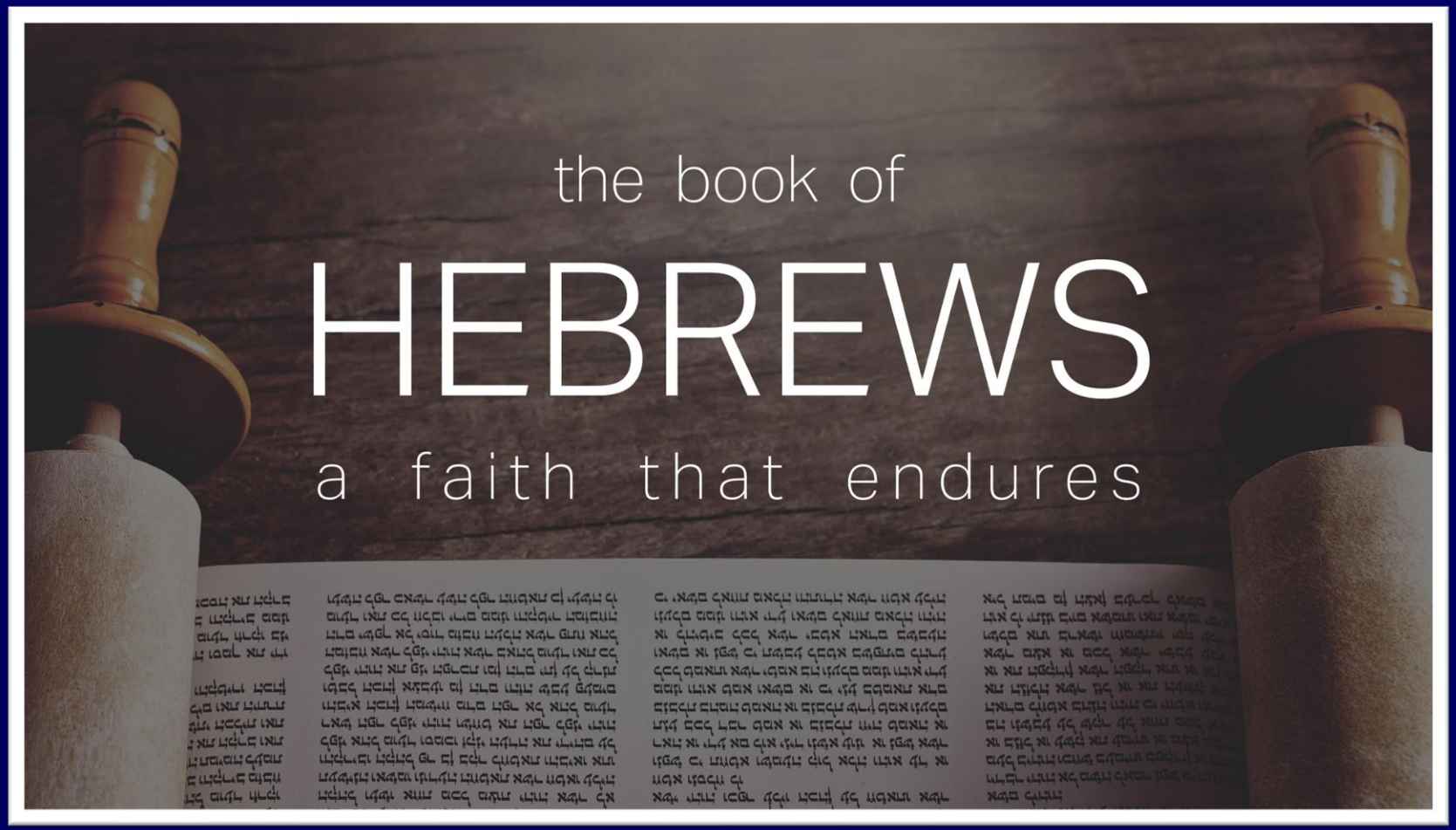
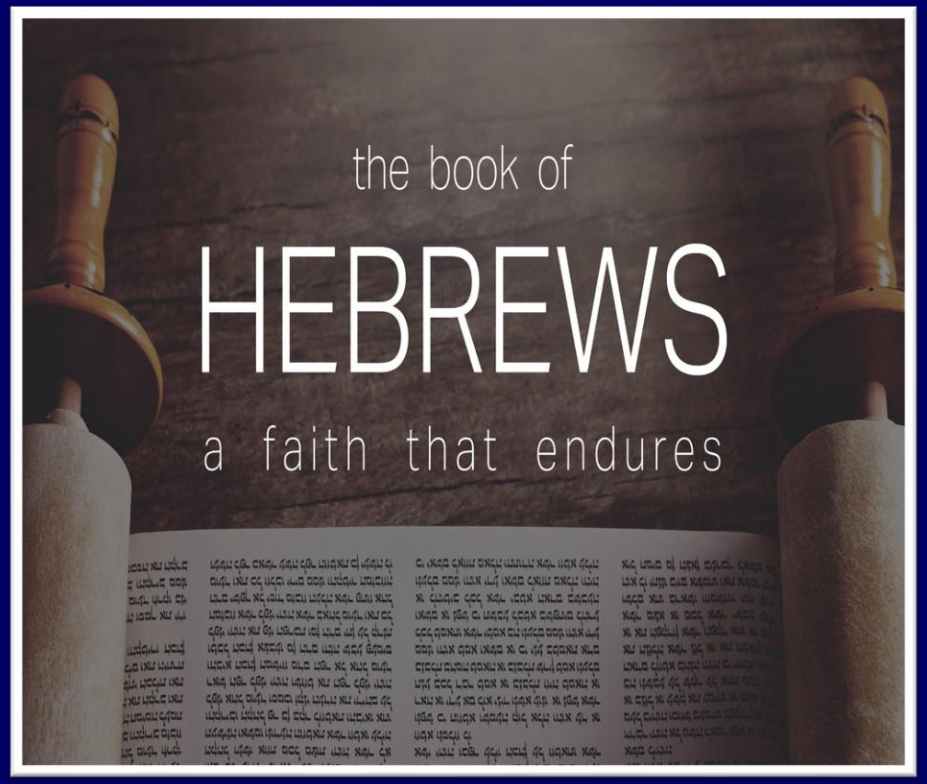




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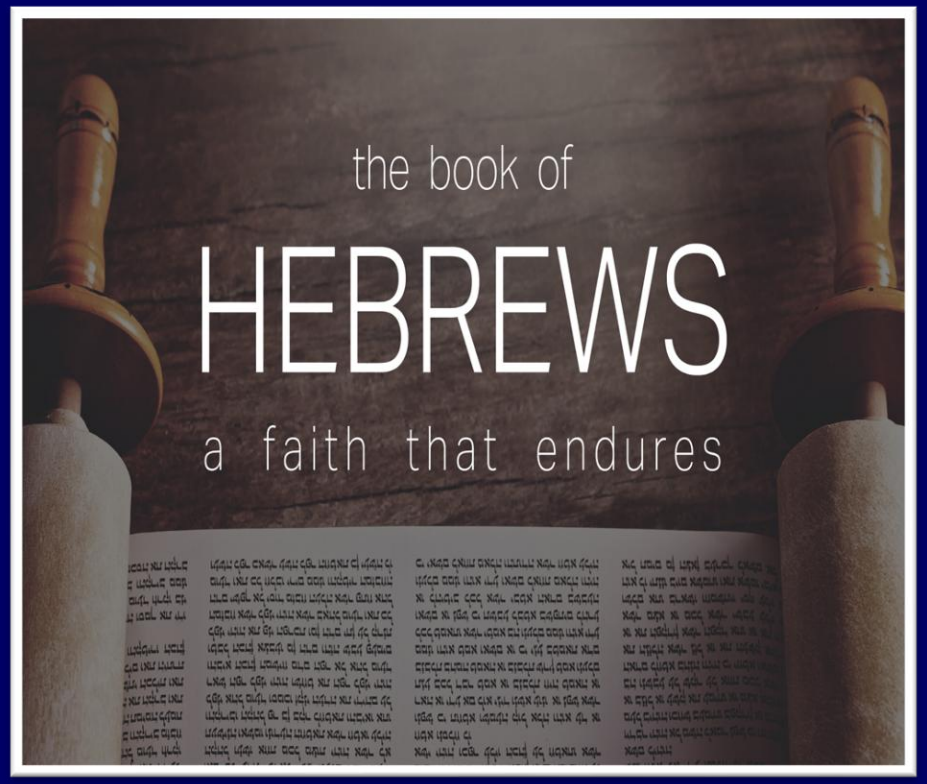
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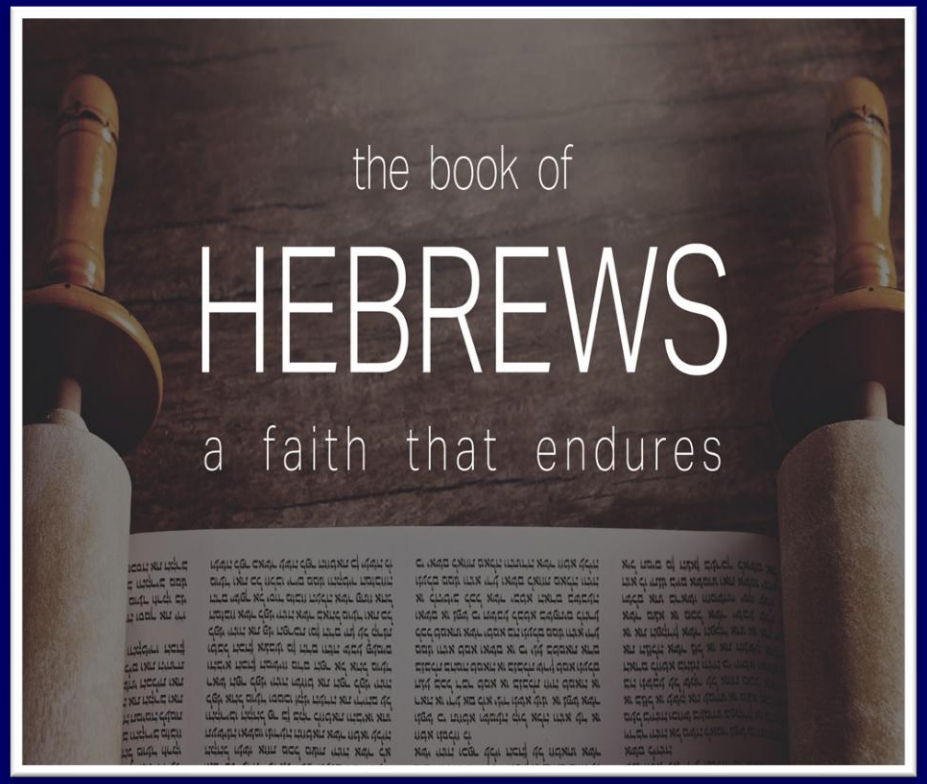
