

YPG III

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Theme: The Doctrine of Christ

Sub-theme: Discipleship

Text: Hebrews 2

Title: The Captain of Our Salvation

INTRODUCTION

1. Human leaders who inspire
 - a. They lay down their lives for others
 - b. They change the course of their countries
2. The greatest inspiration for us
 - a. Our Divine Leader
 - b. The Captain of our Salvation

HE WAS WILLING TO BE MADE A LITTLE LOWER THAN THE ANGELS

1. The comparison between angels and the Lord Jesus
 - a. The Lord Jesus Christ described (Hebrews 1: 2 – 4)
 - b. Angels described (Hebrews 1: 14)
 - c. Angels pale in comparison by far!
2. Yet He was willing to be made a little lower than the angels (Hebrews 2: 9)
 - a. Meaning: much lower than the angels!
 - b. He was made man

HE WAS WILLING TO SUFFER

1. The condition of man
 - a. Flesh and blood
 - b. Suffering
 - c. Death

2. The idea of being made “perfect” (Hebrews 2: 10)
 - a. As captain of our salvation, the Lord Jesus had to fully identify with us
 - b. Thus He had to suffer
 - c. He was willing to do so!

HIS ATTITUDE TO BELIEVERS

1. “All of one” (Hebrews 2: 11)
2. He is not ashamed of us
3. We are brethren to Him

OUR CHALLENGE AS DISCIPLES

1. To follow our “Captain”
2. To emulate His example

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE

“For it was fitting for Him, for whom are all things and by whom are all things, in bringing many sons to glory, to make the captain of their salvation perfect through sufferings.

For both He who sanctifies and those who are being sanctified are all of one, for which reason He is not ashamed to call them brethren”

Hebrews 2: 10 – 11