

Summit Woods Baptist Church
Sermon Study Equipping Class

Hebrews 13:22-25

Remember to begin your study early in the week so that you have time to really think (and keep thinking) about the passage without being rushed.

❖ Day 1

Read Hebrews 13:22-25.

For these lessons, the sermon text is provided in a format that visually helps display the structure of the paragraph or section of text. The main verbs are underlined. Commands are double-underlined. Generally, the main indicative clauses remain to the left, and the other clauses are either directly underneath when they have equal priority to what comes before, or are tabbed to the right when the clause supports, develops, or draws a conclusion from a neighboring clause.

22 But I urge you, brethren,
bear with this word of exhortation,
for I have written to you briefly.

23 Take notice
that our brother Timothy has been released,
with whom,
if he comes soon,
I will see you.

24 Greet all of your leaders and all the saints.

Those from Italy greet you.

25 Grace be with you all.

1. What is the relationship between this passage and the previous one? Explain why the author would draw this relationship.
2. What is the tone of vv. 22-23? How is this an appropriate tone for the conclusion of this book?
3. What are the three imperatives/mandates in this section? How do these mandates fit under the purpose of the book of Hebrews?

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4. What does it mean to urge?
5. Why is it significant that he addresses his readers as “brethren”?
6. What does he exhort them to do?
7. What does it mean to “bear with”?
8. What are they supposed to bear with?

❖ Day 2

Read Hebrews 13:22-25 again.

9. How does the phrase “word of exhortation” describe the whole book of Hebrews?
10. Why does he expect them to “bear with this word of exhortation”?
11. How does the author’s description of this letter as “brief” impact you?
12. What does it mean to “take notice”?

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13. What are they to “take notice” of?

14. Why do you think the command to “take notice” of Timothy’s release is here?

❖ Day 3

Read Hebrews 13:22-25 again.

15. Consider the greeting of v. 24. Make 3 observations from this verse.

16. What is significant about the greeting of v. 24?

17. Where have we seen “grace” in the immediate context? Why do you think the author of Hebrews concludes the book with grace?

18. Summarize the meaning of this passage in one sentence.

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19. Summarize the significance of this passage in one sentence.

20. How can you live out these mandates in the local church?

21. How has the book of Hebrews changed you?

In preparation for Sunday, pray that at the conclusion of the study of this book, God would be glorified through our doing. That we would not just hear the word but do it.