

Hebrews part 2 "Great High Priest" 07/09/2023 Reflection Questions

- 1. Have you ever felt distant from the Lord? If so, how were you brought back closer to Him?
- 2. The statement was made that, "Living in God's presence means a life without limitations." This does not mean that you can accomplish anything you want but rather that you can accomplish everything God has designed for you to accomplish. Have there been times in your life when you really wanted to do something but later realized that it was not God's plan for you?
- 3. This statement was presented: "The best version of ourselves is discovered and developed as we live in close proximity to Jesus." How can we practically live in close proximity to the Lord?
- 4. Hebrews 4:15 (Amplified version) tells us the Jesus knows exactly how it feels to be human. Do you believe this is true for your own life? In what areas are you prone to doubt this is true?
- 5. What is the difference between God's omnipresence and His manifest presence?
- 6. How can we stop sin from keeping us out of God's presence?
- 7. How can we stop shame from keeping us out of God's presence?
- 8. Shame is the result of carrying in our own minds and emotions what Jesus came to carry for us. Are you prone to carrying shame and regret in your own life?
- 9. How can we stop our own striving in performance from keeping us out of God's presence?
- 10. If we are made righteous and acceptable to God through the obedience of one man (Romans 5:19), why is our own personal obedience to God still important?