God's Rest - Lesson 11

Facts About Rest	Scriptures About	Views and Conclusions
Children of Israel (3:14-19) - provoked God - disobedience - hardened by deceitfulness of sin - unbelief - leads to not entering the rest - rejected God - no rest Heb 3:6, 14 - if we hold fast - then our faith is proven and we will not miss His rest Heb 4 - promise of entering His rest (1) - there is a potential to fall short of His rest (1) - need to hear the message - unite that with faith (2) - we who have believed enter that rest (3) - God rested on the 7th day from all His works (4) - even when they had the good news preached to them, they failed to enter because of disobedience (6) - today you need to respond (7) - Joshua didn't give them rest (8) - there is a Sabbath rest for the people of God (9) - to enter the rest we cease from our work (10) - be diligent to enter that rest (11)	Gen 2:1-3 - God rested after completing His creation work Ex 20:8-11 - God was an example to us - Israel is to work 6 days and rest the 7th Ex 31:12-17 - a sign between God and Israel forever - there is a refreshing trait about keeping the Sabbath Ez 20:8 (6-26) - they were not willing to let go of their own life (things, idols, lifestyle) - held on to the old Mark 2:27 - the Sabbath was made for man - not the man for the Sabbath We are to rest, we are to be refreshed, we are to spend time with God	 Faith-rest life - live our lives resting on the promises of God - cease from striving to please God on our own - walk by faith (Col 2:6-7; II Cor 5:7; Matt 11:28-30) The Millennial rest - when the covenant promises to Israel are completely fulfilled - then we will rest in the millennial kingdom (Dan 7:13, 14, 27; Zech 14:16-21) Eternal rest - rest in the New Heaven, the New Earth, and the New Jerusalem (Rev 14:13; Is 65:17-18; 66:22-23)