# God's Masterwork, Volume Seven The Final Word — A Survey of Hebrews - Revelation

Hebrews: Jesus Christ, Our Superior Savior
A Survey of Hebrews



#### The Heart of the Matter

Hebrews, although among the largest and most significant letters in the New Testament, remains one of the least appreciated. Profound, mysterious, deep, and sometimes difficult to understand, this book deserves our time and attention. Rich in Jewish history and filled with quotations from and allusions to the Old Testament, the study of Hebrews requires concentration plus a fairly firm grasp of how God revealed Himself to His people in ancient times. Those who master this book are keen students of such subjects as the priestly system, sacrifices, traditional Jewish feasts, and the tabernacle. Bedside reading, Hebrews is not. But for those who go to the trouble of working their way through these thirteen chapters, the investment yields rich and rewarding benefits.



### **Discovering the Way**

#### 1. Introductory Questions

We begin with four questions: Who wrote it? Who received it? Why was it written? And when was it written?

#### 2. The Theme of Hebrews: Christ Is Lord

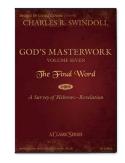
Christ is superior in every way: in His person (chapters 1–4), as our priest (chapters 5–10), and through all of life (chapters 11–13). Christ is sufficient in all experiences.



### **Starting Your Journey**

Two great issues are addressed in Hebrews. First, our greatest need is to discover what God has said about our desires, issues, or struggles. Second, our greatest task is to align our lives according to what He has said.





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## **Hebrews**

	Jesus Christ: Superior in His Person	Jesus Christ: Superior as Our Priest	Jesus Christ: Superior for Life
Prologue (1:1–4)	Superior to:	Better than:	Let us have:
	Prophets	Earthly priesthood	Faith to believe God
	Angels	Old covenant (Mosaic system)	Hope to endure trials
	Moses	Animal sacrifices	Love to encourage others
	The Sabbath	Daily offerings	
	Other priests		Epilon
	CHAPTERS 1:1-4:13	CHAPTERS 4:14-10:18	CHAPTERS 10:19–13:25
Emphasis	Instruction		Exhortation
Key Words	"Much better than" 1:4	"Better" 7:19	"Let us" 12:1
Warnings	2:1-4 3:7-4:1	3 5:11-6:20 10:1	9–39 12:25–29
Theme	The absolute superiority of Jesus Christ		
Key Verse	4:14		
Christ in Hebrews	Jesus is the absolutely superior revelation of God and our eternal High Priest (1:1-14; 3:1).		

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