



Why Jesus is Better Than Moses

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Hebrews 3:1-6

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What we have seen so far ...

- The Theme of the Book - Jesus is "Better" ...

Than The O.T. Prophets (1:1-4)

Than Angels (1:5-14)

Because He Became One of Us (2:1-18)

Where we are headed ...

- Jesus is Better than Moses (3:1-6)

Moses' Life (Exodus 2:3; Deuteronomy 34:5-7)

Moses' Legacy (Exodus 2 through Exodus 34)

- Therefore ... "consider Jesus, the Apostle and High Priest of our confession;" (3:1)

LESSON - Jesus is Better Than Moses (3:1-6)

I. JESUS IS BETTER THAN MOSES IN HIS POSITION. vs. 2-4

The Similarities v. 2

Both were FAITHFUL. "*faithful to him*"

Moses (Number 12:7)

Jesus (John 6:38-39, 8:29, 17:4-5)

Both had a HOUSE. "*... in all his house.*"

Moses - The O.T. believers

Jesus - The N.T. believers (i.e. the Church)

The Differences vs. 3-4

"... so much as the builder of the house has more honor than the house ... But the builder of all things is God."

The Point - Jesus is better than Moses because He was not just a faithful servant in the house, but the BUILDER of the house.

II. JESUS IS BETTER THAN MOSES IN HIS PERSON. vs. 5-6

Moses was a SERVANT. v. 5

"Now Moses was faithful in all His house as a servant ..."

"... for a testimony of those things which were to be spoken later."

Jesus was a SON. v. 6

"But Christ was faithful as a Son over His house ..." (cf. 1 Timothy 3:15)

The Point - Jesus is better than Moses because He was not like Moses who was a servant in another man's house, but a Son OVER His own house.

Today's Growth Points - Hebrews 3:1-6 requires us to do 2 things ...

- 1) Make sure your FOCUS is on Jesus.
- 2) Make sure your FAITH is genuine.