

# THE MYSTERY OF THE INCARNATION

THE FINAL WORD: KNOWING CHRIST THROUGH HEBREWS | HEBREWS 2:1-18  
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*"Because he himself suffered when he was tempted,  
he is able to help those who are being tempted." (Hebrews 2:18)*

## Pay Attention! (Hebrews 2:1-4)

- Jesus' Radiance (Hebrews 1:1-4)
- Jesus' Superiority (Hebrews 1:5-15)
- A Warning

## Who is this Jesus? Themes on the Incarnation (Hebrews 2:5-18)

- Death (vv. 9, 14-15) and Glory (vv. 7, 9, 10)
- Humanity (vv. 6-8, 10-11, 14-17) and Deity (vv. 9-10, 11-13, 16)
- Deliverance (vv. 9, 10, 14-16, 18) and Temptation/Suffering (vv. 9-10, 18)

## Jesus Revealed

### Now what?

- Pay Attention
- Model/Reflect Him
- Trust His Experiences

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Spend time re-reading Hebrews 2:1-4. What are the things that the author wants us to remember from chapter 1?
2. What are the witness that the author speaks of in verse 4?
3. In Hebrews 2:5-18 there are many repeating themes, spend time listing all the recurring themes, how do these themes point to Jesus and the Incarnation?
4. What does it mean personally to you that Jesus was tempted so that He can identify with us and help us?
5. How can we be comforted with a God who identifies with us?
6. In what ways does incarnation teach us to respond to the world around us?
7. How can you personally live out the lessons of the incarnation today?
8. Finish this time in prayer asking God to allow Jesus to work through you in your relationships with your friends, family, neighbors, work community, and all other areas you may spend time with people.

## DIG DEEPER:

Dig deeper into Hebrews 2:1-18 this week in one of the following ways:

- Read through the Old Testament References Psalm 8, 22, and Isaiah 8. Note the ways they are foretelling the Incarnation.
- Create a list of reasons that make the Incarnation important to you. Share it with a friend.
- Explore videos and podcasts about "The Son of Man" for a deeper understanding of the Incarnation. Find these online at <https://bibleproject.com/explore/son-of-man/>.





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## KNOWING CHRIST THROUGH HEBREWS

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**Sunday, April 19**

**JESUS, THE FINAL WORD**

*Hebrews 1:1-4*

**Sunday, April 26**

**JESUS, KING OF ANGELS**

*Hebrews 1:4-15*

**Sunday, May 3**

**THE MYSTERY OF THE INCARNATION**

*Hebrews 2:1-18*

**Sunday, May 10**

**GOD'S HOUSE**

*Hebrews 3:1-6*

**Sunday, May 17**

**SOFT HEARTED**

*Hebrews 3:7-19*

**Sunday, May 24**

**FINDING REST IN GOD**

*Hebrews 4:1-13*

**Sunday, May 31**

**JESUS THE HIGH PRIEST**

*Hebrews 4:14-5:10*

**Sunday, June 7**

**MOVE TO MATURITY**

*Hebrews 5:11-6:12*

**Sunday, June 14**

**ANCHORED IN HOPE**

*Hebrews 6:13-20*

**Sunday, June 21**

**UNLIKE ANY OTHER**

*Hebrews 7:1-25*

**Sunday, June 28**

**NEW PROMISE**

*Hebrews 7:26-8:13*

**Sunday, July 5**

**DEEP WORSHIP**

*Hebrews 9:1-28*

**Sunday, July 12**

**SUFFICIENT**

*Hebrews 10:1-18*

**Sunday, July 19**

**PERSEVERE**

*Hebrews 10:19-39*

**Sunday, July 26**

**FAITH**

*Hebrews 11:1-3*

**Sunday, August 2**

**LIVING FAITH**

*Hebrews 11:4-40*

**Sunday, August 9**

**CONSIDER JESUS**

*Hebrews 12:1-3*

**Sunday, August 16**

**RUN**

*Hebrews 12:1-11*

**Sunday, August 23**

**MAKE EVERY EFFORT**

*Hebrews 12:12-29*

**Sunday, August 30**

**A FINAL WORD**

*Hebrews 13:1-22*

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