

December 21 Questions

- 1) Hebrews was an _____ letter to the Christian community in _____, who had recently gone through a time of _____. Many of them were discouraged and in danger of _____ from faith in Christ. Knowing this, the author of Hebrews warned his readers of the peril of _____ and urged them to endure to the end by _____. He did this by proving the _____ of Jesus and his covenant, and then calling the disciples to remain firm in their _____ to Christ. The author began by showing that the OT proclaims the Messiah to be the _____ of God (Ps 2; 45; 110). This means that Jesus is _____ than the angels, for they are ministering spirits sent out to _____ for the sake of the saints (Heb 1:14). This teaches us that we should pay very close _____ to what Jesus has said, lest we _____ away from it. The author continued by showing that the OT also proclaims the Messiah to be the son of _____ (Ps 8:4–6; Heb 2:9). As man, Jesus was made _____ than the angels for a little while, but _____ he is crowned with glory and honor, and all things will be put in _____ under his feet. His incarnation means that he is _____ and blood just like us, and his obedient suffering _____ him to be our High Priest. He made _____ for our sins, and because he himself _____ when tempted, he is able to help us when we are tempted. The author then showed that Jesus is superior to _____ (Heb 3:1). Moses was a faithful _____ in God's house, but Jesus was faithful *over* God's house as _____ and _____. If we remain _____, like Moses, then we will be a part of Jesus' house. But if we _____, like those Moses led from Egypt, then we will not enter God's _____. This teaches us to fear the danger of _____.