

# **A Great High Priest**

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**Hebrews 4:14-5:10**

## **I. A Great High Priest...Review and Introduction:**

- a. Enter God's rest by faith in Christ...Hebrews 4:1-13
- b. Hold firm to our faith in Christ...Hebrews
- c. Boldly approach God's throne of grace...Hebrews 4:16
- d. All "actions" are connected in and through Jesus...our Great High Priest

## **II. THE Great High Priest...Jesus**

- a. Two distinctive characteristics of Jesus's Priesthood...Hebrews 4:14
- b. Two distinctive characteristics of Jesus's Priestly ministry...Hebrews 4:15
- c. Two distinctive blessings of Jesus's Priestly ministry ...Hebrews 4:16

## **III. The High Priest...The Selection of a Priest**

- a. High Priest selected by God...Hebrews 5:1&4; Leviticus 9:1-2
- b. High Priest directed by God...Leviticus 16:1-6 & 15-17

## **IV. The High Priest...The Ministry of a Priest**

- a. High Priest "representative in matters related to God"...Hebrews 5:1-3
- b. High Priest offers atonement to God...Leviticus 9:7; Leviticus 16:6,11, 15-16

## **V. THE Great High Priest...The Selection of Jesus**

- a. The Great High Priest selected by God...Hebrews 5:4; Psalm 2:6-9; Psalm 110:1-7
- b. The Great High Priest designated by God...Hebrews 5:5-6; 9-10
- c. The Eternal Great High Priest...Hebrews 5:6, 9-10; Genesis 14:18-20; Hebrews 7:1-4

## **VI. THE Great High Priest...The Ministry of Jesus**

- a. The Great High Priest "representative in matters related to God"...Hebrews 5:7-8; Luke 22:39-44
- b. The Great High Priest offers atonement to God...Hebrews 5:9; John 3:14-17; 1 Peter 1: 18-21

## **VII. THE Great High Priest...Perfection and Maturity**

- a. Two more distinctive blessings of Jesus's Priestly ministry ...2 Corinthians 13:9; Ephesians 4:13; Hebrews 6:1