

MESSAGE NOTES

APRIL 8, 2018

9:30 & 11:00 am

Pastor Bill Ehmann

HEBREWS - MATURING IN GODLY LIVING

"Jesus: Superior to Moses"

Hebrews 3:1-6

While Abraham is known as the father of the Jewish nation, Moses is the most honored Israelite. He is known as the deliverer, the giver of the law and the man who spoke face to face with God. If we follow Moses through the Old Testament, we will find God.

But greater than Moses is Jesus. When we follow Jesus, we find forgiveness of sin and eternal life with God. It would be typical for a Jewish audience to have high regard for Moses, but it would be wrong to miss the truth that Jesus is superior to him.

v. 1 The Jews' Appropriate Focus on Moses

v. 2 Faithfulness Defined

vs. 3-4 The Builder and the Building

vs. 5-6 Jesus and Moses

Hebrews 3:1-6 Jesus is superior to Moses

Hebrews 3:7-19 The benefit of a soft heart / Under the leadership of Moses, the Israelites had hard hearts and it cost them the promised "rest" in their land. Psalm 95 helps us understand the answer to a hard heart.

Hebrews 4:1-16 A soft heart honoring Jesus and enjoying His "rest"

Moses and Jesus

Moses was born to a mother who had faith in God

Jesus was born to a mother who believed and experienced a miracle

Moses was born with a death sentence on his life

Jesus was hunted to be killed while a baby

Moses was protected from death when he committed a crime

Jesus was protected from death but He committed no crime

Moses got ahead of God's timing

Jesus was always in step with God's plan

Moses had 40 years of silence because of his sin

Jesus had 40 days of testing by the Devil to demonstrate His power over sin

Moses led the Israelites during 40 years with no Promised Land

Jesus led 11 men during three years to launch His Church that changed the world

Moses was faithful but imperfect

Jesus was faithful and perfect

Moses only viewed the Promised Land

Jesus led the way into the Promised Land

Moses knew Jesus in pictures and shadows

Jesus fulfilled all the pictures and shadows

Moses talked face to face with God

Jesus is God

Moses waited for eternal glory

Jesus is Eternal Glory

NEXT SUNDAY

April 15, 2018

9:30 &

11:00 A.M.

Message by Pastor Bill Ehmann

HEBREWS - MATURING IN GODLY LIVING

"The Benefit of a Soft Heart"

Hebrews 3:7-19 & Psalm 95

Spanish interpretation available at 11:00am service