

LET US HOLD FAST THE PROFESSION OF OUR FAITH WITHOUT WAVERING

Heb 10:22 Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure water. **23 (1)Let us hold fast the (2)profession of our faith (3)without wavering;** (for he is faithful that promised;) **24** And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and **(4)to good (5)works:** **25** Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching. **26** For if we **(6)sin (7)wilfully** after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins, **27** But a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries. **28** He that despised Moses' law died without mercy under two or three witnesses: **29** Of how much **(8)soerer (9)punishment**, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who **(10)hath trodden under foot** the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the **(11)covenant**, wherewith **(12)he was sanctified, an unholy thing**, and **(13)hath done despite** unto the Spirit of grace? **30** For we know him that hath said, Vengeance belongeth unto me, I will recompense, saith the Lord. And again, The Lord shall judge his people. **31** It is **(14)a fearful thing** to fall into the hands of the living God. (KJV)

Definitions:

(1)Let us hold fast-2722 katecho (kat-ekh'-o);from 2596 and 2192; to hold down (fast), in various applications (literally or figuratively), c) to hold fast, to keep secure, to keep firm possession of 2) to get possession of, to take: KJV-- have, hold (fast), keep (in memory), let, X make toward, possess, retain, seize on, stay, take, withhold.

(2)the profession of our faith-3671 homologia (hom-ol-og-ee'-ah);from the same as 3670; acknowledgment: KJV-- con- (pro-) fession, professed. 3670 homologeo (hom-ol-og-eh'-o);from a compound of the base of 3674 and 3056; to assent, i.e. covenant, acknowledge: KJV-- con- (pro-) fess, confession is made, give thanks, promise.

(3)without wavering-186 aklines (ak-lee-nace');from 1 (as a negative particle) and 2827; not leaning, i.e. (figuratively) firm, not inclining, firm, unmoved, b) to cause to fall back: KJV-- without wavering.

(4)to good-2570 kalos (kal-os'); of uncertain affinity; properly, beautiful, but chiefly (figuratively) good (literally or morally), i.e. valuable or virtuous (for appearance or use, and thus distinguished from 18, which is properly intrinsic): KJV-- X better, fair, good (-ly), honest, meet, well, genuine, approved worthy.

(5)works-2041 ergon (er'-gon); from a primary (but obsolete) ergo (to work); toil (as an effort or occupation); by implication, an act, 1) employment, what anyone is occupied with, that which one undertakes to do, an enterprise, an undertaking 3) an act, deed, thing done; the idea of working is emphasized in opposition to what is less than work: KJV-- deed, doing, labour, work.

(6)sin 264 hamartano (ham-ar-tan'-o); perhaps from 1 (as a negative particle) and the base of 3313; properly, to miss the mark (and so not share in the prize), i.e. (figuratively) to err, especially (morally) to sin, 1) to be without a share in 2) to miss the mark 3) to err, be mistaken 4) to miss or wander from the path of uprightness and honor, to do or go wrong 5) to wander from the law of God, violate God's law, sin: KJV-- for your faults, offend, sin, trespass.

(7)willfully-1596 hekousios (hek-oo-see'-ose); adverb from the same as 1595; voluntarily, voluntarily, willingly, of one's own accord; to sin willfully as opposed to sins committed inconsiderately, and from ignorance or from weakness: KJV-- wilfully, willingly.

(8)sorcer-5501 cheiron (khi'-rone);irregular comparative of 2556; from an obsolete equivalent cheres (of uncertain derivation); more evil or aggravated (physically, mentally or morally): KJV-- sorcer, worse.

(9)punishment-5098 timoria (tee-mo-ree'-ah);from 5097; vengeance, vindication, i.e. (by implication) a penalty: KJV-- punishment.

(10)hath trodden under foot-2662 katapateo (kat-ap-at-eh'-o); from 2596 and 3961; to trample down; figuratively, to reject with disdain, 1) to tread down, to trample underfoot, to trample on 2) metaphorically, to treat with rudeness and insult, to spurn, to treat with insulting neglect: KJV-- trample, tread (down, underfoot).

(11)covenant-1242 diatheke (dee-ath-ay'-kay); from 1303; properly, a disposition, i.e. (specially) a contract (especially a devisory will): KJV-- covenant, testament.

