

LESSON 12
A SUPERIOR PRIESTHOOD
HEBREWS 7:11-28

I. The New Priesthood (7:11-19)

A. The need (7:11-12)

1. The question (7:11)

- If perfection were found in the Mosaic system, why do we _____?
- The other priest is of the order of Melchizedek and _____.

2. A change of the system (7:12)

- It was necessary to change the priesthood which in turn _____.
- The entire system was changed with _____.

B. The tribe of origin (7:13-14)

- This new High Priest comes from another tribe that _____.
- Our Lord Jesus Christ arose from _____.
- Moses never spoke of Judah in relationship to _____.

C. A new priest arises (7:15-17)

- This is evident if a priest like _____.
- This priest has not come because of the law, but rather because of _____.
- The Lord declares Jesus to be a priest forever according to _____.

D. A better hope (7:18-19)

1. The weakness of the former (7:18-19a)

- The former commandment was set aside because it was _____.
- The law did not _____.

2. Hope that brings near (7:19b)

- It is through the better hope, which is Jesus, that we can _____.

II. Jesus as Priest (7:20-28)

A. By an oath (7:20-22)

- The Levitical priests became _____.
- The Lord has sworn an oath concerning Jesus becoming _____.
- Because of this oath, Jesus has become _____.

B. The old priesthood (7:23)

- The old priesthood was limited by death so that there _____.

C. The permanence of the new priesthood (7:24)

- Jesus' priesthood lasts forever because _____.

D. The functions of the priest (7:25-27)

- As high priest, he is able to completely save those who _____.
- Jesus lives to _____.
- He is a fitting High Priest for our needs, since he was _____.
- Unlike the Levitical priests, he does not need to _____.
- He died once for all our sins as he offered _____.

E. The appointment of the priest (7:28)

- The Mosaic Law appointed _____.
- The oath of God appointed _____.