

THE EPISTLE TO THE HEBREWS : Getting to Know Jesus Overview

- 1. AUTHOR
 - a. The writer does not identify himself in the writing "only God knows"
 - **b.** Hebrews is not "signed" by the author

2. PURPOSE

- **a.** Hebrews was written to:
 - i. prevent readers from abandoning their faith in Christ
 - ii. exhort his readers to remain faithful to the much better things they have in Christ
- **b.** To proclaim God's glory through the teachings of church doctrine.
- c. Hebrews is unique because it presents direct warnings to the Christian:
 - i. The warning against _____
 - ii. The warning against _____
 - iii. The warning against _____
 - iv. The warning against _____
 - v. The warning against _____
 - vi. The warning against _____

3. APPLICATIONS

a. The main theme is the ______ of Jesus Christ.

b. Christ is presented as:

- i. _____
- ii. The ______ of the New Covenant
- iii. The _____

c. The need to approach Christ as _____

d. The importance of ______

4. OUTLINE

- a. Superiority of Christ as the Son of God (1-2)
- **b.** Superiority of the Son's Faithfulness (3-4)
- c. Superiority of the Son's Work (5-6)
- d. Superiority of the Son's Priesthood (7-10)
- e. Superiority of our Christian Faith (11)
- f. Superiority of the Father's Way (12)
- g. Superiority of the Christian Life in the Church (13)