

February 9, 2025
HEBREWS 2:1-9
“So Great A Salvation”

PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICAL APPLICATION

The human author of Hebrews takes a moment to address his readers with the first of five urgent warnings, so let's pay close attention to this one and prepare ourselves mentally for four others to follow. When the Lord has a message repeatedly given in His Word, it is serious. This is a brief yet solemn warning and the ones that follow will only intensify the *urgency*.

“Therefore” or “For this reason” identifies the previous material as being at the center of this warning. Since the Son is so supremely great and is destined for final triumph over His enemies, the readers would do well not to make light of this great salvation. **Romans 5:10a**, “For if, while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, . . .” Do not neglect this great salvation that came at such great cost.

Jesus humbled Himself so that He could die for our sins. Death defeated man, Jesus has conquered death. This speaks directly to the humanity of Jesus 100% Man, 100% Divine, all at the same time. The death of Christ was sufficient for all, efficient for some.

Drift away. Most people do not jump headlong into hell, although some do. But a multitude of people do just drift on by and neglect the salvation of their souls. They think, I'll get to it at a more opportune time. Please hear the gospel today, let it sink in like a cookie soaking into a glass of milk, consumed, and then respond to it.

Angels were involved in the giving of the Law to Moses, see **Acts 7:37-38**. Mankind is a bit lower than angels now but will one day be above them and even judge them, see **I Corinthians 6:3**.

God is **just** in His judgement of those who neglect so great a salvation.

Application:

The disaster awaiting here is brought on by nothing more than neglect of what Jesus has done to offer each person salvation. **First**, this salvation was announced by the Lord Jesus. **Second**, confirmed by those who heard Him. **Third**, and the clinch point, God Himself has testified to this great salvation. Please do not neglect this salvation; to neglect is to just let it lie. Indifferent=hell bound. Humble yourself, confess your sins, repent of your sins, receive Jesus as the Boss of your life today before it is too late.