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## Market Minute

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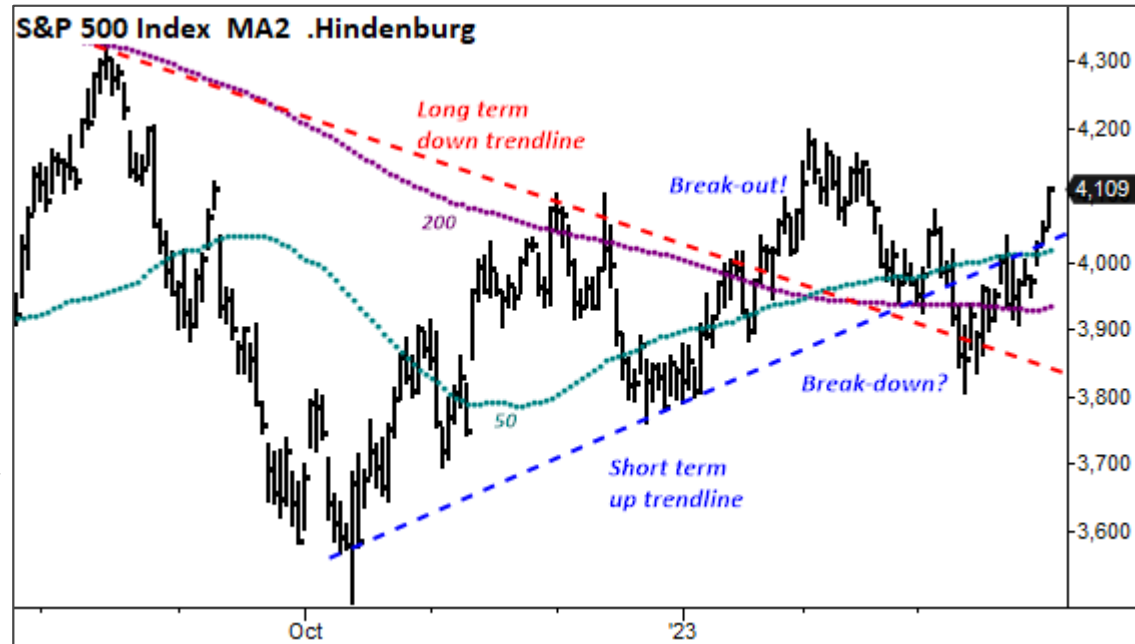
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# Important Last Week



## Test Held!

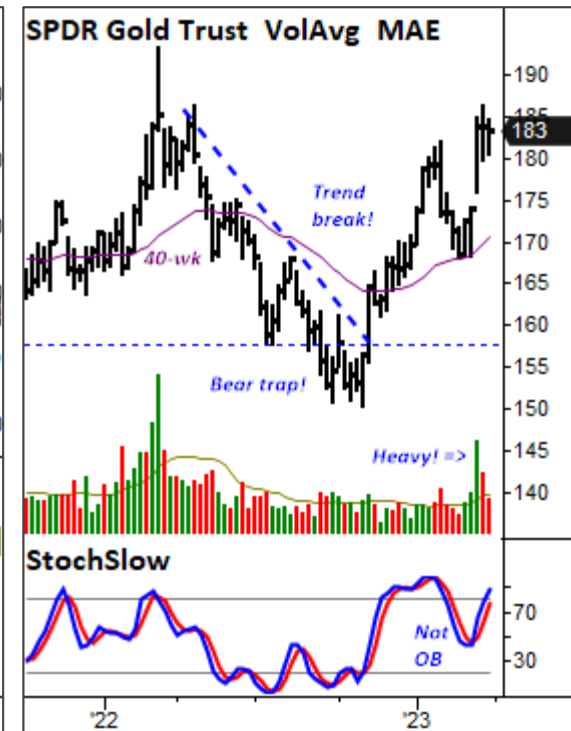
- Great week for stocks – closed strongly
- Reversed short-term trend break
- Look to have tested breakout successfully
- NASDAQ chart relatively stronger
- Gold has been strong as well



## Bottoming Process

- ✓ Set initial low
- ✓ Bounce & test that low
- ✓ Follow-through to the upside
- ✓ Test the breakout successfully

Note: Process can fail & restart



# Big Picture

## Commodities / US\$:

- Commodities up 2x since Mar'20
- Oil looks to be forming 'bear trap'

## Yields / Credit:

- 10-yr. continuing to consolidate
- Biggest yield curve inversion since 1981
- Corporate credit & credit ETFs firming

## Stocks:

- Have seen a typical 'bear market'
- Market internals improving dramatically
- Have testing recent breakouts successfully
- Regional banks remain biggest concern



Trends	LT	Notes
Commodities	---	Finally seeing a meaningful pullback, BCOM Index testing key 105 area
Bonds/Rates	▼ / ▲	10-yr. finding support in 3½% area; corporate credit now improving
Stocks	▲	Have seen an 'average' bear decline, now at 'Step 4' of bottoming process



## About Mike

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Prior to joining NexPoint he launched 2 of the first 100 'alternative mutual funds', including the Fusion Global Long/Short Fund (FGLSX) which posted a positive return in 2008 and won the Lipper Performance Achievement Award in the Long/Short category for the one-year period ending December 31, 2008 (ranked #1 of 90).

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