## **HEBREWS**

**Summary Of Hebrews**: The author (unknown) is writing to Jewish believers who have left Judaism for Christianity, are suffering persecution from fellow Jews, and now want to go back to Judaism. His theme is, do not go back, but "go on to perfection [spiritual maturity]" (6:1). Why? Because Jesus is superior to the Judaic system. He is the superior Person (1-6), His Priesthood is superior to that of Aaron (7-10), and the principle of faith is superior to that of the law (11-13). Pressing on in Christ will produce faith, self-discipline, and love, evidenced in good works.

## **HEBREWS 1**

## JESUS—SON OF GOD

## **Chapter 1**

**Summary**: Jesus is the Son of God--better than the prophets and the angels.

- I. Better than the prophets (1-3), He is: (A) the Son (1-2a); (B) the Heir (2b); (C) the Maker (2c); (D) the Glory (3a); (E) the Image (3b); (F) the Sustainer (3c); (G) the Atoner (3d); (H) the Ruler (3e).
- **II.** Better than the angels (4-14), He is: (A) the Son (4-5); (B) the Firstborn (6); (C) the Served (7); (D) God (8-9); (E) the Creator (10-12); (F) the Sovereign (13-14).

**Lesson:** Come to Jesus, receive Him, worship Him, and never leave Him.