

## THE EPISTLE TO THE HEBREWS

5:1-10

Intro: We continue our study which we began last week in considering the fact that the priesthood of Christ is superior to that of Aaron.

- I. The qualifications and responsibilities of the high priest as laid down in the OT Law Vs 1-4
- A. He was \_\_\_\_\_-Vs 1a *Taken from among men*
  - B. He was \_\_\_\_\_ into the office of high priest Vs 1b (*ordained-set apart for a specific purpose*) Vs 1b
    - 1. Ordained by \_\_\_\_\_ Cf. Vs 4
    - 2. Ordained to serve \_\_\_\_\_
    - 3. Ordained to serve people in things pertaining to \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. He was to offer: Vs 1c
    - 1. Gifts to \_\_\_\_\_
      - a. \_\_\_\_\_ offerings
      - b. \_\_\_\_\_ offerings
      - c. \_\_\_\_\_ offerings
      - d. \_\_\_\_\_ offerings
      - e. \_\_\_\_\_ offerings
    - 2. Sacrifices for the sins of the people-his representation before God was made effective by the offering of the sacrifices to God in behalf of the people
  - D. He was a \_\_\_\_\_ man himself Vs 2b
  - E. He was to show \_\_\_\_\_ on those he served Vs 2a
    - 1. He was to be sympathetic with those he served-his intercession for the people must be expressed from his heart, a heart affected by proper sympathy
    - 2. He was to show compassion and sympathy toward:
      - a. The \_\_\_\_\_-those "out of the way"
      - b. His compassion and sympathy must arise from the fact that he too has personal experience with human frailty
  - F. He was to sacrifice for the sins of the people Vs 3
    - 1. For \_\_\_\_\_
    - 2. For \_\_\_\_\_
- II. Christ met the requirement of High Priest Vs 5-10
- A. He was fully \_\_\_\_\_ and fully \_\_\_\_\_ Cf 1:3a
  - B. He was \_\_\_\_\_ by God Vs 5-6 Cf. Isaiah 53
  - C. He was compassionate and sympathetic with those He \_\_\_\_\_ Vs 7-8
    - 1. Matthew 26:36-42
    - 2. John 17
  - D. He offered sacrifice for the sins of the \_\_\_\_\_ Vs 9-10
    - 1. Isa 50:5-6 The Lord GOD hath opened mine ear, and I was not rebellious, neither turned away back. 6 I gave my back to the smiters, and my cheeks to them that plucked off the hair: I hid not my face from shame and spitting.
    - 2. He did not need to offer sacrifice for His sin, because He had none 4:9
    - 3. His sacrifice was a "once-for-all" sacrifice
    - 4. The difference between Christ as priest after the Melchisedec order instead of the Levitical order is the key to His \_\_\_\_\_ to Aaron as High Priest