

“The Need for Hope”  
Hebrews 6:19-7:28

T.W. Hunt said, “Hope is the present enjoyment of a future reality.” We need hope. We need assurance. Absolutes. In a culture that has been taught there are no absolutes, the hearts of people are crying out for something that will meet this need. This is where the Gospel steps in. Our need for hope can only be met in Christ Jesus.

Find something God cannot do? Read Hebrews 6: 13, 18,

So, the promises of God are based upon \_\_\_\_\_.

Because God cannot swear by someone greater than Himself and He cannot lie.  
Therefore, v.  
18b, \_\_\_\_\_.

What do you suppose it means to take hold of the hope set before us?

What does someone mean when they say, “I hope I don’t get sick,” or “I hope my car doesn’t run out of gas” ? What kind of hope is this?

According to v. 19, what kind of hope do we have in Jesus Christ? In other words, what kind of hope does a person have who has been saved?

Read 1 Peter 1: 3. What kind of hope do we have in Christ Jesus?

What is our hope based upon according to 1 Peter 1: 3b?

1 Peter 1:4 tells us the nature of our hope.

1 Peter 1:5 tells us how our hope is being maintained.

1 Peter 1: 6f tells us that our hope is not diminished by the distresses of various trials.  
Why not?

What is the difference between the Levitical priests and Jesus Christ according to Hebrews 7: 23-24?

What is Jesus able to do according to Hebrews 7: 25?

What kind of hope do you have in Christ?

What difference does hope in Christ make in your life right now?

Is God calling you to take hold of the hope set before you?

