



HEBRON

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SERMON-BASED CURRICULUM

LOVING ACCOUNTABILITY

As we partnered with God this past week to _____, what did He do? How did He work in and through us?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR HAGGAI 2:10-23

1. In what way, if any, did God use His Spirit and Word in your life during the sermon? In what way were you challenged or convicted? What questions were raised in your mind?
2. Why do you think God so often has to call us to “consider” (2:15, 2:18 – twice) something such as our ways (1:5; 1:7)? Why are we at times so opposed to considering or “setting our heart on” or “fixing our attention” on whatever it is God has asked us to consider?
3. What does “considering” look like in real life? What roles do the Spirit and the Word play in this process?
4. Why can we at times seem to so easily compartmentalize our pursuit of sin in one area of our lives and separate it from our serving the Lord in other areas of our lives? Who do we think we are fooling?
5. Why does God care so much about holiness? Why should we (Heb. 12:14)?
6. In aiming for holiness:
 - a. Why are both our actions and our attitudes important?
 - b. Why is it important to spend time in God’s Word and in prayer each day?
 - c. Why do we need to continuously confess sin of which we are aware and repent without trying to excuse or rationalize our sin?
 - d. Why do we need protection and accountability so that we are not easily making provision for sin in our lives? What does this protection and accountability look like in your life?
 - e. Why do we need to make sure there is complete honesty rather than hypocrisy in our closest relationships?
7. When was a time the Lord disciplined you for your disobedience and you see it now as His grace toward you? Why do we tend not to receive God’s discipline as a grace toward us?
8. As we consider waiting in hope of all the Lord has yet to do:
 - a. What, if anything, contributes to a lack of certain hope in your life with regard to God keeping all of the promises He’s made to us?
 - b. Why should we be confident that promises made many years ago will actually be fulfilled one day?
 - c. What, if anything, is difficult about waiting on the Lord?
9. Read Heb. 11:13. How can we die fully trusting the Lord even if we have not seen the fulfillment of all of His promises?
10. What, if any actions, do you need to take in light of our text today?

APPLICATION

This week, by God’s grace and in His power, we will _____.