

Use this guide to help your community group engage further with this week's sermon.

Don't Fall Away! (Hebrews 6:4–8) August 31, 2025

- 1. Consider this question to start your conversation: When was a time someone gave you a stern warning that resulted in your good?
- 2. Read the passage and observe some of the main points:
 - a. What warning does this passage give?
 - b. Who is the audience being warned in verses 4-5?
 - c. What does the phrase "fall away" mean in verse 6? What would this look like?
 - d. What imagery is used in verses 7-8 to illustrate perseverance vs. apostasy? How does this clarify the meaning of the passage?
- 3. Reflect on this passage and sermon:
 - a. Why do you think God gives strong warnings in the Bible?
 - b. How do you wrestle with the tension between assurance and apostasy?
 - c. Have you ever felt unsure about your faith in Christ? What helped you with this?
 - d. What role does community play in helping believers stay anchored in Christ?
 - e. How can you discern whether someone is growing in Christ or drifting?
- 4. Apply this passage and sermon to your life:
 - a. What does it look like to take this warning seriously in your daily life?
 - b. How can we cultivate a culture of honest spiritual examination in our group?
 - c. What's the danger of playing games with sin? How can we stop doing this and pursue living in the light?
 - d. Who in your life can you encourage in their faith in Christ this week? How will you do it?
 - e. What promises of God do you need to rest in this week? How can you anchor your hope more deeply in Jesus?
- 5. Consider singing "<u>Living Hope</u>," and pray for one another: How would you like us to pray for you in light of this discussion?