

THE PRESENT FUTURE-

A Call to Radical Reformation

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Radically Established by Grace

Hebrews 13:7-9

➤ The Question: What should we do with the past?—

A. **Bury** it...

B. Act like it never **happened**...

C. **Use** it for God's glory...

Dealing with the past and moving forward into the future is dependent upon our understanding of God's sovereignty and His purposes for our lives. We must realize that our lives have been radically established by His grace!

➤ The Challenge: How do we get to that place in our lives?

1. **Remember** your leaders—

Which ones?

Those who **faithfully** proclaimed and lived out the word of God!

2. **Imitate** their faith—

What part?

In Christ as **Lord** and **Messiah**!

3. **Do not** be led astray—

How?

Your heart has been **established** by His grace!

Why?

There is no **benefit!**

When we realize that our lives have been radically established by His grace it puts both the past and the future in proper perspective...

Action Steps

- Will you acknowledge your need for reformation today?

- Will you deal with the past and look to the future in light of God's grace?

- Will you begin the process for His glory today?

- What is hindering the process for you?