

Genesis 14:17

Genesis 14:21-24

Genesis 14:18

1 Samuel 13:13-14 - ¹³ And Samuel said to Saul, “You have done foolishly. You have not kept the command of the LORD your God, with which he commanded you. For then the LORD would have established your kingdom over Israel forever. ¹⁴ But now your kingdom shall not continue. The LORD has sought out a man after his own heart, and the LORD has commanded him to be prince over his people, because you have not kept what the LORD commanded you.”

Genesis 14:19-20

Malachi 3:10 - **Bring the full tithe into the storehouse**, that there may be food in my house. And thereby put me to the test, says the LORD of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you a **blessing** until there is no more need.

Tithe:

- **Acknowledgment of God’s movement**
- **Confession of God’s blessings**
- **Investment into God’s kingdom**

2 Samuel 7:13-16 - ¹³ He shall build a house for my name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. ¹⁴ I will be to him a father, and he shall be to me a son. When he commits iniquity, I will discipline him with the rod of men, with the stripes of the sons of men, ¹⁵ but my steadfast love will not depart from him, as I took it from Saul, whom I put away from before you. ¹⁶ And your house and your kingdom shall be made sure forever before me. **Your throne shall be established forever.**”

Psalm 110:4 - The LORD has sworn and will not change his mind,
“You are a priest forever after the order of Melchizedek.”

Exodus 28:1 – “Then bring near to you **Aaron your brother, and his sons** with him, from among the people of Israel, **to serve me as priests**—Aaron and Aaron’s sons, Nadab and Abihu, Eleazar and Ithamar.

Exodus 32:28 – And **the sons of Levi did according to the word of Moses**. And that day about three thousand men of the people fell.

Numbers 3:5-9 – ⁵ And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, ⁶ “Bring **the tribe of Levi** near, and set them before Aaron the priest, that **they may minister** to him. ⁷ They shall keep guard over him and over the whole congregation before the tent of meeting, as they minister at the tabernacle. ⁸ **They shall guard all the furnishings of the tent of meeting, and keep guard over the people of Israel as they minister at the tabernacle.** ⁹ And you shall give the Levites to Aaron and his sons; **they are wholly given to him from among the people of Israel.**

Hebrews 7:11-12 - ¹¹ Now **if perfection had been attainable through the Levitical priesthood** (for under it the people received the law), **what further need would there have been for another priest to arise after**

the order of Melchizedek, rather than one named after the order of Aaron? ¹² For when there is a change in the priesthood, there is necessarily a change in the law as well.

Jesus is our Great High Priest, greater than any one priest, greater than any group of priests, and greater than any system of priesthood.

Hebrews 7:1-3

Greater pattern

*1 John 2:1 – My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, **Jesus Christ the righteous.***

*Romans 3:21-22 – ²¹ But now **the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law,** although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— ²² **the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe.** For there is no distinction*

*Isaiah 9:6 – For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, **Prince of Peace.***

*John 14:27 – **Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you.** Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.*

R. Kent Hughes – Righteousness and peace have kissed in Christ – and that is the kiss that the King repeatedly bestows on His bride.

Hebrews 7:4-9

Hebrews 7:15-17

Hebrews 7:20-25

Greater lifespan

*Job 9:32-33 - ³² For he is not a man, as I am, that I might answer him, that we should come to trial together. ³³ **There is no arbiter between us, who might lay his hand on us both.***

Hebrews 7:26-28

Greater sacrifice

*Hebrews 10:10 - And by that will we have been sanctified through **the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.***

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 4:14-5:10