**Heb. 3:7-12**

*The Danger of a Hardened Heart*

Intro

**I. THE WORDS OF PSALM 25 (Hebrews 3:7a).**

**II. THE WARNING OF PSALM 25 (Hebrews 3:7b-11).**

A. “Today” (Heb. 3:7).

B. God’s Warning (Heb. 3:8-9).

1) Command - “Do not harden your hearts”

2) Comparison - like the wilderness generation.

3) Circumstances - when they tried Me by testing Me

C. God’s Response (Heb. 3:8, 10-11).

1) provoked (Hebrews 3:8) - stirred up His righteous rage

2) anger (Hebrews 3:10) –

3) assessment (Hebrews 3:10b) –

*always go astray?*

*did not know My ways.*

4) punishment (Hebrews 3:11) - “They shall not enter My Rest.”

**III. THE APPLICATION TO THE READERS (Hebrews 3:12).**

1. Exhortation - “Take care, brethren”. Examine yourselves.
2. - an evil, unbelieving heart that falls away from the living God? –

**IV. THE APPLICATION TODAY**

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