

Growing your Faith Part 2 Hebrews 7:11-28

Faith...how strongly do we believe?

This is a major battlefield for us and our families

Review: The truths we looked at last week about Jesus, who is...
King, High Priest, Peace, The Greatest, Righteous, Forever

How does this compare to what the world has to offer us?

In Hebrews 7:11-28 we are given six more amazing words that are all connected to Jesus that we need to hold onto

1. _____: the Levitical Priesthood and Law could not accomplish this.
Definition: completeness for the purpose for which it was intended.
What is our intended, God created purpose? _____
to God, be in relationship with Him.

The limits of the Law and sacrificial system: Hebrews 7:19,
Hebrews 10:4,11; 9:9

Only Jesus makes a relationship possible!

2. _____: life
Meaning: _____ could not hold him, based on
_____ John 10:17-18
Levitical Priesthood based on ancestry and externals

Jesus priesthood also based on who He is vv26-28

His sacrifice as enough...one and done
He is the Better Hope! (vs 27)

3. _____ Based on God's oath
The only iron clad one in the world
This is another reason we can have a strong faith

4. _____ priesthood

It will never change, never become obsolete or out dated
Will never be a replacement. Way it will always be!

These great truths lead us to the conclusion in verse 25...

Jesus is able to save 5. _____ because he
6. _____ lives to intercede for us.

There is an important qualification to all of this... we must have put our
_____ in Jesus "come to God through Him"

The more deeply rooted the above truths and facts are in our hearts, the stronger our faith and the less influenced and discouraged we will be by the world. A stronger faith brings about greater joy and assurance in our relationship with God and in our future with Him. A stronger faith is a more powerful witness to those who don't yet know Him and what our children need to see modeled in our lives.

Take time this week to think and meditate on each of these truths. What difference do they make to you and how can they help you in what you are facing in your life right now?