Living Hope: Entering the Most Holy Place

Main Bible Verse:

(Hebrews 10:19-20) Therefore, brothers and sisters, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, his body *Summary:*

Hebrews 9:12-14 | Romans 6:23

- The blood of Jesus can forgive, reconcile, and give us eternal hope.
- Without blood, our sins cannot be forgiven, but Jesus' blood has already cleansed us.
- Jesus became a mediator for us so that we may communicate with God directly.
 - It is through worship that we can connect and meet with God.
- Through our prayer, coming to service, and reading the Bible, may we get closer to God.
- Only by the blood of Jesus may we overcome the darkness of the world.
- Whatever the blood of Jesus covers, nothing can harm it.

Hebrews 10:19-20 | Exodus 26:34 | Exodus 30:10 | Exodus 28 | Hebrews 9:1-7 | Proverbs 18:21 | 1 Corinthians 10:10 |

Hebrews 11:8-13 | Colossians 1:13 | Psalms 90:12 | Revelations 12:11 | 1 Peter 2:9

- God told Moses how to set up the tabernacle with utmost detail.
 - The priests also had very detailed instructions for what to wear, what to bring, and what to do in the Most Holy Place within the tabernacle.
 - Only the high priests were able to enter the Most Holy Place.
- A sign of great faith is one who speaks thanksgiving and praise.
 - Therefore, we must keep a heart of thanksgiving and praise and keep our faith strong.
 - We must not any unwholesome talk come out of our mouths.
 - We must not criticize and judge others.
 - o "The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit."

John 4:20-24 | 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 | Matthew 7:7 | Deuteronomy 28:13 | Ephesians 1:17 | Hebrews 13:15

- We must learn to worship in spirit and in truth for this is true worship.
- In the Old Testament, the Most Holy Place may only be entered by the priests. However, now that Jesus has died for us, we are able to communicate with God.
 - \circ $\;$ Therefore, we must have great faith for we are God's people.
 - \circ $\;$ All of us are priests for God in His kingdom.
 - Our bodies are the temple of God, and we are able to go before the throne of God.
- God wants to live among us, so we must worship Him in spirit and in truth.
 - We know that the truth is the Word, and we must walk within that truth.
 - The spirit refers to keeping the Holy Spirit in our hearts.
 - We must worship and praise until we depart from our self and let the Holy Spirit truly come into our heart.
 - \circ ~ We must rid ourselves of all our preoccupations and truly focus on worshiping God.
 - When we truly have the Holy Spirit in our heart, we have entered the Most Holy Place.
 - God's light, word, and power will come upon us, and we will be set free from all of our negative things.

- We can receive everything that God wants to give us as long as we rid our hearts of doubt.
- "Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened."
 - When we truly raise our hands and worship, everything that we ask of God, He will give to us.
 - \circ $\;$ God will give us all the good gifts that He wants to give us.
 - If we can truly touch the throne of God through our worship, we have entered into the Most Holy Place.
- We must learn to walk with God daily.
- We must turn our minds towards God even though we may have a lot of burdens in the world.
 - Through coming to meetings, and worshiping in spirit and in truth, we will receive strength and solutions from the Holy Spirit.
 - We must continuously seek, praise, and await God's plan for us in the truth.
 - When we do this, the man in Christ within us will grow.
 - Once our man in Christ grows, God will reveal His secrets to us when we continue to worship.
- When we truly seek the Lord, the Holy Spirit will always be with us to give us wisdom and revelations by speaking to us.
 - \circ $\;$ When we do receive these revelations, we must do accordingly.
 - "The Lord will make you the head, not the tail. If you pay attention to the commands of the Lord your God that I give you this day and carefully follow them, you will always be at the top, never at the bottom."