

## Moses - The Greatness of Christ (Part 2)

Scripture(s): Acts 7:17-53; John 3:12-15; John 5:45-47; John 6:32-33, 47-51; John 6:47-51; Romans 9:14-24; Romans 10:5-11, 19; 1 Corinthians 10:1-12; Hebrews 3:1-13; 2 Corinthians 3:7-18; Hebrews 12:18-29

I. The acts of Moses point to Someone greater.

II. The covenant of Moses points to a better covenant.

III. The warnings of Moses point to the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ. God expects us to \_\_\_\_\_ to the King of Kings more than any religious or spiritual leader,

1 Corinthians 10:1-12 <sup>1</sup> For I do not want you to be unaware, brethren, that our fathers were all under the cloud and all passed through the sea; <sup>2</sup> and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea; <sup>3</sup> and all ate the same spiritual food; <sup>4</sup> and all drank the same spiritual drink, for they were drinking from a spiritual rock which followed them; and the rock was Christ. <sup>5</sup> Nevertheless, with most of them God was not well-pleased; for they were laid low in the wilderness. <sup>6</sup> Now these things happened as examples for us, so that we would not crave evil things as they also craved. <sup>7</sup> Do not be idolaters, as some of them were; as it is written, "THE PEOPLE SAT DOWN TO EAT AND DRINK, AND STOOD UP TO PLAY." <sup>8</sup> Nor let us act immorally, as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in one day. <sup>9</sup> Nor let us try the Lord, as some of them did, and were destroyed by the serpents. <sup>10</sup> Nor grumble, as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer. <sup>11</sup> Now these things happened to them as an example, and they were written for our instruction, upon whom the ends of the ages have come. <sup>12</sup> Therefore let him who thinks he stands take heed that he does not fall.

Hebrews 3:1-13 <sup>1</sup> Therefore, holy brethren, partakers of a heavenly calling, consider Jesus, the Apostle and High Priest of our confession; <sup>2</sup> He was faithful to Him who appointed Him, as Moses also was in all His house. <sup>3</sup> For He has been counted worthy of more glory than Moses, by just so much as the builder of the house has more honor than the house. <sup>4</sup> For every house is built by someone, but the builder of all things is God. <sup>5</sup> Now Moses was faithful in all His house as a servant, for a testimony of those things which were to be spoken later; <sup>6</sup> but Christ was faithful as a Son over His house—whose house we are, if we hold fast our confidence and the boast of our hope firm until the end...

IV. The service of Moses points us to the greater glory of \_\_\_\_\_ Christ. We serve the King of a country whose \_\_\_\_\_ will never fade, spoil, or be defeated.

2 Corinthians 3:7-18 <sup>7</sup> But if the ministry of death, in letters engraved on stones, came with glory, so that the sons of Israel could not look intently at the face of Moses because of the glory of his face, fading as it was, <sup>8</sup> how will the ministry of the Spirit fail to be even more with glory? <sup>9</sup> For if the ministry of condemnation has glory, much more does the ministry of righteousness abound in glory. <sup>10</sup> For indeed what had glory, in this case has no glory because of the glory that surpasses it...

Hebrews 12:18-29... <sup>22</sup> But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to myriads of angels, <sup>23</sup> to the general assembly and church of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God, the Judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, <sup>24</sup> and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood, which speaks better than the blood of Abel. <sup>25</sup> See to it that you do not refuse Him who is speaking. For if those did not escape when they refused him who warned them on earth, much less will we escape who turn away from Him who warns from heaven...<sup>28</sup> Therefore, since we receive a kingdom which cannot be shaken, let us show gratitude, by which we may offer to God an acceptable service with reverence and awe; <sup>29</sup> for our God is a consuming fire.

Remember this - When we say that Jesus is greater than all, His greatness \_\_\_\_\_ something.

Our challenge: Hear the call of our great Jesus to give \_\_\_\_\_ and not just \_\_\_\_\_ to serve Him.

1. Make \_\_\_\_\_-service rather than \_\_\_\_\_-service the beat of your heart, the motive for what you do.

Marvel in the glory and \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ. Make that preciousness \_\_\_\_\_ to you.

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