

PERSEVERE! (12)
DANGER!

(HEBREWS 6:4-8)

1. **Read Hebrews 6:4-8 (page 1206).** *How serious is the condition described in these verses, according to verse 8? How does it relate to last week's study? What does the pastor seem to be doing in this passage - and why?*

2. *Can a truly-saved Christian lose their salvation, according to John 10:27-29? What is the sign of true saving faith, according to James 2:17, 20, 26? What will characterize the truly saved, according to Mark 13:13b? And what will characterize the visible church, according to 1 John 2:19?*

3. *Bearing in mind the truths we've just considered, what are verses 4-6 describing? What exactly do the different phrases in verses 4-5 mean?*

4. *Why is the restoration of those described in verse 6 impossible? How are they "crucifying once again the Son of God to their own harm"?*

5. *What critical criterion distinguishes the truly saved from the falsely saved, according to verses 7-8? What would a "useful" crop look like? And a "worthless" one?*

6. *What does verse 8b mean? How does all this connect to Matthew 13:40-42? Are there any examples of the 'falsely saved' in the New Testament?*

7. *What does all this say to the wilfully spiritually immature? How would you summarize tonight's teaching? How should we practically apply it?*