

Listen to The Son Hebrews 1-4

Written to Jews known by author **Hebrews 10:34; 13:19**

Prevent from leaving faith in Christ in a return to Law of Moses

By showing superiority of Christ and His Covenant

"word of exhortation" Hebrews 13:22

Looked at warnings last week, consider why we should listen to Christ

Christ Is Our Spokesman Hebrews 1:1-3

The Glory of God

John 1:14 *And the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth.*

Exact representation of God

John 14:9 *Jesus said to him, "Have I been so long with you, and yet you have not come to know Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; how can you say, 'Show us the Father'?"*

Creator and Sustainer

Colossians 1:16-17 *For by Him all things were created, both in the heavens and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities — all things have been created through Him and for Him. He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together.*

Superior to Angels Hebrews 1:5-2:18

Because of His Deity (Sonship) **Hebrews 1:5-14**

Your throne O God **Hebrews 1:8**

Sits on God's right hand **Hebrews 1:13**

Word is more sure **Hebrews 2:1-4**

All authority is His **Hebrews 2:5-9**

Because of His Humanity **Hebrews 2:10-18**

He calls us brethren **Hebrews 2:11**

Made like us in all things **Hebrews 2:17**

Superior to Moses Hebrews 3:1-15

Counted more glory than Moses **Hebrews 3:3**

Christ built the House (church) **Hebrews 3:3**

Son over own House **Hebrews 3:6**

Beware of unbelief **Hebrews 3:12**

Encourage one another **Hebrews 3:13**

Must remain steadfast **Hebrews 3:14**

God's rest remains **Hebrews 3:16-4:13**

Unbelief will help keep one from this rest **Hebrews 3:19**

Unbelief = disobedience **Hebrews 3:18-19**

Rebellion = unbelief **Hebrews 3:16,19**

Gospel plus faith brings rest **Hebrews 4:2**

Be Diligent and Listen Hebrews 4:11-13

Disobedience will separate us from God's rest **Hebrews 4:11**

The Word will discern what is good or evil in our heart **Hebrews 4:12**

Christ has spoken

He has all authority

1Peter 3:21-22 *Corresponding to that, baptism now saves you — not the removal of dirt from the flesh, but an appeal to God for a good conscience — through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who is at the right hand of God, having gone into heaven, after angels and authorities and powers had been subjected to Him.*

We must listen

Matthew 17:5 *While he was still speaking, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and behold, a voice out of the cloud said, "This is My beloved Son, with whom I am well-pleased; listen to Him!"*

We must obey

Luke 6:46-49 *"Why do you call Me, 'Lord, Lord,' and do not do what I say? Everyone who comes to Me and hears My words and acts on them, I will show you whom he is like: he is like a man building a house, who dug deep and laid a foundation on the rock; and when a flood occurred, the torrent burst against that house and could not shake it, because it had been well built. But the one who has heard and has not acted accordingly, is like a man who built a house on the ground without any foundation; and the torrent burst against it and immediately it collapsed, and the ruin of that house was great."*

Are you diligently working toward God's rest?

Obey today

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