

What Jesus Is Doing Now
and Why It Matters
Hebrews 10:10-14

“And by that will, we have been made holy through the sacrifice of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.

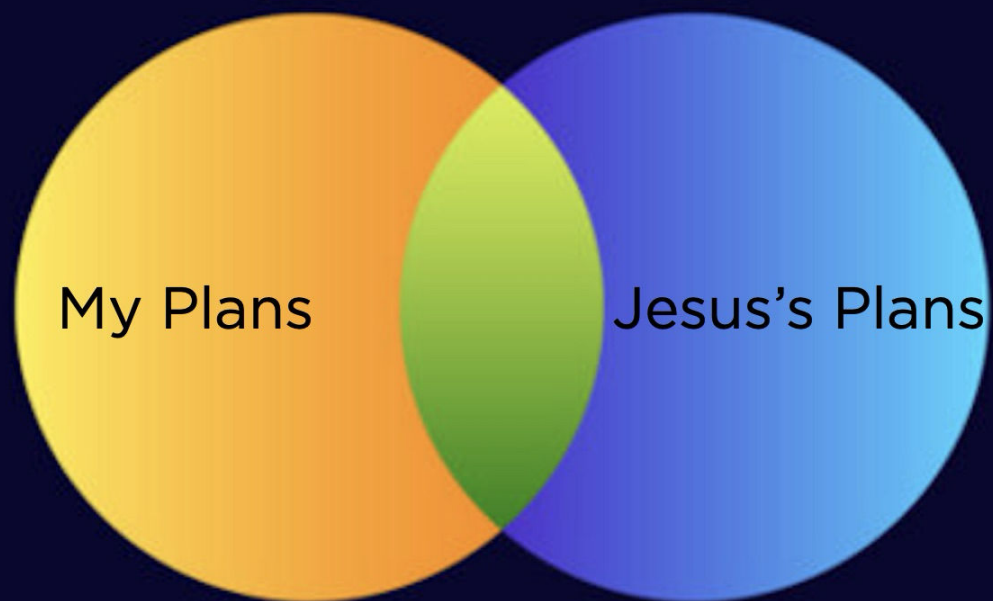
“Day after day every priest stands and performs his religious duties; again and again he offers the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins.

“But when this priest had offered for all time
one sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the
right hand of God,

“and since that time he waits for his enemies
to be made his footstool.

“For by one sacrifice he has made perfect forever those who are being made holy.”

Hebrews 10:10-14 (NIV)



The Westminster Confession:

“... Jesus Christ the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continues to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, forever.”

The 39 Articles:

“... the very and eternal God, took man's nature . . . so that two whole and perfect natures . . . were joined together in one person, never to be divided . . .”

Martin Luther:

“This (the eternal union of deity and humanity) is the rock on which our eternal salvation is built. On this . . . we live and die.”

“Day after day every priest stands and performs his religious duties; again and again he offers the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins.”

Hebrews 10:11 (NIV)

“day after day”	
“the same sacrifices”	
“again and again”	

“But when this priest had offered for all time one sacrifice for sins, he sat down . . . by one sacrifice he has made perfect forever those who are being made holy.”

Hebrews 10:12, 14 (NIV)

“day after day”	“for all time”
“the same sacrifices”	“by one sacrifice”
“again and again”	“once for all”

“But when this priest had offered for all time one sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God, and since that time he waits for his enemies to be made his footstool.”

Hebrews 10:12-13 (NIV)



“... he sat down at the right hand of the
Majesty in heaven.”

Hebrews 1:3b (NIV)

“But about the Son he says, ‘Your throne, O God, will last for ever and ever . . .’”

Hebrews 1:8a (NIV)

“Sit at my right hand until I make your
enemies a footstool for your feet”

Hebrews 1:13b (NIV)

WHO are the **enemies**?

“Since the children have flesh and blood, he too shared in their humanity so that by his death he might break the power of him who holds the power of death —

“that is, the devil — and free those who all their lives were held in slavery by their fear of death.”

Hebrews 2:14-15 (NIV)

WHO are the enemies?

Satan, **death**, and **fear** are the enemies.

HOW does Jesus **destroy** the enemy?

“By embracing death, taking it into himself, he destroyed the Devil’s hold on death and freed all who cower through life, scared to death of death.”

Hebrews 2:14-15 (MSG)

HOW does Jesus destroy the enemy?

By **suffering** and **dying** he destroys the enemy.

