought the flood is the same God that we serve today (Gen. 6-8).
 - D. The God that made promises to Abraham is the same God that we serve today (Gen. 12:1-3, 14-18).
 - E. Each time that the patriarchs obeyed God [held to His unchanging hand], they were blessed (what about us today).
- II. The God of the Mosaic Age is the same God today.
 - A. The God that brought the plagues on the Egyptians is the same God that we serve today (Exo. 7-12).
 - B. The God that spoke to Moses is the same God that we serve today (Exo. 19:17-25).
 - C. The God that blessed Joshua and the Israelites is the same God that we serve today (Jos. 1:6, 9; 24:15).
 - D. The God that spared Daniel from the lions is the same God that we serve today (Dan. 6:16-21).
 - E. Each time that the ones who lived in the Mosaic Age obeyed God [held to his unchanging hand], they were blessed (what about us today).
- III. The God of the Christian Age will continue to be the same.
 - A. Heb. 13:8-9
 - B. The same Jesus that died on the cross and rose from the grave is the God that we serve today.
 - C. We must make sure that we are not changing for the worse (Gal. 1:6-10; 2 Pet. 1:16-17; Matt. 15:1-9).

Conclusion

- I. In a world filled with uncertainty, it is encouraging and strengthening to know that God is still the same.
- II. When we “Hold to God's Unchanging Hand”, let us make sure that the only changes that we make are the ones that make us more like Him.