

## Pause Group - Hebrews 6: 1-8

Begin your time together by sharing highs and lows from the past week. Pray together with gratitude for the joys of the week in the lives of your group members and the world. Pray for those dealing with struggles. Pray for the worlds struggles.

**Study Questions:** Address the questions your group desires.

1. What projects have you gotten bogged down with and why?
2. What is meant by each of the basic teachings of the Christian faith found in 6:1-2?
3. Why are these things we shouldn't have to go back over again once we've begun our Christian life?
4. Sometimes, of course, Christians never learn these things properly in the first place. What steps would you take to ensure people have a good grasp of why people are baptized, what precisely the resurrection is and why should we believe it, what "dead works" are and why we should repent of them?
5. Verses 4-5 offer a lavish description of what happens when you become a Christian. How would you expand on what is meant by each phrase?
6. The writer is saying that he is not going back over all the same ground again. Rather, he wants to go deeper, to teach them more developed and wide-ranging truths. How does the metaphor about the land in verses 7-8 illustrate his reasons for this?
7. What might entice us or other Christians to turn our backs on the faith and join the general tendency to seer at the gospel and the church?

Closing prayer- End with the Lord's prayer.