



RELATIONSHIP TO GOD AS SON Hebrews 1:3-4 "The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being" So he became as much superior to the angels as the name he has inherited is superior to theirs.

He is like the coin that tells you whose country you are living in. He is like the seal that tells us whose authority the document carries...When the living God wants to become human, this is how he spells his name, spells it in the character, the exact imprint, of his own nature, writes it in flesh and blood, soft, vulnerable human tissue NT WRIGHT

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RELATIONSHIP TO THE WORLD AS RULER Hebrews 1:2-3 whom he appointed heir of all things, and through whom he made the universe. ...sustaining all things by his powerful word. ...He sat down at the right hand of the Majesty in heaven.

And again, when God brings his firstborn into the world, he says, "Let all God's angels worship him." In speaking of the angels he says, "He makes his angels winds, his servants flames of fire." But about the Son he says, "Your throne, O God, will last for ever and ever, and righteousness will be the scepter of your kingdom.

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He also says,

"In the beginning, O Lord, you laid the foundations of the earth, and the heavens are the work of your hands.

To which of the angels did God ever say,

"Sit at my right hand until I make your enemies a footstool for your feet"?

HEBREWS 1:6-13

"What we suffer from today is humility in the wrong place. Modesty has moved from the organ of ambition. Modesty has settled upon the organ of conviction; where it was never meant to be. A man was meant to be doubtful about himself but undoubting about the truth. This has been exactly reversed ..."

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"We have forgotten how to flex two mental muscles at the same time: the muscle of moral conviction and the muscle of compassion to all regardless of their morality."

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We must pay the most careful attention, therefore, to what we have heard, so that we do not drift away. For since the message spoken through angels was binding, and every violation and disobedience received its just punishment, how shall we escape if we ignore so great a salvation? This salvation, which was first announced by the Lord, was confirmed to us by those who heard him.

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