

# AN OUTLINE OF HEBREWS

**Summary: To move on from discouragement in the Christian life, FIX YOUR EYES ON JESUS.**

## **INTRODUCTION: GOD HAS SPOKEN TO US IN A SON, JESUS (1:1-4)**

### **I. TRUST AND TREASURE JESUS, GOD'S SON WHO IS GREATER THAN THE ANGELS (1:5 – 2:18)**

#### **A. Trust and treasure Jesus because He is Superior to the Angels (1:5-14)**

APPLICATION (2:1-4)

- Do Not Reject the Word Spoken Through God's Son!

#### **B. Trust and treasure Jesus because He Became Lower Than Angels to Suffer for us and bring us to glory (2:5-18)**

APPLICATION 3:1 – 4:12-13

- Follow Jesus, the Supreme Example of a Faithful Son (3:4-6)
- Avoid repeating the negative example of those who were unfaithful (3:7-19)
- Enter the rest promised to those who are faithful (4:1-11)
- WARNING Consider the power of God's Word (4:12-13)
- **Draw near to God in time of need through our sympathetic High Priest (4:14-16)**

### **II. TRUST AND TREASURE JESUS, OUR HIGH PRIEST, WHO IS SUPERIOR TO THE EARTHLY SACRIFICIAL SYSTEM AND THEREFORE ABLE TO DEAL WITH OUR SIN ONCE FOR ALL (4:14 – 10:25)**

#### **A. Trust and treasure Jesus, appointed by God as High Priest (5:1-10 – 7:1-28)**

APPLICATION 5:11 – 6:20

- Analysis of present problem: surprising immaturity (5:1 – 6:3)
- Warning: the danger of falling away from Christian faith (6:4-8)
- Mitigation: Confidence in true Christians persevering (6:9-12)
- God's promise and our solid Hope (6:13-20)

#### **B. Trust and Treasure Jesus: he was a Better High Priest (8:1-10:18)**

1. The Superior Ministry of the Heavenly High Priest (8:1-6)
2. The Superiority of the New Covenant (8:7-13)
3. The Superiority of the New Covenant Offering (9:1 – 10:18)

### **III. APPLICATION 10:19 – 13:21**

- **Draw near to God through our Great Priest Who Takes Us Into Heaven (10:19-25)**
- WARNING: The Danger of Rejecting God's Truth and God's Son (10:26-31)
- Learn from your past and Endure to Receive the Promise (10:32-39)
- Follow the Positive Example of the Old Testament Faithful (11:1-40)
- Reject Sin and Fix Your Eyes on Jesus, Supreme Example of Endurance (12:1-2)
- Endure Discipline as Sons (12:3-17)
- Don't despise the Blessings of the New Covenant (12:18-24)
- WARNING Do Not Reject God's Word! (12:25-29)
- Practical Exhortations (13:1-19)
- Benediction (13:20-21)

## **CONCLUSION (13:22-25) LISTEN!**

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