



## Bible study for the week starting November 24, 2019

### Good & Faithful: VOWS

Look over message notes from 11-24 and discuss with one another any topics that were addressed or points made that were made that especially caused you to think or question.

1. When you hear the word "VOWS" what do you think of?
2. What are vows that you take seriously and what are vows that you pay little attention to?
3. Have you ever really considered how significant it is to keep vows that you make? Which ones? How deeply does it hit you when you consider that many people judge you by your faithfulness to the vows you make to them?
4. For this week's study, let's be in God's word a lot. Look at each of the passages that were listed with the message notes as listed below and assess which type of vow it is, the vertical and horizontal nature of the vow, and to whom is it being made.
  - a. Malachi 2:10-16
  - b. Hebrews 13:1-5
  - c. Matthew 19:1-9
  - d. Matthew 19:10-12
  - e. 2 Peter 2:4-16
  - f. 1 Corinthians 7:1-16
  - g. Ephesians 5:1-5
  - h. Ephesians 5:17-21
  - i. Matthew 12:46-50
  - j. Luke 11:27-28
  - k. Matthew 5:33-37
  - l. Matthew 26:35

### PRAY FOR AND WITH ONE ANOTHER!

With this special challenge: Jesus commands/warns, be careful where you throw your vows around. If you're willing, commit one area of your life where you think you are not being faithful to your word, share it with one another, recommit to that area, and pray for one another over that area for victory.

**Good & Faithful – VOWS**  
November 24, 2019 – Pastor D. R. Hilken

---

**VOW: a solemn promise to do a specific thing**

Malachi 2:10-16/Hebrews 13:1-5/ Matthew 19:1-9, 10-12/2 Peter 2:4-16/1 Corinthians 7:1-16  
Ephesians 5:1-5, 17-21/Matthew 12:46-50/Luke 11:27-28/Matthew 5:33-37/Matthew 26:35

Contract VS COVENANT

Consumer or COMMMITMENT

Horizontal AND Vertical

What are some well known areas where we make vows:

- PROFESSIONS
- Organizations
- Relationships
  - SINGLENES
  - Marriage
  - To the world around you
  - TO God  
From GOD

AUDIO OF THE MESSAGES AND RESOURCES FOR FURTHER STUDY  
ARE AVAILABLE AT [SJLCHURCH.ORG/SERMONS](http://SJLCHURCH.ORG/SERMONS)

---