

Hebrews – Jesus is the High Priest of the Perfect Covenant
(Part 17) Vertical and Horizontal Intimacy

So far in Hebrews, we've seen several enlightening comparisons.

The Old Testament worship system was to be a picture of heaven, _____ in Jesus.

The New Covenant between God and his people is better than the Old Covenant. (Heb.10:16)

Jesus offered a better sacrifice than the sacrifices of the Old Covenant. (Heb.10:17-18)

(Hebrews 10:19-22) _____ beyond comprehension.

(v.19) We can boldly enter God's most holy presence through the sacrifice of Christ.

Bold = free and fearless confidence, _____ courage, complete assurance

All who are in Christ have access to the Holy of Holies; the intimate presence of God.

(v.20) Jesus is the only means to reach the Father. (John 14:6)

The curtain symbolized the _____ of God and man.

He tore the physical and spiritual curtain which kept people from God's holy presence. (Matt. 27:50-51)

(v.21) Jesus, our great high priest is at the right hand of the Father and rules over God's house granting access.

(John 10:1-10)

(v.22) Only those whose hearts are _____ can enter the throne room of God.

Sincere means fully trusting, with no doubt.

Jesus cleanses our hearts and consciences with His own _____. (Hebrews 9:13-14)

Jesus washes us with his _____ (Eph. 5:25-27)

(v.23) Hold on tightly and don't let go.

When a person makes a serious commitment to following Jesus, their life suddenly gets harder.

Those who truly trust in God do so even when their circumstances look _____ or insurmountable.

(v.24-25) Motivating, gathering, and encouraging.

When we truly belong to God, our relationships with one another ought to affect us.

In Christ, we should _____ and _____ when people around us have a need.

We need intimate fellowship with God and with other children of God.

As God's people, we should care enough about one another to be _____ encouragers. (1 Corinthians 12:12-27)