"Greater" **Great than** Part 2 **Series on Hebrews**



Hebrews 3:1-2

- "Therefore, holy brothers and sisters, who share in the heavenly calling, fix your thoughts on Jesus, the apostle and high priest whom we confess.
 - ² He was faithful to the one who appointed him, just as Moses was faithful in all God's house.

Hebrews 2:14-18

"14 Because God's children are human beings made of flesh and blood the Son also became flesh and blood. For only as a human being could he die, and only by dying could he break the power of the devil, who had the power of death.

¹⁵ Only in this way could he set free all who have lived their lives as slaves to the fear of dying..........

Hebrews 2:14-18

¹⁷ Therefore, it was necessary for him to be made in every respect like us, his brothers and sisters, so that he could be our merciful and faithful High Priest before God. Then he could offer a sacrifice that would take away the sins of the people. ¹⁸ Since he himself has gone through suffering and testing, he is able to help us when we are being tested.

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Where you <u>"Fix Your Focus"</u> – is the *direction <u>You will GO!</u>*!

2 *Corinthians* **10:4-5**

"The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world.
On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds.

⁵ We demolish arguments and every pretension that <u>sets itself up against the knowledge of God</u>, and we <u>take captive every thought</u> to <u>make it obedient to Christ</u>.

Philippians 4:6-9 NLT

"Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything.

Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done.

- ⁷Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.
 - ⁸ And now, dear brothers and sisters, one final thing.

Fix your thoughts on what is true, and honorable, and right, and pure, and lovely, and admirable. Think about things that are excellent and worthy of praise. ⁹ Keep putting into practice all you learned and received from me—everything you heard from me and saw me doing. Then the God of peace will be with you.

To build a *greater* > attitude.

- Pray about everything!
- Thank God for what He Has done!

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• Fix your thoughts on ... Gratitude

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Fix your thoughts on ...Loving God:

Matthew 22:37

"You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind."

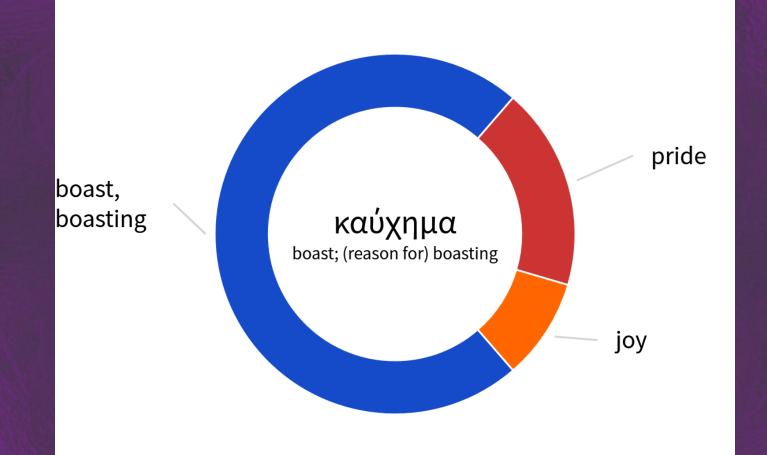
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• Fix your thoughts on ... Loving Others

Hebrews 3: 6

"Christ is faithful as a son over God's house.

And we are his house, <u>if</u> we hold on to our courage and the hope of which we <u>boast</u>



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"If you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any fellowship with the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, ² then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and purpose.

³ Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit,
 but in humility consider others better than yourselves.
 ⁴ Each of you should look not only to your own interests,
 but also to the interests of others.

⁵ Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus:

⁶Who, being in very nature God,
did not consider equality with God something to be grasped,

⁷but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant,

being made in human likeness.

⁸And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself

and became obedient to death— even death on a cross!

⁹Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.