“There is a nice symmetry in this: Death initially came by a man, and resurrection from death came by a man.

“Everybody dies in Adam; everybody comes alive in Christ . . . after crushing the opposition, he hands over his kingdom to God the Father.

“He won’t let up until the last enemy is down
— and the very last enemy is death!

“As the psalmist said, ‘He laid them low, one and all; he walked all over them.’”

1 Corinthians 15:21-25 (MSG)

“ . . . since neither as God alone could he feel death, nor as man alone overcome it,

“he coupled human nature with divine that
. . . he might submit the weakness of the one
to death;

“and that, wrestling with death by the power of the other nature, he might win victory for us. . . .

“clothed with our flesh he vanquished death and sin together that the victory and triumph might be ours.”

John Calvin

“We see Jesus . . . through the experience of death, crowned . . . with a glory ‘bright with Eden’s dawn light.’

“In that death, by God’s grace, he fully experienced death in every person’s place . . . the Salvation Pioneer . . . leads all these people to glory.”

Hebrews 2:9-10 (MSG)

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polled had "no idea" about how long
our coal, natural gas, and petroleum
resources will last.

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several more years.

The Childhood Obesity

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the nation's youth on a massive

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Flu Outbreak

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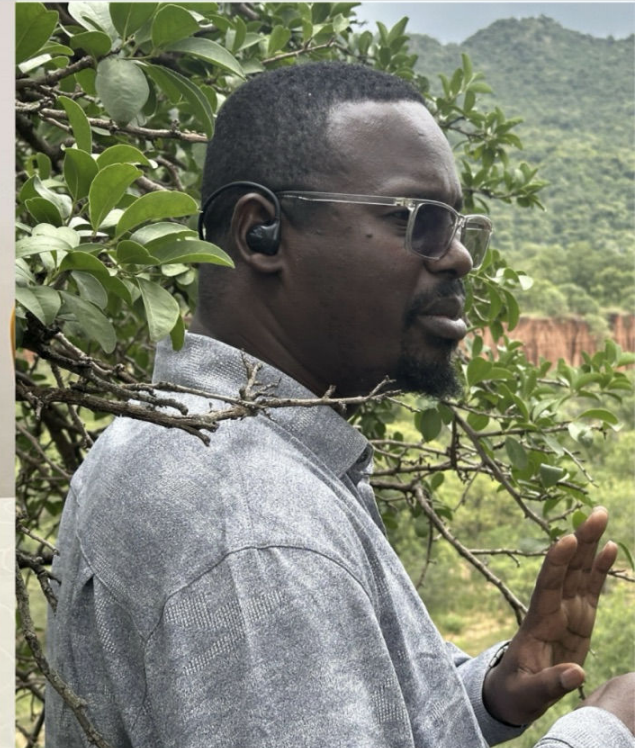
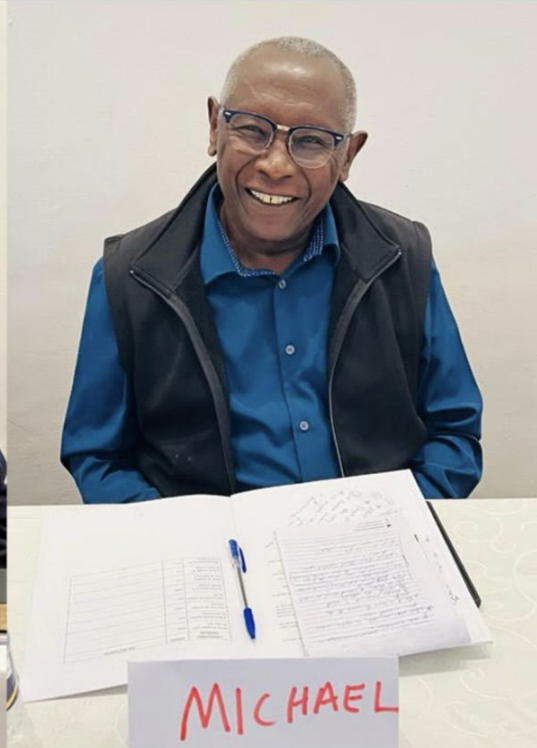
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“ . . . let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith . . .

“he endured the cross, scorning its shame,
and sat down at the right hand of the throne
of God.”

Hebrews 12:1b-2 (NIV)



As our **Prophet**, he is always speaking to his people.

As our **Priest**, he is always representing his people before God.

As our **King**, he is re-writing the story of the world and giving true meaning to our story.

