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## JESUS IS GREATER THAN...EVERYTHING

THE MESSAGE OF THE BOOK OF HEBREWS

PART 8

### “A FAILURE OF FAITH”

“The Catastrophic Consequences of Unbelief”

(Hebrews 3:7-19)

#### INTRODUCTION:

#### THE CONTEXT: (CHAPTERS 3-4)

1. CONSIDER \_\_\_\_\_ : ULTIMATE \_\_\_\_\_ (3:1-6)

“Therefore, holy brethren, partakers of a heavenly calling, consider Jesus...”

2. CONSIDER \_\_\_\_\_ : ULTIMATE \_\_\_\_\_ (3:7-4-11)

“...they were not able to enter because of unbelief.” (v. 19)

“Therefore let us be diligent to enter that rest, so that no one will fall, through following the same example of disobedience.”

#### THE CONTEXT: HEBREWS 3:7-19)

1A. UNBELIEF: THE \_\_\_\_\_ (V. 7-11)

1B. The \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 7-8a)

“Therefore, just as the Holy Spirit says...”

“TODAY IF YOU HEAR HIS VOICE,

2B. The \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 7b-10a)

1C. They were \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 7b)

“TODAY IF YOU HEAR HIS VOICE...”

2C. They were \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 8-10a)

“DO NOT HARDEN YOUR HEARTS AS WHEN THEY PROVOKED ME, AS IN THE DAY OF TRIAL IN THE WILDERNESS...” (v. 8)

AND SAID, ‘THEY ALWAYS GO ASTRAY IN THEIR HEART...’” (v. 10b)

3B. The \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 8-11)

1C. The greater the \_\_\_\_\_, the greater the \_\_\_\_\_.

"WHERE YOUR FATHERS TRIED Me BY TESTING Me,  
AND SAW MY WORKS FOR FORTY YEARS.

"THEREFORE I WAS ANGRY WITH THIS GENERATION,..." (v. 9, 10a)

2C. Where there is no \_\_\_\_\_, there will be no \_\_\_\_\_.

"...AND THEY DID NOT KNOW MY WAYS;  
AS I SWORE IN MY WRATH,

"THEY SHALL NOT ENTER MY REST." (v. 10b-11)

## 2A. UNBELIEF: THE \_\_\_\_\_ (V. 12-19)

1B. Look \_\_\_\_\_! The \_\_\_\_\_ of an unbelieving heart. (v. 12)

"Take care, brethren, **that there not be in any one of you an evil, unbelieving heart that falls away from the living God.**"

2B. Look \_\_\_\_\_! The \_\_\_\_\_ of an unbelieving heart. (v. 13)

"But **encourage one another day after day**, as long as it is still called 'Today,' **so that none of you will be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin.**"

3B. Look \_\_\_\_\_! The \_\_\_\_\_ of an unbelieving heart. (v. 16-19)

"For who provoked Him when they had heard? Indeed, did not all those who came out of Egypt led by Moses? And with whom was He angry for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies fell in the wilderness? And to whom did He swear that they would not enter His rest, but to those who were disobedient? So we see that **they were not able to enter because of unbelief.**"

4B. Look \_\_\_\_\_! The \_\_\_\_\_ of an unbelieving heart. (v. 14-15)

"For **we have become partakers of Christ**, if we hold fast the beginning of our assurance firm until the end, while it is said,

"TODAY IF YOU HEAR HIS VOICE,

DO NOT HARDEN YOUR HEARTS, AS WHEN THEY PROVOKED ME."

## CONCLUSION: