- **TEXT: HEBREWS 10:26-31**
- THE BOOK "STUDYING SIN SERIOUSLY" BY WENDELL WINKLER.
- LET'S DEAL WITH CONFUSION, CONSEQUENCE, CLARITY REGARDING THIS SUBJECT.

• WILLFUL SIN.....

IS NOT A SIN FOR WHICH WE CAN NEVER BE FORGIVEN

- CONFUSION OVER THE PHRASE, "THERE NO LONGER REMAINS A SACRIFICE FOR SIN."
- IF SO, THEN ONLY **SINS OF IGNORANCE** ARE FORGIVABLE
- WHAT ABOUT **PETER IN MATT. 26:69-75?**
- WHAT ABOUT **DAVID?**

• WILLFUL SIN.....

IS DELIBERATELY REFUSING TO ACCEPT AND DO RIGHT

- SPECIFICALLY, WILLFULLY ABANDONING CHRISTIANITY
- NEW COVENANT BETTER THAN OLD COVENANT
 - CHRIST OVER MOSES
 - GOSPEL OVER THE LAW
 - SACRIFICE OF CHRIST OVER THE SACRIFICE OF BULLS AND GOATS

• WILLFUL SIN.....

IS STILL BEING COMMITTED TODAY (IN PRINCIPLE)

- I KNOW THAT I HAVE NOT BEEN BAPTIZED AS THE BIBLE DEMONSTRATES, BUT I JUST DON'T BELIEVE THAT I HAVE TO DO THAT.
- I DON'T ALWAYS FIND THAT THE CONGREGATION I BELONG TO TEACHES WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS BUT I HAVE FRIENDS THAT ATTEND THERE SO I WANT TO CONTINUE WORSHIPPING AND SUPPORTING THEM.