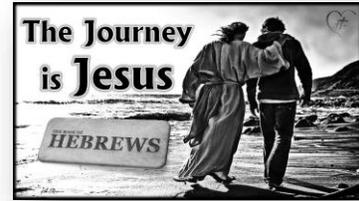




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“YOU’RE OFF *the* HOOK!”
Our Perfect Advocate
HEBREWS 8th 1-13

- ***The Value of an Attorney!***

➤ 1 JOHN 2:1, 2 “...we have an advocate with the Father—Jesus Christ...”

Jesus is a Better Priest because...

1. HE SERVES *in a* BETTER _____ vss. 1-5

2. HE SERVES *with* BETTER _____ vss. 6-13

- ***Israel during the Times of Jeremiah***
- ***King Manasseh*** 2 KINGS 21

New Covenant Promises...

a. GOD MAKES US _____ HEBREWS 8:10b; JOHN 14:17; 16:13

→ ***Old Covenant: Did Not Change Us***

b. GOD MAKES US _____ HEBREWS 8:10c; ROMANS 8:15

→ ***Old Covenant: Required Strict Obedience***

c. GOD MAKES US _____ HEBREWS 8:12; 7:27; 1 JOHN 3:20, 21

→ ***Old Covenant: Required Continual Sacrifice***

The New Covenant...

- ***We are Permanently _____ because He is in us.***
- ***We are Permanently _____ because He adopted us.***
- ***We are Permanently _____ because He sacrificed Himself for us.***

➤ JOHN 1:12, 13

LIFE GROUP STUDY NOTES
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GETTING STARTED *“In your opinion...”*

1. In Sunday’s message we looked at the benefit of Jesus as our High Priest comparing Him to an attorney representing us in a court case. Was there anything from the sermon that was helpful, eye-opening, troubling, or confusing?
2. Have you ever had to hire an attorney? Was it a good experience or a bad experience? Explain.
3. How does Jesus’s advocacy on our behalf relieve us of feelings of guilt and accusations from others, or even our self? What does Grace have to do with it?
4. How should the *weight* of the authority of God’s throne room where Jesus advocates for us affect/impact the *weight* of guilt accusations we may feel from Satan, the world, or even our self?

GOING DEEPER *“According to the Bible...”*

Answer the following questions from what the Bible says in the suggested reading

- **Read Job 1:6-12 and 2:1-7. What is Satan doing in this story with regard to Job?**
- **Read Revelation 12:9, 10. How does this passage describe Satan? Would it be fair to say that when accusations fly, Satan just might be in the middle of it? Explain.**
- **Read Romans 7:14-25. The great apostle Paul who wrote 13 letters that were included in the New Testament, is admitting to a deep struggle here. What is his struggle? He identifies only one way out of this struggle. What is it?**
- **Read 1 John 3:20, 21. What do these verses teach about what to do with feelings of guilt?**
- **Read 1 John 1:9. What does this verse teach us to do if we are in fact guilty of sin?**
- **Read John 21:15-19. After Peter denied Jesus three times, what did Jesus do to reinstate their relationship and reinstate Peter to a life of serving Him?**

LIVING OUT

- **On what should we build our life, feelings of our guilt or faith in His grace?**