



“BECOMING MAN” Part 2

HEBREWS 2:5-18

SELECTED SUPPORT SCRIPTURES

- I. **“...BUT WE SEE JESUS...”** HEBREWS 2:5-9
- A. *This is my Father’s world; He made the whole cosmos by, through and for the Lord Jesus Christ*
 - B. *It is made for HUMANS and not for angels; angels will never inherit the earth or the cosmos*
 - C. *He has put all things under the Son of Man’s feet*
 - D. **The INCARNATION is to return the rule of earth to man; dethrone angelic powers legally**
 - E. *Though we do not see the effects yet of this transfer of power, we do see Jesus,*
 - 1. *Made a little lower than the angels (incarnation)*
 - 2. **For the suffering of death** *(to experience death as an eternal being; to defeat death)*
 - 3. **To taste of death for everyone** *(He died in the place of everyone; it is only applicable to those who believe Him)*
 - 4. **To that one who believes Jesus is God in the flesh; who believes He died for him; who believes He was raised again from the dead defeating death, has eternal life and is saved from the great judgment**
- II. **“...it was fitting for Him,...”** Hebrews 2:10-13
- A. *This world is His by the word of God; unchangeable*



- B. But for others to share that with Him, it is fitting for Him to be one of them in person and to experience what they experience: sufferings*
- C. The INCARNATION with its sufferings and identification with the sufferers brings many sons to glory: restores to them the glory of the image of God with which we were created.*
- D. The INCARNATION unites the sons of glory with the Son of God/Son of Man and sanctifies them as a holy people together. They are One!*

III. “...He might destroy him who had the power of death...”
HEBREWS 2:14-18

- A. Crush the head - the devil*
- B. The INCARNATION releases those who fear death from the bondage of the wicked one*
- C. The INCARNATION made Jesus a merciful and faithful High Priest in things pertaining to God*
- D. The INCARNATION allowed Jesus to make propitiation for the sins of the people with whom He identified; He dies for their sins*
- E. The INCARNATION with the following RESURRECTION and ASCENSION to the right hand of God puts Jesus in the position eternally of intercession for the people*
- F. Because He has suffered as we have, being tempted, He is able to aid those who are tempted*