

Discover the New Testament – Hebrews 1

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The first chapter tells us:

- Who Jesus is
- What Jesus did
- The price Jesus paid
- Jesus is God in the flesh

Hebrew 1:1-6 – ¹ God, who at various times and in various ways spoke in **time past** to the fathers **by the prophets**, ² has in these **last days** spoken to us **by His Son**, whom He has appointed heir of all things, through whom also He made the worlds; ³ who being the brightness of His glory and the express image of His person, and upholding all things by the word of His power, when He had by Himself purged our sins, sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high, ⁴ having become so much better than the angels, as He has by inheritance obtained a more excellent name than they. ⁵ For to which of the angels did He ever say: "You are My Son, Today I have begotten You"? And **again**: "I will be to Him a Father, And He shall be to Me a Son"? ⁶ But when He again brings the firstborn into the world, He says: "Let all the angels of God worship Him."

What event is the Father referencing when He says:

- "You are My Son, today I have begotten You"
- "I will be to Him a Father, and He shall be to Me a Son"
- "Let all the angels of God worship Him"

Acts 13:28-33 – ²⁸ And though they found no cause for death in Him, they asked Pilate that He should be put to death. ²⁹ Now when they had fulfilled all that was written concerning Him, they took Him down from the tree and laid Him in a tomb. ³⁰ But **God raised Him from the dead**. ³¹ He was seen for many days by those who came up with Him from Galilee to Jerusalem, who are His witnesses to the people. ³² And we declare to you glad tidings — that promise which was made to the fathers. ³³ God has fulfilled this for us their children, in that **He has raised up Jesus**. As it is also written in the second Psalm: '**You are My Son, Today I have begotten You.**'

Why did He say AGAIN:

- "I will be a Father to Him and He shall be to me a Son?"
- "Let the angels worship Him." Why did they stop?

Where did Jesus go for the three days and three nights?

John 20:16-17 – ¹⁶ Jesus said to her, Mary. She turned herself, and said to him, Rabboni; which is to say, Master. ¹⁷ Jesus said to her, Touch me not; for I am **not yet ascended to my**

Father: but go to my brethren, and say unto them, I ascend unto my Father, and your Father; and to my God, and your God.

Matthew 12:39-40 – ³⁹ He answered, "A wicked and adulterous generation asks for a miraculous sign! But none will be given it except the sign of the prophet Jonah. ⁴⁰ For as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of a huge fish, so the Son of Man will be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth.

Acts 2:22-27 – ²² Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a Man attested by God to you by miracles, wonders, and signs which God did through Him in your midst, as you yourselves also know — ²³ Him, being delivered by the determined purpose and foreknowledge of God, you have taken by lawless hands, have crucified, and put to death; ²⁴ whom God raised up, having loosed the pains of death, because it was not possible that He should be held by it. ²⁵ For David says concerning Him: 'I foresaw the LORD always before my face, For He is at my right hand, that I may not be shaken. ²⁶ Therefore my heart rejoiced, and my tongue was glad; Moreover my flesh also will rest in hope. ²⁷ **For You will not leave my soul in Hell**, Nor will You allow Your Holy One to see corruption.

The Father declares Jesus is God!

Hebrews 1:7-8 – ⁷ And of the angels He says: "Who makes His angels spirits And His ministers a flame of fire." ⁸ But to the Son He says: "**Your throne, O God**, is forever and ever; A scepter of righteousness is the scepter of Your kingdom."