

**THE REASONS FOR THE INCARNATION OF CHRIST pt 4
(Hebrews 2:5-18)**

II. THE SUPERIORITY OF CHRIST (Chp1-10)

D. The Superiority of Christ... He is better than...prophets & angels (chp1)

E. The First Warning and Exhortation These believers needed to Heed (2:1-4)

F. Reasons For the _____ of the Christ (2:5-18)

6. Jesus Christ became a man in order to regain _____ over the inhabited _____ in the future. (2:5-8)
 7. Jesus Christ became a man that He might _____ of sin for _____. (2:9)
 8. Jesus Christ became a man to _____ to _____. (2:10)
 9. Jesus Christ became a man to _____ believing sinners and to call them _____ (2:11-13)
 10. Jesus Christ became a man to _____ of the _____. (2:14)
 8. Jesus Christ became a man to _____ those who through _____ were all their lifetime subject to _____, especially the _____. (2:15-16)
 9. Jesus Christ became a man so that He could become a _____ and _____ in order to make _____ for the sins of the people and to provide _____ to those being _____. (2:17-18)
- What do we know about priests?
 - e. The office of priest must be taken from among _____ cf 5:1-4
 - f. The High Priest, or “great priest” as he was sometimes called in the hierarchy of priests, ministered before _____ and the nation of _____!
 - g. He was to be merciful, meaning full of _____ & _____ for the people he served!

- Where did that take place? (2:18)

h. As high priest, He was to be _____ in the execution of His office!

- What are the functions of the High Priest?

Vs 17 - His _____ responsibilities- to make _____ for the _____ of the people!

Vs 18 - His _____ responsibilities- to _____ those who are being _____!

- Why was propitiation necessary?

- Propitiation is the aspect of the _____ work of Christ that _____ all the _____ of a Holy God, so that God is free to save the _____!

3) The OT picture of propitiation was the _____ in the tabernacle & later in the temple!

c. Exodus 25:18-22 – speaks of the _____ of propitiation in the OT

d. Leviticus 16:14-15 – speaks of the _____ of propitiation by the high priest, as it was his job to _____ on the mercy seat!

4) In the NT, the fulfillment of the picture of propitiation is _____! (Romans 3:24-26)

a. The _____ of Christ is the means of propitiation ... while

b. The _____ of Christ is the place of propitiation

1 John 2:2

1 John 4:10

- What evidence do we have that God is now propitiated?

3) The declaration of Christ that... “ _____ ” meaning that sin is _____!

4) The _____ of Christ indicating that God the Father is _____ with the payment for sin Christ made!