

“WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A CHRISTIAN SINS?” (Hebrews 12:5-11)

Introduction: There is much misunderstanding about my subject!

I. GOD {PROMISES} TO CHASTEN EVERY BELIEVER!

**Hebrews 12:5-6 *Hebrews 12:8 *Hebrews 10:30-31 *Proverbs 3:11-12*

Note: Chastening proves you are saved!

II. THE CHASTENING OF GOD FOLLOWS SPECIFIC {PROCEDURES}.

**John 16:8 *Hebrews 3:7-8 *II Samuel 7:14-15a *Amos 4:6-8*
**Amos 4:9-11 *John 19:1 *Proverbs 29:1 *I Corinthians 11:26-32*

1. Step one: Speaking
2. Step two: Spanking
3. Step three: Scourging
4. Step four: Sleep

III. GOD CHASTENS FOR A BELIEVER’S {PROFIT}.

**Hebrews 12:10 *Proverbs 13:24 *Psalm 119:67*
**Psalm 119:71 *John 15:1-3 *Proverbs 16:6*

Note: The word “chasten” means “to correct behavior”.

IV. CHASTENING IS ALWAYS {PAINFUL}.

**Hebrews 12:11 *Revelation 3:19 *Romans 2:4-6*

Conclusion: Don’t resent it! Don’t resist it! Repent!