The Book of Hebrews Be Diligent to Enter God's Rest Hebrews 4:1-13 (page 839)

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The promise of God's <u>rest</u> calls me to a <u>response</u> of <u>faithfulness</u> (Heb 4:1-5; Gen 2:2)

- I am called to <u>a c t</u> in <u>f a i t h</u> on God's truth so that I don't miss His rest due to <u>u n b e I i e f</u> (vs 1-2)
- Rest = entering into the <u>inheritance</u> God <u>promises</u>
 His people

The <u>t i m e</u> to <u>r e s p o n d</u> to God's offer of rest is <u>t o d a y</u>! (Heb 4:6-10)

- God's <u>r e s t</u> is always <u>a v a i l a b l e</u> to every <u>n e w</u> generation of believers (vs 6-7)
- Jesus is <u>g r e a t e r</u> than Joshua because He offers a <u>s u p e r i o r r e s t</u> to God's people (vs 8-10)

The <u>resources</u> that keep me <u>responsive</u> to God's rest (Heb 4:11-13)

- The Word of God:
 - <u>diagnoses</u> my <u>thoughts</u> and motives (v 12)
 - uncovers me and holds me accountable (v 13)