(12)wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing-37 hagiazo (hag-ee-ad'-zo); from 40; to make holy, i.e. (ceremonially) purify or consecrate; (mentally) to venerate, 2) to separate from profane things and to dedicate to God a) to consecrate things to God b) to dedicate people to God 3) to purify b) to purify by expiation: to free from the guilt of sin c) to purify internally by a renewing of the soul: KJV-- hallow, be holy, sanctify.

(13)hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace-1796 enubrizo (en-oo-brid'-zo); from 1722 and 5195; to insult: KJV-- do despite unto. 5195 hubrizo (hoo-brid'-zo);from 5196; to exercise violence, i.e. abuse: KJV-- use despitefully, reproach, entreat shamefully (spitefully).

(14)a fearful thing5398 phoberos (fob-er-os'); from 5401; frightful, i.e. (objectively) formidable: KJV-- fearful, terrible.

Heb 10:31 ... a fearful thing (KJV)

Isa 33:14 The sinners in Zion are afraid; fearfulness hath surprised the hypocrites. Who among us shall dwell with the devouring fire? who among us shall dwell with everlasting burnings?(KJV)

Luke 21:11 And great earthquakes shall be in divers places, and famines, and pestilences; and fearful sights and great signs shall there be from heaven. (KJV)

Heb 10:26 For if we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins, **27** But a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries. (KJV)

Heb 10:31 ... to fall into the hands of the living God. (KJV)

Ps 50:22 Now consider this, ye that forget God, lest I tear you in pieces, and there be none to deliver. (KJV)

Ps 76:7 Thou, even thou, art to be feared: and who may stand in thy sight when once thou art angry? (KJV)

Ps 90:11 Who knoweth the power of thine anger? even according to thy fear, so is thy wrath. (KJV)

Matt 10:28 And fear not them which kill the body, but are not able to kill the soul: but rather fear him which is able to destroy both soul and body in hell. (KJV)

Luke 12:5 But I will forewarn you whom ye shall fear: Fear him, which after he hath killed hath power to cast into hell; yea, I say unto you, Fear him. (KJV)

Heb 12:14 Follow peace with all men, and holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord: **15** Looking diligently lest any man fail of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up trouble you, and thereby many be defiled; **16** Lest there be any fornicator, or profane person, as Esau, who for one morsel of meat sold his birthright. **17** For ye know how that afterward, when he would have inherited the blessing, he was rejected: for he found no place of repentance, though he sought it carefully with tears. **18** For ye are not come unto the mount that might be touched, and that burned with fire, nor unto blackness, and darkness, and tempest, **19** And the sound of a trumpet, and the voice of words; which voice they that heard intreated that the word should not be spoken to them any more: **20** (For they could not endure that which was commanded, And if so much as a beast touch the mountain, it shall be stoned, or thrust through with a dart: **21** And so terrible was the sight, that Moses said, I exceedingly fear and quake:) **22** But ye are come unto mount Sion, and unto the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to an innumerable company of angels, **23** To the general assembly and church of the firstborn, which are written in heaven, and to God the Judge of all, and to the spirits of just men made perfect, **24** And to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant, and to the blood of sprinkling, that speaketh better things than that of Abel. **25** See that ye refuse not him that speaketh. For if they escaped not who refused him that spake on earth, much more shall not we escape, if we turn away from him that speaketh from heaven: **26** Whose voice then shook the earth: but now he hath promised, saying, Yet once more I shake not the earth only, but also heaven. (KJV)

Heb 10:31 ... additional scriptures (KJV)

Mal 3:5 And I will come near to you to judgment; and **I will be a swift witness against** the sorcerers, and against the adulterers, and against false swearers, and against those that oppress

the hireling in his wages, the widow, and the fatherless, and that turn aside the stranger from his right, and **fear not me, saith the LORD of hosts.** (KJV)

1 Cor 10:20 But I say, that the things which the Gentiles sacrifice, they sacrifice to devils, and not to God: and I would not that ye should have fellowship with devils. **21** Ye cannot drink the cup of the Lord, and the cup of devils: ye cannot be partakers of the Lord's table, and of the table of devils. **22** Do we provoke the Lord to jealousy? are we stronger than he? (KJV)

2 Cor 5:10 For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ; that every one may receive the things done in his body, according to that he hath done, whether it be good or bad. **11** Knowing therefore the terror of the Lord, we persuade men; but we are made manifest unto God; and I trust also are made manifest in your consciences. (KJV)