

OUR GREAT HIGH PRIEST

When the going gets tough, the tough go to Jesus
Hebrews 4:14-16

#1 Jesus _____ for you

Leviticus 17:11 For the life of the flesh is in the blood.

Exodus 28:33-35 You shall make on its hem....bells of gold.....all around on the hem of the robe. It shall be on Aaron when he ministers; and its tinkling shall be heard when he enters and leaves the holy place before the Lord, so that he will not die.

Hebrews 10:11 Every priest stands daily ministering and offering time after time the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins.

Hebrews 10:4 the blood of bulls and goats can never take away sins.

Hebrews 9:26 but now once at the consummation of the ages He has appeared to put away sin by the sacrifice of Himself.

Hebrews 9:24 For Christ did not enter a holy place made with hands, a mere copy of the true one, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us.

Hebrews 7:25 He is able also to save forever those who draw near to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.

Hebrews 10:12 having offered one sacrifice for sins for all time, He sat down at the right hand of God.

TURN TO ACTS 7:54

#2 Jesus _____ with you

Isaiah 46:3-4 Listen to Me, O house of Jacob, And all the remnant of the house of Israel, you who have been borne by Me from birth and have been carried from the womb; ⁴ even to your old age I will be the same, and even to your graying years I will bear you! I have done it, and I will carry you; and I will bear you and I will deliver you.

Jesus experienced:

Poverty—Luke 2:7 And she gave birth to her firstborn son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a feeding trough, because there was no room for them in the inn. Luke 9:58 The foxes have holes and the birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay His head.

Weariness—Matthew 4:2 And after He had fasted forty days and forty nights, He then became hungry. John 4:6 Jesus, being wearied from His journey, was sitting thus by the well.

Grief—Isaiah 53:4 Surely our griefs He Himself bore, and our sorrows He carried. Matthew 26:38 My soul is deeply grieved, to the point of death.

Temptation—Matt 4:1 Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. Matthew 16:23 But He turned and said to Peter, "Get behind Me, Satan! You are a stumbling block to Me; for you are not setting your mind on God's interests, but man's."

Physical suffering—Luke 22:44 And being in agony He was praying very fervently; and His sweat became like drops of blood, falling down upon the ground. Mark 14:65 Some began to spit at Him, and to blindfold Him, and to beat Him with their fists, and to say to Him, "Prophesy!" And the officers received Him with slaps in the face.

Betrayal—Mark 14:45 Judas immediately went to Him, saying, "Rabbi!" and kissed Him.

Loneliness—Mark 14:50 And they all left Him and fled.

Abandonment—Matthew 27:46 MY GOD, MY GOD, WHY HAVE YOU FORSAKEN ME?

Death—Isaiah 53:8 He was cut off out of the land of the living. Mk 15:37 And Jesus uttered a loud cry, and breathed His last.

Hebrews 2:17-18 He had to be made like His brethren in all things, so that He might become a merciful and faithful high priest....For since He Himself was tempted in that which He has suffered, He is able to come to the aid of those who are tempted.

#3 Jesus _____ aid to you

Exodus 20:18-19 All the people perceived the thunder and the lightning flashes and the sound of the trumpet and the mountain smoking; and when the people saw it, they trembled and stood at a distance.¹⁹ Then they said to Moses, "Speak to us yourself and we will listen; but let not God speak to us, or we will die."

Hebrews 10:31 It is a terrifying thing to fall into the hands of the living God.

Ephesians 3:12 in whom we have boldness and confident access through faith in Him.

Romans 8:15 For you have not received a spirit of slavery leading to fear again, but you have received a spirit of adoption as sons by which we cry out, "Abba! Father!"

Matthew 12:20 A battered reed He will not break off, And a smoldering wick He will not put out, Until He leads justice to victory.

Now What?????

1. Take Jesus as your _____

2. _____