JESUS OUR GREAT HIGH PRIEST

Hebrews 2:1–18

Key Verse: 2:17

1. What is the author’s warning? (1) What does it mean to pay “the most careful attention”? What was “the message spoken through angels,” and what happened to those who violated it? (2; cf. 10:28) What contrast does the author make? (3a; cf. 12:25) What does it mean to “ignore” this?
2. How does the author describe the Christian message, and why should we know these things about it? (3b–4)
3. In what ways does the author compare angels and Jesus? (5–9) How is God’s concern for human beings illustrated here, and what can we learn from this? (6–8; cf. Ps8:4–6; Ge1:28) What does it mean that Jesus is “a son of man”? (6b,9)
4. What two things did Jesus’ suffering accomplish? (10) What does this tell us about Jesus and us, and why do we need to know this? (11–13)
5. Why did Jesus share in our humanity? (14–16) Who are “Abraham’s descendants”? (Ro4:16) What else does Jesus’ humanity tell us, and how does knowing this help us? (Read verses 17,18.)