

THE SUPERIORITY OF CHRIST'S PRIESTHOOD

Hebrews 8:1-5) pt 6

I. The Superiority Of Jesus Christ As Our Great High Priest

D. Christ's Priestly Ministry In the _____ Tabernacle In Heaven (Heb. 8:1-5)

- What is the “main point” that the writer is trying to make here in chp 8?
- Why did the writer state this here?
 1. We have _____ a high Priest.(8:1b)
- Why is he such a great high priest? Because of
 - a. His _____ / _____: He is _____ at the _____ hand of the throne of the Majesty in the heavens! (8:1)
 - b. His _____ of ministry: He ministers out of a heavenly _____ sanctuary (vs 2)
- What kind of ministries does Jesus do there?
 - 1) He will mediate the _____ from there.(8:6)
 - 2) Ephesians 1 tells us God the Father _____ Christ at His right hand in heavenly places & gave Him all _____ to rule. (Ephesians 1:19-21)
 - 3) This passage also tells us that the Father made Him _____ over all things to His _____! (Ephesians 1:22-23)
 - 4) Ephesians 4 tells us from there He gave spiritual _____ to His church! (Eph. 4:7-16)

5) From heaven He is also our heavenly _____ (1 John 2:1)

6) As our advocate, He makes _____ for the saints according to the will of God
(Romans 8:34; Hebrews 7:25)

c. His offering: _____..7:27... this will be developed more in chp 9-10 (vs 3)

d. His heavenly ministry is clearly _____ & in _____ to Levitical ministry (vs 4-5)

- Why do I say that?

1) If Jesus were on earth He would not be a _____! (8:4a)

2) There were already _____ priests who offered gifts according to the _____ (8:4b)

3) But the Levitical priests only served the _____ & _____ of the heavenly reality (8:5a)

4) In other words what Moses & later Solomon built were only shadows - man-made copies of the
_____ which God _____ & Jesus _____ in heaven! (8:5b)

- What does all this mean to you?