



BIG IDEA

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1 To The Doubters: God's Spirit Is Your Hope



• Hope for the doubting servant



- Hope for the doubting servant
- Hope for the doubting sufferer



May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope. I myself am satisfied about you, my brothers, that you yourselves are full of goodness, filled with all knowledge and able to instruct one another.

Romans 15:13-14



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1. To The Doubters: God's Spirit Is Your Hope

2. To The Rebellious: God's Conviction Is Your Friend



• Conviction from Samuel's ministry



- Conviction from Samuel's ministry
- Conviction from God's care



- Conviction from Samuel's ministry
- Conviction from God's care
- · Conviction from God's power





• Capture our thoughts



- Capture our thoughts
- · Live in God's story of goodness



- Capture our thoughts
- · Live in God's story of goodness
- Renew our confidence in His power



"Conviction is God bringing you back to grace."

Tim Keller



"Conviction of sin is evidence not of God's rejection, but of His fatherly love."

Jerry Bridges



"God loves you too much to let you live in the comfort of your sin."

Paul Tripp



"Conviction is not God pushing you away but God inviting you near."

Dane Ortlund



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Consequently, he is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

Hebrews 7:25



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APPLY TO LIFE.

- 1. Where has doubt or despair overtaken me?
- 2. When will I open myself up to conviction?
- 3. What keeps me from experiencing the glorious comfort of forgiveness in Christ?