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Exploring the Letter to the Hebrews: 30 Key Questions

Chapter 1-2: Christ's Superiority Over Angels

1. What is the main theme of Hebrews Chapter 1?
2. How does the author of Hebrews describe Christ in relation to creation? (Heb 1:2-3)
3. Why does the Letter to the Hebrews emphasize Christ's superiority over angels? (Heb 1:4-5)
4. Why is Christ's humanity important in His superiority over angels? (Heb 2:9)
5. How does Hebrews explain the purpose of Christ's suffering? (Heb 2:10)

Chapter 3-4: Christ as Greater than Moses

6. How does the author of Hebrews compare Christ and Moses? (Heb 3:3-6)
7. What warning does the Letter give regarding hardening of the heart? (Heb 3:12-13)
8. What does "entering God's rest" symbolize in Hebrews? (Heb 4:9-11)
9. Why is the Word of God described as living and active? (Heb 4:12)

Chapter 5-7: Christ as High Priest

10. What qualifications does Christ have as a high priest? (Heb 5:1-10)
11. What is the significance of Melchizedek in Hebrews? (Heb 7:1-3)
12. How is Christ's priesthood superior to the Levitical priesthood? (Heb 7:23-24)
13. What is meant by Jesus being the "guarantor of a better covenant"? (Heb 7:22)

Chapter 8-9: The New Covenant

14. How does the New Covenant differ from the Old Covenant? (Heb 8:6-13)
15. What is the significance of Christ entering the heavenly sanctuary? (Heb 9:11-12)
16. What is the role of blood in the Old and New Covenants? (Heb 9:22)
17. Why is Christ's sacrifice considered "once for all"? (Heb 9:25-28)

Chapter 10: The Efficacy of Christ's Sacrifice

18. What does Hebrews say about the limitations of the Old Testament sacrifices? (Heb 10:1-4)
19. How does Christ's obedience fulfill God's will? (Heb 10:5-10)
20. Why are Christians urged to approach God with confidence? (Heb 10:19-22)
21. What warning is given to those who neglect the gift of salvation? (Heb 10:26-27)

Chapter 11: The Importance of Faith

22. How does Hebrews define faith? (Heb 11:1)
23. Why does Hebrews present a list of Old Testament figures? (Heb 11:4-40)
24. What does Hebrews say about the perseverance of these faithful figures? (Heb 11:13)

Chapter 12: Christian Endurance and Discipline

25. Why does Hebrews compare the Christian life to a race? (Heb 12:1)
26. How is Jesus the "author and perfecter of our faith"? (Heb 12:2)
27. What is the role of God's discipline in the Christian life? (Heb 12:5-11)

Chapter 13: Final Exhortations

28. What exhortations does Hebrews give for Christian living? (Heb 13:1-3)
29. How does Hebrews emphasize the unchanging nature of Christ? (Heb 13:8)
30. What final blessing does the author of Hebrews impart to the readers? (Heb 13:20-21)