

"In a unique fashion it exalts the person & work of the Lord Jesus Christ. In doing so, it makes immensely valuable contributions to the doctrines of His Incarnation, His substitutionary death, & His priesthood."

**Z** Hodges

"I consider Hebrews -- not Romans -- the pinnacle of theological treasures in the Bible."

**G** Riddle

#### MAIN IDEA

### Superiority of Christ & the Faith-Life in Him

## "Hebrews is to Christology what Romans is to Soteriology or Revelation is to Eschatology"

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#### 1:1-4 TEACHING

- >Theology Prop.
- > Revelation
- >Inspiration
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- ➢God's purpose
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1:3a And He is the radiance of His glory and the exact representation of His nature, and upholds all things by the word of His power.

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- > Deity of Christ
- > Revelation of God
- > Foundation for Science
- >Ultimate sacrifice
- >Ultimate sovereign
- > Preeminent

1:3b-4 When He had made purification of sins, He sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high, 4 having become as much better than the angels, as He has inherited a more excellent name than they.

#### BIBLE STUDY

- 1. God is Creator of language.
- 2. God reveals His thoughts through language.
- 3. Understanding grammar is key to knowing God's mind.
- 4. Study sentence by sentence.

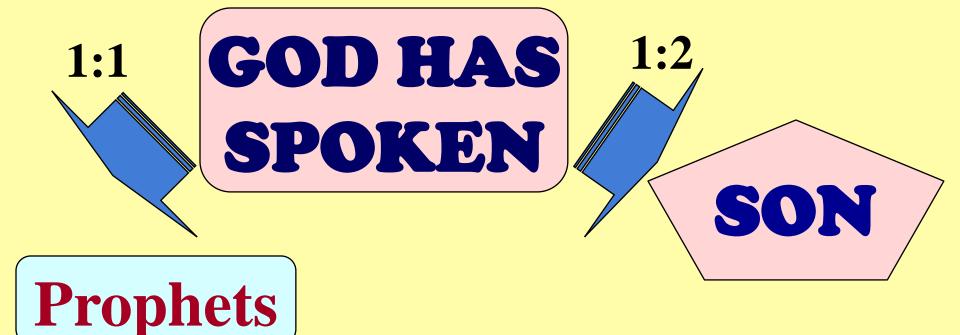
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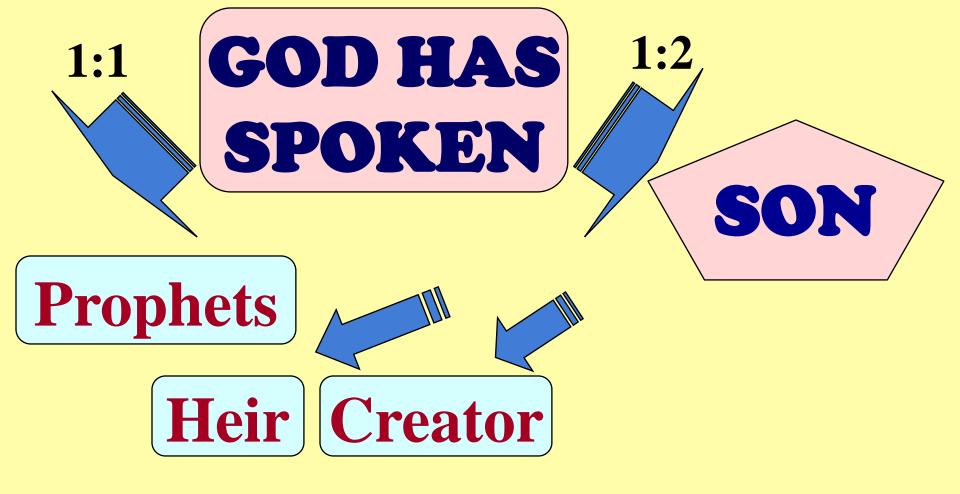
### Determine meaning by conventions of language





**Prophets** 





#### MAIN IDEA -1:1-2a

# God's ultimate Revelation is thru His Heir & Creator SON

#### OUTLINE

I. Superiority of Christ 1:1-10:18

A. Over OT Prophets 1:1-4

1. God's Ultimate Revelation 1:1-2a

a. Prophetic Revelation 1:1

b. Son Revelation 1:2a

2. Son's Superiority 1:2b-4

"In the midst of the knowledge explosion of the past half century, it is astounding how many have forgotten that the greatest knowledge they could posses is the knowledge of God."

Ryrie

#### Study of God

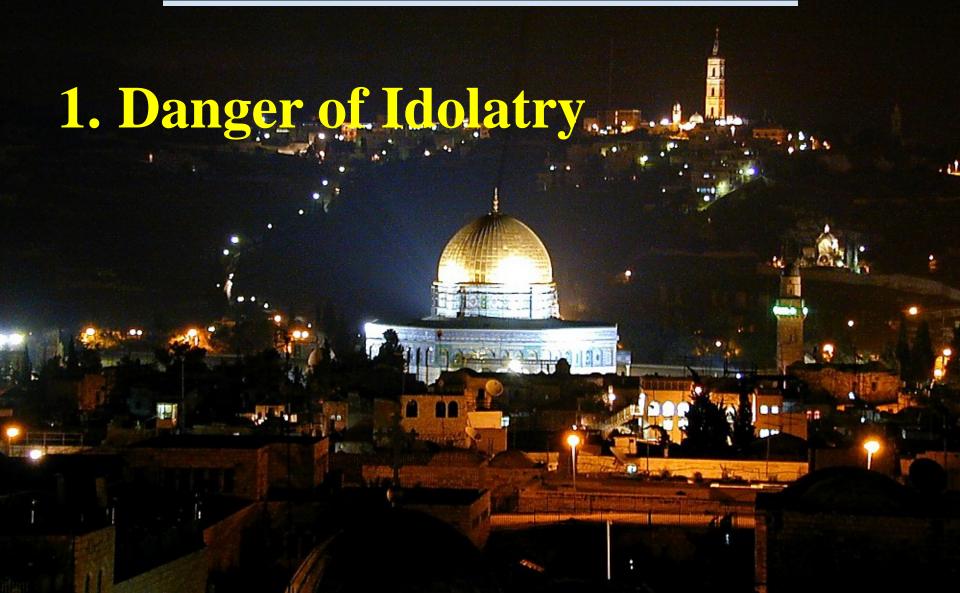
#### More important than:

- **✓**Space program
- **✓** Super computers
- **✓** Cancer research
- **✓** Nanotechnology





#### <u>IMPORTANCE</u>



#### COMMANDMENTS

- 1st YHWH Exclusively
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Against Idolatry
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Use of His Name
- 4<sup>th</sup> Sabbath Worship

