# **SERMON NOTES**

RESPOND WELL TO GOD'S LOVING DISCIPLINE

HEBREWS 12:7-17 | AUGUST 28, 2022 SENIOR PASTOR TIM HARKNESS



Intro	:
I	the love and care in God's hand of discipline. (7-11)

II. So \_\_\_\_\_\_ after holiness as you lean in and dig deep ... all for Jesus. (12-17)

# IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS KEY PASSAGE: HEBREWS 12:7-17

Opening: What truths impacted you most from the sermon/passage? See the love and care in God's hand of discipline; So run after holiness as you lean in and dig deep... all for Jesus.

#### INFORM THE HEAD / STIR THE HEART

1. Please use vs. 7, 10, and 11 to explain God's purpose for disciplining us.

2. Please use your answer to #1 to explain how God has disciplined you, and how it shaped your heart.

3. How is our response to God's discipline impacted by our understanding of His heart for us? How would it impact our response if His heart were hard or cruel?

4. It is said that we get our view of the Father from our earthly fathers. What perspective does this passage bring to this view?

5. From vs. 12, what is the "therefore" there for, and why would we be tempted to have drooping hands and weak knees?

6. In vs. 12-16, what are the calls to action? How is each representing God's righteousness? What is the opposite of each of those commands?

### **CHALLENGE THE WILL**

Based on what you learned in Sunday's message and in your study time, what is one measurable thing you will go after this week in your walk with Christ?

## WEEKLY READING PLAN

Monday, August 29 // Psalm34:1-10 Taste and See

Tuesday, August 30 // Psalm 34:11-22 Come, O Children

Wednesday, August 31 // Romans 6:10-23 May it never be

**Thursday, September 1 // Proverbs 4:13-27** Ponder your path

Friday, September 2 // Hebrews 12:18-29 Be in Thankful Awe