

# THE BOOK OF HEBREWS



THE GOD WHO SPEAKS (1:1-4)

# OUR TEACHING OUTLINE

## ***“THE GOD WHO SPEAKS”***

### **I. God Speaks to His People (vv.1-2a)**

- A. God speaks through His prophets (v.1)
- B. God’s final speaking is through His Son (v.2a)

### **II. God’s Relationship with His Son (vv.2b-c)**

- A. The appointment of His Son as His Heir (v.2b)
- B. Creation of the Ages through the Son (v.2c)

### **III. Jesus’ Enthronement at His Father’s Right Hand (vv.3-4)**

- A. Jesus’ Credentials (v.3a-c)
  - 1. His Personal Qualities (3a, b)
    - a. His Nature as the Son (3a, b)
    - b. His Power of Sustaining (3b)
  - 2. His Performance of Purification (3c)
- B. Jesus’ Enthronement (3d)
- C. Jesus’ Relationship with the Angels (4)
  - 1. Superior Rank (4a)
  - 2. Superior Name (4b)

# **I. GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE**

## **1:1-2a**

**THERE IS NO INTRODUCTION**

**+ WRITER DOESN'T NAME HIMSELF.**

**+ SINCE "LETTER" IS A SERMON.**

**- THE FATHER IS THE SPEAKER!**

**- JESUS IS HIS MOUTHPIECE!**

**- THE HOLY SPIRIT INSPIRES!**

**+ THE WRITER INCLUDES HIMSELF IN  
THE LISTENING CONGREGATION.**

**BASIC THEME: GOD IS THE SPEAKER OF  
HIS STORY TO THE WORLD.**

# **A. GOD SPEAKING THROUGH THE PROPHETS (1:1)**

**IN FORMER TIMES (BEFORE JESUS SENT)  
+ GOD SPOKE THROUGH...**



**MOSES (9:19)**



**ABRAHAM (11:18)**



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MOSES (9:19)

ABRAHAM (11:18)

THE PROPHETS (9:19)

## **B. GOD'S FINAL SPEAKING THROUGH HIS SON (1:2a)**

**THE FATHER'S FINAL AND CULMINATING  
ADDRESS IS ONLY THROUGH HIS SON,  
JESUS (5:5).**

- + GOD'S ONLY MOUTHPIECE IS JESUS.**
- + ONLY THROUGH JESUS DO ALL MEN  
HEAR GOD'S VOICE.**
- THE MESSAGE: SALVATION!**

# B. GOD'S FINAL SPEAKING THROUGH HIS SON (1:2a)

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John 14:6

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S JESUS.  
ALL MEN

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## **B. GOD'S FINAL SPEAKING THROUGH HIS SON (1:2a)**

**HOW DOES GOD CONTINUE SPEAKING?**

**+ THROUGH THE BODY & BLOOD OF  
HIS SON**

**- THAT CLEANSSES AND  
SANCTIFIES**

**- 9:14; 10:29; 12:24; & 13:12**





## **B. GOD'S FINAL SPEAKING THROUGH HIS SON (1:2a)**

**HOW DOES GOD CONTINUE SPEAKING?**

- + THROUGH HIS CALLED SERVANTS**
  - THEY ARE TO PROCLAIM LAW  
AND GOSPEL**
  - 13:7**



## **B. GOD'S FINAL SPEAKING THROUGH HIS SON (1:2a)**

**SO GOD SPOKE  
“FORMERLY”  
THROUGH THE  
PROPHETS.**





## **B. GOD'S FINAL SPEAKING THROUGH HIS SON (1:2a)**

**IN THESE  
LAST  
DAYS, HE  
HAS  
SPOKEN  
THROUGH  
HIS SON,  
JESUS  
CHRIST.**



# **B. GOD'S RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS SON (1:2b)**

**+ JESUS IS THE ROYAL  
HEIR**

**+ THE FATHER  
APPOINTED JESUS  
TO BE THE HEIR OF  
ALL THINGS!**

**+ Ps. 2:7, 8**





# B. GOD'S RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS SON (1:2b)

+ SINCE JESUS IS THE ROYAL HEIR

+ HE HAS THE ROYAL  
NAME (v.4)

+ WHICH MAKES JESUS  
THE KING (v.3)

+ THE CO-REGENT (v.8)

+ WITH ROYAL POWER  
AND AUTHORITY (v.8)



# B. GOD'S RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS SON (1:2b)

**+ SINCE JESUS IS THE ROYAL HEIR**

**+ HE WEARS THE ROYAL  
CROWN (2:9);**

**+ RULES THE HEAVENLY  
HOUSE (3:6);**

**+ THE HEAVENLY COURT  
(v.6, 9, 14);**

**+ AND THE ROYAL CITY  
AND ALL ITS CITIZENS  
(12:22).**





# B. GOD'S RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS SON (1:2b)

**+ JESUS HAS THE AUTHORITY TO:**

- + RULE THE ROYAL DOMAIN; SINCE,**
- + WITH HIS FATHER, HE IS THE CO-CREATOR.**
- + THEREFORE, ONLY THE SON IS UNIQUELY QUALIFIED TO JOIN HIS FATHER IN THE CREATION OF ALL!**





# NEXT WEEK

