

jesus is better.

A S T U D Y O F H E B R E W S

Jesus is the Better Word

Hebrews 1:1 – 2:4

Jesus is God's _____ to us. (vv. 1:1 – 1:14)

God is not _____.

Jesus is _____ and _____ for God.

Jesus must not be _____. (vv. 2:1-4)

Application:

- 1) Are you _____ Jesus?
- 2) Are you ignoring _____?
- 3) Are you _____ God's Word?

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My Application

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or small group.

1) What are the loudest voices vying for our attention today? What voices are speaking to you? (e.g. External voices: media, politics, friends, family, etc. Internal voices: fear, anger, romance, pleasure, longing, etc.) Do you believe God has spoken to you? Explain your personal experience in hearing from God.

2) The writer of Hebrews tells us that because He is God, Jesus speaks for God. Look at Hebrews 1 and note all the things about Jesus that make it clear He is God. Also see John 1:1-18 and Col. 1:15-20. How does this set Jesus apart from the founders of other religions?

3) We usually think of “salvation” as the work of Jesus on the cross that gets us out of hell. Here the focus is on the aspect of salvation where we are saved from our enemies (sin, persecution, trials, and death) to experience the reign of Jesus in the coming kingdom. (See 1:8-14, and 2:5). Why is it so dangerous for a believer to neglect meditating on the future reign of Jesus?

4) Evaluate your life in light of eternity. If you put your attention on Jesus and hearing “well done” at His return, how would your priorities change? Be specific.



Memory Verse

*“... how shall we escape if we ignore such a great salvation?
This salvation, which was first announced by the Lord,
was confirmed to us by those who heard him.”
– Hebrews 2:3-4*