

*Sunday, December 28th, 2025
Grace Baptist Fellowship
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Looking to Jesus

Hebrews 12:1-3

*Looking to Jesus is the key to laying aside sin and
enduring the Christian life*

I. Lay Aside the _____ (vs. 1a)

- a) Lay Aside the _____
- b) Lay Aside the _____

II. Live With _____ (vs. 1b)

III. Look to _____ (vs. 2-3)

“The disciples of Christ must surely realize that to ‘follow in his steps’ is to experience opposition, pain, suffering and rejection. Mature believers know that the life to which they are committed has incomparable compensations, but also makes rigorous demands. Running with perseverance is possible only whilst they are looking not to the encouraging witnesses, the present contestants, the ultimate goal, or even the promised reward; but to Christ alone, or they will either drop out through distraction or collapse with exhaustion.”

-Raymond Brown,

The Message of Hebrews: Christ above All, The Bible Speaks Today