

MESSAGE FROM THE WORD

John 10:22-30

March 22, 2009

Then came the Feast of Dedication at Jerusalem. It was winter, 23 and Jesus was in the temple area walking in Solomon's Colonnade. 24 The Jews gathered around him, saying, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Christ, tell us plainly."

25 Jesus answered, "I did tell you, but you do not believe. The miracles I do in my Father's name speak for me, 26 but you do not believe because you are not my sheep. 27 My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. 28 I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one can snatch them out of my hand. 29 My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; no one can snatch them out of my Father's hand. 30 I and the Father are one."

Finish the slogan: You're in good hands with _____.

What A Savior! You're In Good Hands

1. A Look at the Hands

- Son's hands
 - Chapped hands
 - Teaching hands- Hands up for a question
 - Amazing hands
 - Shepherding hands
- Father's Hands
 - Creative hands

- Merciful hands
- Sacrificing hands

- You're in good hands with _____.

2. A Feel of the Hands

- Characteristics
 - Strong but tender
 - Eternal yet fragile
 - Perfect as deformed
 - Freeing still protecting
- Saving hold
 - Single cupped hands
 - Double cupped hands
- Good hands guarantee –

When _____, feel the hands!

When you can't feel anything, trust the promise of Thee good hands people:

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You're in good hands because you are in God's hands!

What a Savior! You're in good hands with Jesus!