

# How Hot is Your Home?

## Selected Texts

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**Our faith needs to be so hot  
that it ignites the faith of others.**

### **#1: A Hot Faith: Fueled by a Relationship with God**

(Joshua 23:2-13; 24:15,31)

- Driven by a love for God
- Committed to Christ
- Guided by what God thinks

*The Question:* How can I please Christ?

### **#2: A Warm Faith: Fueled by a Responsibility to God**

(Judges 1:27-28; 2:1-6)

- Driven by a fear of God
- Committed to Christianity
- Guided by what Christians think

*The Question:* How can I please other Christians?

### **#3: A Cold Faith: Fueled by a Religion about God**

(Judges 2:10-13, 19)

- Driven by the idea of God
- Committed to spirituality
- Guided by what people think

*The Question:* How can I please other people?

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# **The Only Way Home**

## **Hosea 11-13**

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**When you wander into the dark, see God in a new light.**

### **I. He is a Loving Father** [Hosea 11:1-11]

- A. Seen in His Actions (vs. 1-7)
- B. Seen in His Anguish (vs. 8-11)

### **II. He is a Righteous Judge** [Hosea 11:12-13:3]

- A. Seen in the Invitation to Seek Mercy (11:12-12:6)
- B. Seen in the Indictment against Them (12:7-13:3)

### **III. He is a Singular Lord** [Hosea 13:4-6]

- A. Seen in His Sole Ability to Save (vs. 4-5)
- B. Seen in His Sole Authority to Judge (vs. 6)

### **IV. He is Like a Wild Beast** [Hosea 13:7-8]

- A. Seen in Devouring Judgment - Lion (vs. 7a)
- B. Seen in Sudden Judgment - Leopard (vs. 7b)
- C. Seen in Ferocious Judgment - Bear (vs. 8)

### **V. He is Reigning King** [Hosea 13:9-16]

- A. Seen in the Sufficiency of His Reign (vs. 9-10)
- B. Seen in the Deficiency of Human Kings (vs. 11)
- C. Seen in the Destruction of an Earthly Kingdom (vs. 12-16)

**Conclusion:** When in need of restoration, God is your only hope.

