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TITLE MAKING INVESTMENTS THAT LAST

TEXT Nehemiah 10

SERIES BUILDING GOD'S HOUSE

Today we finish our series on Nehemiah by looking at the promises the Israelites made after rebuilding the walls and some of the city. God wanted them to own their persistent rebellion and they did. After that they made four vows that included "binding agreements" to follow the Lord wholeheartedly. They put the agreement in writing and signed it. We are going to look at those oaths and see how they apply to us today.

Notes

(Verses on Oaths and Vows)

Numbers 30:2

Ecclesiastes 5:4

Matthew 5:33-37

ARE VOWS OF USE TODAY?

1. THEY HELP US _____.
2. THEY ALLOW US TO EXPRESS OUR _____.

We don't succeed as Christians because we make promises to God, but because we BELIEVE the promises of God and ACT on them.

FOUR VOWS

1. _____ TO GOD'S WORD
Nehemiah 10:29; 1 Chronicles 16:9
2. _____ FROM THE WORLD
Nehemiah 10:28, 30
3. _____ FOR GOD'S PEOPLE
Nehemiah 10:31; Exodus 20:11
4. _____ FOR GOD'S WORK
Nehemiah 10:32-39