

***There is No Reason to Turn Back!***  
***An Exposition of the Book of Hebrews***

15: “Bold, I Approach the Eternal  
Throne”  
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**Hebrews 9:12**

“<sup>12</sup> And not through the blood of goats and calves, but through His own blood, He entered the holy place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption.”

**Hebrews 3:1**

“<sup>1</sup> Therefore, holy brethren, partakers of a heavenly calling, consider Jesus, the Apostle and High Priest of our confession.”

**John 14:6**

“<sup>6</sup> Jesus said to him, ‘I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father but through Me.’”

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**We must balance our approach to God between fear and confidence.**

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“<sup>4</sup> Therefore, let us fear if, while a promise remains of entering His rest, any one of you may seem to have come short of it.”

**Hebrews 4:13**

“<sup>13</sup> And there is no creature hidden from His sight, but all things are open and laid bare to the eyes of Him with whom we have to do.”

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**Christ sympathizes with our situation.**

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**Jesus knows of our hardships with sin or the trials of life.**

**John 14:1-3**

“<sup>1</sup> Do not let your heart be troubled; believe in God, believe also in Me. <sup>2</sup> In My Father’s house are many dwelling places; if it were not so, I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for you. <sup>3</sup> If I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself, that where I am, there you may be also.”

**John 14:18-19**

“<sup>18</sup> I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. <sup>19</sup> After a little while the world will no longer see Me, but you will see Me; because I live, you will live also.”

**There is confidence in prayer because of grace.**

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