

OUTLINE AND STRUCTURE OF THE BOOK OF HEBREWS

1. Is Anybody Listening? (Hebrews 1:1-3)
2. Greater than Angels (Hebrews 1:4-2:18)
3. Greater than Moses (Hebrews 3:1-4:13)
4. Greater than Aaron the High Priest (Hebrews 4:14-5:10)
5. Pilgrims Should Make Progress (Hebrews 5:11-6:20)
6. Mysterious Melchizedek (Hebrews 7)
7. The Better Covenant (Hebrews 8)
8. The Superior Sanctuary (Hebrews 9)
9. The Superior Sacrifice (Hebrews 10)
10. God's Power Manifested Through Faith (Hebrews 11)
11. Stay in the Running! (Hebrews 12)
12. The Obedience of Faith (Hebrews 13)

It Is a Book of Exhortation

The writer calls this epistle "the word of exhortation" (Heb. 13:22). There are five warning or exhortation sections:

- Drifting from the Word - 2:1-4 (neglect)
- Doubting the Word - 3:7-4:13 (hard heart)
- Dullness toward the Word - 5:11-6:20 (sluggishness)
- Despising the Word - 10:26-39 (willfulness)
- Defying the Word - 12:14-29 (refusing to hear)