

A Journey through the Bible

Hebrews

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Introduction

I. Who Wrote the Letter and Who Received It

A. Who received it — chapter 10:32-35

Verse 33 — The letter was written to Christians "refers to them as being public spectacle" and were enduring a time of trial either directly or indirectly.

B. Who wrote the letter — chapter 13:18

II. When was It Written and Why

A. Why was it written — chapter 2:1; 3:12-13

To encourage those discouraged believers

B. When was it written

64-68 A.D.

III. An Outline of the Book

A. Introduction — chapter 1:1-4

Theme is — Jesus Our Lord

B. Christ is superior — chapter 1:5 —chapter 10

1. He is superior in His Person — chapter 1:5-chapter 4

2. He is superior as our Priest **AL** chapters 5-10

C. He is sufficient for all of life — chapters 11-13

N. Some Thoughts about the Book

Notice how Christ is superior

- A. He is superior to the prophets — chapter 1:1-2
- B. He is superior to the angels — chapter 1:5; chapter 2:8-9
- C. He is superior to Moses — chapter 3:3
- D. He is superior to Joshua — chapter 4:8
- E. He is superior in his qualifications — chapters 5-10
- F. The superiority of the power of Christ — chapter 11
- G. The power of hope in Christ — chapter 12
- H. The power of love of Christ — chapter 13

There is a series of things (proverbs) that he wants people to grasp

1. verse 2a

2. verse 3a

3. verse 4a

4. verse 5a

5. verse 7 — remember those that shaped your life

6. verse 9 — there is a warning

7. verses 10-13 — reminds us of the altar we have

8. verse 14 — a lasting city which is ours to claim

9. verse 15 — offer up praise continually

10. verse 18 — he asks for prayer

Just a series of statements on living happily