



## Outline - Sunday, February 23, 2014

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**Sermon Title:** He That Believeth Not Shall Be Damned  
**Scripture Reading:** Mark 16:9-16/Hebrews 10:26-31

1. **Sinning willfully is a matter of the heart against the gospel:  
vs 26-30**

The apostate has neglected to watch his heart. Heb 3:12-15

  - a. The cold heart—Mt 24:12-14
  - b. The hard heart—Heb 3:13-16
  - c. The divided heart—James 1:5-8
  - d. The proud heart—Ps 10:2/Job 13:16
2. **What is it to trod underfoot the blood of the Son of God?  
vs 27**
  - a. To become an adversary—Phil 3:17-19; 3:2-3
  - b. To undo and reject its doctrinal claims—Ps 2:3
  - c. To view it as useless and worthless—Mt 5:13  
Recap Heb 6:6/an open shame
  - d. To call God a Liar—1 John 5:10-12
3. **The Offence against the Spirit?**

Insult, disrespect, resistance against His work in the conscience, mind, and understanding: the revelation, illumination, the display of Christ—by the Spirit—  
2 Pet 2:20-22  
4 examples—1 Cor 10:1-12/Jude 1:5-6/Mt 12:31-37
4. **The Warrant for perseverance:**

Meaning “personally, actively employing every means of grace to make credible your testimony of faith. “Fulfilling the Pattern”  
Heb 11; 6:12-15

  - a. Is the real and unavoidable apostasy you will see with your own eyes
  - b. The reward of faith, given only to those who endure to the end Mt 24:13/  
2 Tim 4:7/Heb 10:36

5. **We believe to the saving of the soul:**

No mere past tense salvation.

Salvation is to be understood as having its full realization at the end of our faith:

- ▶ You have been saved—Eph 2:8-9
- ▶ You are being saved—1 Cor 1:18
- ▶ You will be saved—1 Pet 1:9