

# **CHRIST: A PRIEST IN THE ORDER OF MELCHIZEDEK HEBREWS 7:1-10**

## **I. THOUGHT #1 - THE SUPERIOR PRIESTHOOD OF JESUS CHRIST EXPLAINED (7:1-3)**

- A. Fact #1 - Melchizedek Was King Of Salem (7:1a)
- B. Fact #2 - Melchizedek Was Priest Of The Most High God (7:1b)
- C. Fact #3 - Melchizedek Met Abraham (7:1c-2)
  - 1. Abraham Was Returning From The Slaughter Of The Kings (7:1c)
  - 2. Abraham Gave Melchizedek One Tenth Of Everything (7:2a)
- D. Fact #4 - Melchizedek Was A King Of Righteousness (7:2b)
- E. Fact #5 - Melchizedek Was King Of Peace (7:2c)
- F. Fact #6 - Melchizedek Did Not Have A Normal Genealogy (7:3a)
- G. Fact #7 - Melchizedek Had A Timeless Priesthood (7:3b)

## **II. THOUGHT #2 - THE SUPERIOR PRIESTHOOD OF JESUS CHRIST CONTRASTED (7:4-10)**

- A. Superior Contrast Point #1 - Melchizedek Was Superior To Abraham (7:4-7)
  - 1. Proved By The Offering Abraham Gave To Melchizedek (7:4-6a)
  - 2. Proved By The Prayer Melchizedek Offered For Abraham (7:6b-7)
- B. Superior Contrast Point #2 - Melchizedek Was Superior To Levi (7:8-10)
  - 1. Superior In Duration (7:8)
  - 2. Superior In Position (7:9-10)