“Judged by the Word”

*John 12:44–50*

Sermon Outline

Big Idea—*You will be judged by the word you receive or reject.*

**Introduction: A Final Appeal to All**

**A Summary of Salvation**

*1. There is no saving relationship with God apart from saving faith in Christ (vv. 44–47).* (Key References—John 5:36; 8:23; 1:18; 3:16–18, 36; Matthew 11:27; Acts 4:12; John 6:67–68; 1 Peter 2:9; 1 John 1:6–7)

*2. You will be judged on the last day by your response to Christ’s word.* (Key References—John 5:22, 27–29; 9:39; 3:35; 5:19, 30; Deuteronomy 8:3; 32:46–47; John 3:36; 4:50; 8:24; 6:29; 1 John 3:23; John 14:6; 5:26, 21)

**Conclusion: How Will You Respond to Christ’s Command?**

Key References—John 6:29, 35, 40, 47; 7:37–38; 8:12, 31–32; 10:9; 11:25; 6:37, 39; Matthew 11:28–30