



Hebrews 7:1-28

April 21, '13

I. Abraham pays tribute to Melchisedec.

Hebrews 7:1-2

A. Abraham gave his tithe to Melchisedec.

Hebrews 7:2

1. Melchisedec a priest of God.

Hebrews 7:1

a. A priest continually.

Hebrews 7:3

1) Melchisedec did not inherit his priesthood.

Hebrews 7:3

2) His priesthood would not pass on to his children.

3) His priesthood appointed by God.

4) His priesthood would remain after his death without a priest until Christ would be appointed by God.

B. Abraham showed that Melchisedec' priesthood is greater than all priesthods, even Aaron's & Levi's.

Hebrews 7:4-10

II. The Levitical priesthood was not perfect.

Hebrews 7:11-14

A. Limited by one tribe, Levi.

Hebrews 7:12-13

1. Jesus is of the tribe of Juda.

Hebrews 7:14

B. Made after the law of a carnal commandment.

Hebrews 7:15-16

1. Not after the power of an endless life.

Hebrews 7:16-17

- C. The law made nothing perfect.** Hebrew 7:18-19
- 1. The law is the knowledge of sin.** Romans 3:20
 - 2. A better hope did.** Hebrews 7:19
 - a. The law is weak.** Romans 8:3-4
 - 3. Draw nigh unto God.** Hebrews 7:19
 - a. Made nigh by the blood of Christ.** Ephesians 2:13-18
- D. The priests are made without an oath.** Hebrews 7:20-21
- 1. Jesus a priest by an oath.** Hebrews 7:21-22
- E. Many priests, because of death.** Hebrews 7:23
- 1. Jesus has an unchangeable priesthood.** Hebrews 7:24
 - a. Jesus can save to the uttermost.** Hebrews 7:25
- F. Had to offer sacrifices daily.** Hebrews 7:27
- 1. Jesus offered one sacrifice.** Hebrews 7:26-27
- G. Sinners were made high priests by the law.** Hebrews 7:28
- 1. Jesus, who is holy, was made our high priest by an oath.** Hebrews 7:28