

# Three Goals for 2024

*Hebrews 10:23-25*

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# Introduction

- ***Hebrews 10:19-25***

- From this text, we will consider three goals for 2024.



# Draw Near to God

- “Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.” **Heb 10:22**



# Draw Near to God

- How do we draw near to God?
  - With a “*true heart*” (sincerity).
    - “*Blessed are the pure in heart, For they shall see God.*” **Matt 5:8**
    - “*God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.*” **John 4:24**



# Draw Near to God

- How do we draw near to God?
  - With a “*true heart*” (sincerity). ***Matt 5:8; John 4:24***
  - In “*full assurance of faith*” (certainty and conviction). ***Heb 6:9-12***
  - Having “*hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and bodies washed with pure water.*” ***Acts 2:38; 22:16***



# Draw Near to God

- Continue to draw near to God.
  - He will draw near to you. ***James 4:7-10***

***Will you draw  
nearer to God  
this year?***



# Hold Fast to the Hope

- “Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful.” ***Heb 10:23***



# Hold Fast to the Hope

- Hold fast without wavering, without faltering.
  - Because we believe Him who promised us salvation.
  - Because we trust the Lord with the salvation of our souls. ***Prov 3:5***
    - *“Trust in the LORD with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding;”*



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  - By being steadfast and immovable. ***1 Cor 15:54-58***



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- When we do not hold fast . . .
  - we falter. ***Ex. Eph 4:14***
    - *“that we should no longer be children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, in the cunning craftiness of deceitful plotting,”*



# Hold Fast to the Hope

- When we do not hold fast . . .
  - we falter. ***Ex. Eph 4:14***
  - we become weak. ***Ex. Heb 12:12-13***
    - *“Therefore strengthen the hands which hang down, and the feeble knees, and make straight paths for your feet, so that what is lame may not be dislocated, but rather be healed.”*



# Hold Fast to the Hope

- When we do not hold fast . . .
  - we falter. *Ex. Eph 4:14*
  - we become weak. *Ex. Heb 12:12-13*
  - we doubt God. *Ex. James 1:6-8*

*Will you hold fast to  
the confession of your  
hope this year?*



# Stir Up Love and Good Works

- “And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.” ***Heb 10:24-25***



# Stir Up Love and Good Works

- Consider your fellow Christians.
  - Love one another. ***Rom 12:9-10***
  - Edify one another.
    - *“Therefore comfort each other and edify one another, just as you also are doing.”*  
***1 Thess 5:11***
    - *“...Let all things be done for edification.”*  
***1 Cor 14:26***



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  - Edify one another. ***1 Thess 5:11; 1 Cor 14:26***
  - Stir up one another to love and good works. ***Heb 10:24***
  - Make assemblies important in your life. ***Heb 10:25***



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*Will you...*

*Draw near to the heavenly Father?*

*Hold fast to the confession of your hope?*

*Consider the spiritual needs of your brethren,  
stirring up love and good works?*

