## **December 22 Questions**

1)	Having introduced the theme of Jesus as High Priest, the author continued by saying that Jesus was			
	a priest after the orde	er of	(Heb 5:10). He was	s about to explain the significance of
	this truth, when he paused and rebuked his readers for their			hearing (Heb 5:11).
	They knew the truth, but they were no longer responding in to God's voice. T			
	teaches us the importance of consistent obedience to God's Word, for if we become negligent and			
	indifferent to the Spirit's guidance, we will regress into			, , and
				the Spirit to carry us
	forward to maturity. We should be able to others the basics of the Christian faith, and			
	we should be	our powe	ers of discernment to dist	inguish good from evil (Heb 5:12–
	6:2). The author continued by showing the Jesus' priesthood, after the order of Melchizedek, is			
	superior to the priest	hood of	_ as given by the Law. Jes	sus took his office by God's
	the Levitical priests d	id not. Jesus cont	tinues in his priestly role _	; the Levitical priests all
	died. Jesus lived a	life; tl	he Levitical priests all sinn	ed. Jesus offered himself
	for; the Levitical priests offered animals over and over. Not only that, but Jesus'			
	is bet	ter, his	is better, his	is better, and his
	is be	tter.		