

Series: The Book of Hebrews

Title: The Superiority of Christ – Introduction to Hebrews

Text: Hebrews 1:2

Title: What the Gospel is Not (and Is).

Text: Various

I. Introduction to the Book of Hebrews.

- A. The Author.
- B. The Audience.
- C. The Date of Writing.
- D. The Purpose of the Book.
- E. Context in Broader Canon and History.

II. Major Themes in Hebrews.

- A. The Superiority of Christ Himself.
- B. The Superiority of the New Covenant.
- C. Application of His Superiority.
- D. Major Warnings of Hebrews.

1. It is Not First and Foremost About People
Acts 17:22ff.

2. It is not primarily about heaven 2 Co. 5:4-9.

3. It is not primarily about happiness Isa. 53:3;
2Co 5:7-9

4. It is not a set of rules Gal. 2:16;21; 3:2,3.

5. It is not one among peers John 14:6; Gal
1:6-9.

6. It is not for “good people” Rom 3:10,11;23;
Isa 13:11; Rom 6:23; Luke 5:31-32 .

7. It is not a philosophy 2 Tim 2:15-17; Col 2:6-8

8. It is not cheap 1Co 6:20; Rom 8:32; 1Pe
1:18-19; Heb 10:28-29.

9. It is not weak 1Co 1:18; Rom 1:16; Col
3:5-6.

10. It is not always going to be available 2 Co
6:2; Heb 3:10-15; Luke 16:24-26.