

# HEBREWS

## Getting Acquainted with the Book of Hebrews

### - ANSWERS ARE IN [BRACKETS] AFTER EACH QUESTION -

1. Name the book in the New Testament that comes just before this book:  
\_\_\_\_\_ [PHILEMON]
2. The book of \_\_\_\_\_ comes right after the Book of Hebrews in the New Testament. [JAMES]
3. How many chapters are in the Book of Hebrews? \_\_\_\_\_ [13]
4. Which is the longest chapter in this book? \_\_\_\_\_ How many verses are in that chapter? \_\_\_\_\_ [CHAPTER 11; 40 VERSES]
5. Two chapters have only 14 verses, but there's one chapter that's shorter. Which chapter is it and how many verses does it have?  
Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ Verses \_\_\_\_\_ [CHAPTER 8; 13 VERSES]
6. The author of Hebrews doesn't identify himself by name in this book, but he does name a co-worker in Hebrews 13:23. Who is this "brother"? \_\_\_\_\_ [Timothy]
7. The book is named Hebrews because it was written to Jewish Christians in the first century. But we read about several other Hebrews in this book, all of whom lived long before the time of Jesus. Name them:
  - A. \_\_\_\_\_ (2:16) [Abraham]
  - B. \_\_\_\_\_ (3:2) [Moses]
  - C. \_\_\_\_\_ (5:4) [Aaron]
  - D. \_\_\_\_\_ (7:5) [Levi]
  - E. \_\_\_\_\_ (7:14) [Judah]
  - F. \_\_\_\_\_ (11:11) [Sarah]
  - G. \_\_\_\_\_ (11:22) [Joseph]
8. One of the major themes of the book is how Jesus is superior to previous systems for fellowship with God. The word "better" is used over a dozen times in the book. Some of the "better" things include:

- A. “Having become so much better than the \_\_\_\_\_, as He has by inheritance obtained a more excellent \_\_\_\_\_ than they.” (1:4) [ANGELS, NAME]
- B. “we are confident of better things concerning you, yes, things that \_\_\_\_\_, though we speak in this manner.” (6:9) [ACCOMPANY SALVATION]
- C. “Now beyond all contradiction the \_\_\_\_\_ is blessed by the better.” (7:7) [LESSER]
- D. “for the law made nothing perfect; on the other hand, there is the bringing in of a better \_\_\_\_\_, through which we draw near to God.” (7:19) [HOPE]
- E. “by so much more Jesus has become a surety of a better \_\_\_\_\_.” (7:22). [COVENANT]
- F. “But now He has obtained a more excellent \_\_\_\_\_, inasmuch as He is also Mediator of a better \_\_\_\_\_, which was established on better \_\_\_\_\_.” (8:6) [MINISTRY; COVENANT; PROMISES]
- G. “Therefore it was necessary that the copies of the things in the heavens should be purified with these, but the heavenly things themselves with better \_\_\_\_\_ than these.” (9:23). [SACRIFICES]
- H. “for you had compassion on me in my chains, and joyfully accepted the plundering of your goods, knowing that you have a better and an enduring \_\_\_\_\_ for yourselves in \_\_\_\_\_” (10:34) [POSSESSION, HEAVEN]
- I. “But now they desire a better, that is, a heavenly \_\_\_\_\_ . Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for He has prepared a \_\_\_\_\_ for them.” (11:16) [COUNTRY, CITY]
- J. “to Jesus the Mediator of the new \_\_\_\_\_, and to the blood of sprinkling that speaks better \_\_\_\_\_ than that of \_\_\_\_\_” (12:24). [COVENANT; THINGS ABEL]