



Hebrews 2:1-4:

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- 1) The Message to Remember**
- 2) Evaluate the Drift**
- 3) The Anchor that Secures**

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Hebrews 1:5-14 - Jesus is better than angels

- 1) Jesus has a better name than the angels (Ps 2:7; 2 Samuel 7:14)
- 2) He is worshiped by the angels (Rev 19:10; Isaiah 6)
- 3) He rules over the angels (Ps 110)
- 4) Jesus created the angels (Ps 102)

2) Evaluate the Drift

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“People do not drift toward holiness. Apart from grace-driven effort, people do not gravitate toward godliness, prayer, obedience to Scripture, faith, and delight in the Lord. We drift toward compromise and call it tolerance; we drift toward disobedience and call it freedom; we drift toward superstition and call it faith.

We cherish the indiscipline of lost self-control and call it relaxation; we slouch toward prayerlessness and delude ourselves into thinking we have escaped legalism; we slide toward godlessness and convince ourselves we have been liberated.” D.A. Carson

Preaching the Gospel to Yourself by Paul Tripp

- 1) Gazing on the beauty of Christ
- 2) Remember who we are as a child of God
- 3) Resting in His power and provision
- 4) Act in reliance upon Him.

3) The Anchor that Secures

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“Advice is counsel about something to do and it hasn’t happened yet, but you can do it. News is a report about something that has happened—you can’t do anything about it—it’s been done for you and all you can do is respond to it.” - Dr. Martin Lloyd-Jones

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