

“Our Very Present Help”

Portrait of Our
Perfect High Priest

Hebrews 2:17-18
part 8

JESUS' GOODNESS TO HIS PEOPLE

1. Satan rendered powerless (2:14)

2. No longer enslaved to the fear of death (2:15)

- importance of Jesus taking on the likeness of men

- importance of Jesus assuming the role of High Priest

3. Jesus our propitiation (2:17)

- “expiation” *v.* “propitiation”

- significance of “propitiation”

1 Jn. 2:2; 4:10
Rom. 3:23-26

4. Jesus our protection (2:18)

- to “tempt” =

- Jesus tempted in *all things as we are*

Heb. 4:15-16

- the nature of Jesus' *help*

Mk. 9:21-24; Acts 16:9

1 Sam. 7:12; Acts 27:17

- Jesus' *ability* to help

1 Cor. 10:13

“Lord, protect me from the desire when I've the opportunity, and
from the opportunity when I've the desire.” — *anon.*

CONCLUSION