CHRIST IS SUPERIOR TO PREVIOUS REVELATION (1:1-2A)

- OT – Indirect, incomplete, temporary
- Christ – Direct, complete, permanent



CHRIST'S 7 ATTRIBUTES SHOWING HIS FINALITY (1:2B-3)

- Heir of all things
- Maker of all things
- Brightness of the Father's glory
- Express image of the Father
- Upholds all things
- Made complete purification for sins
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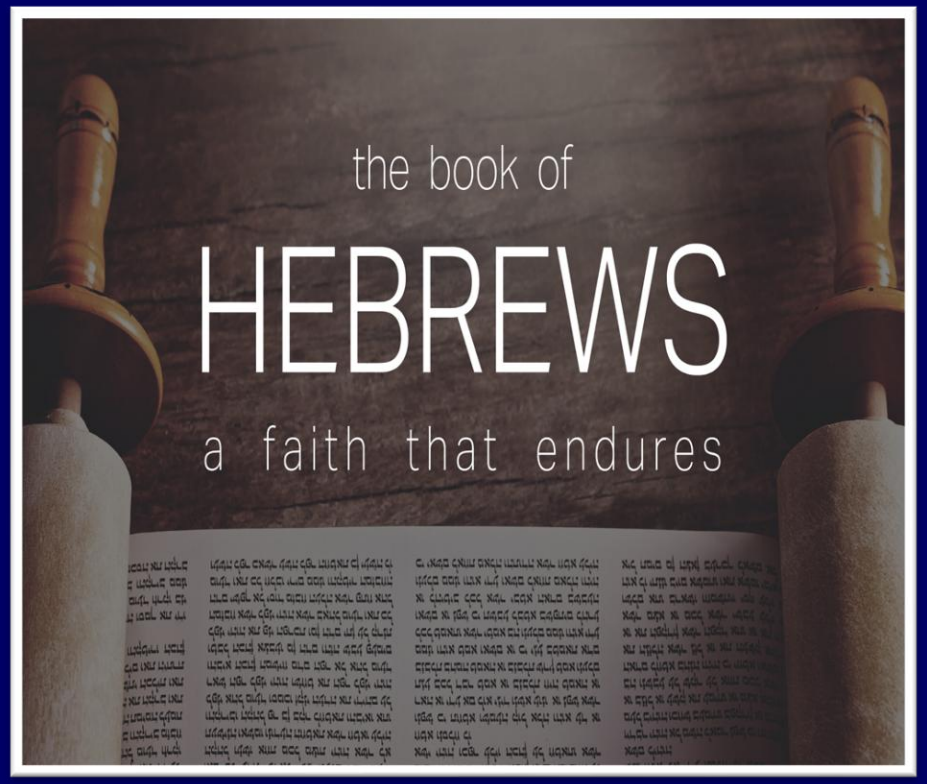
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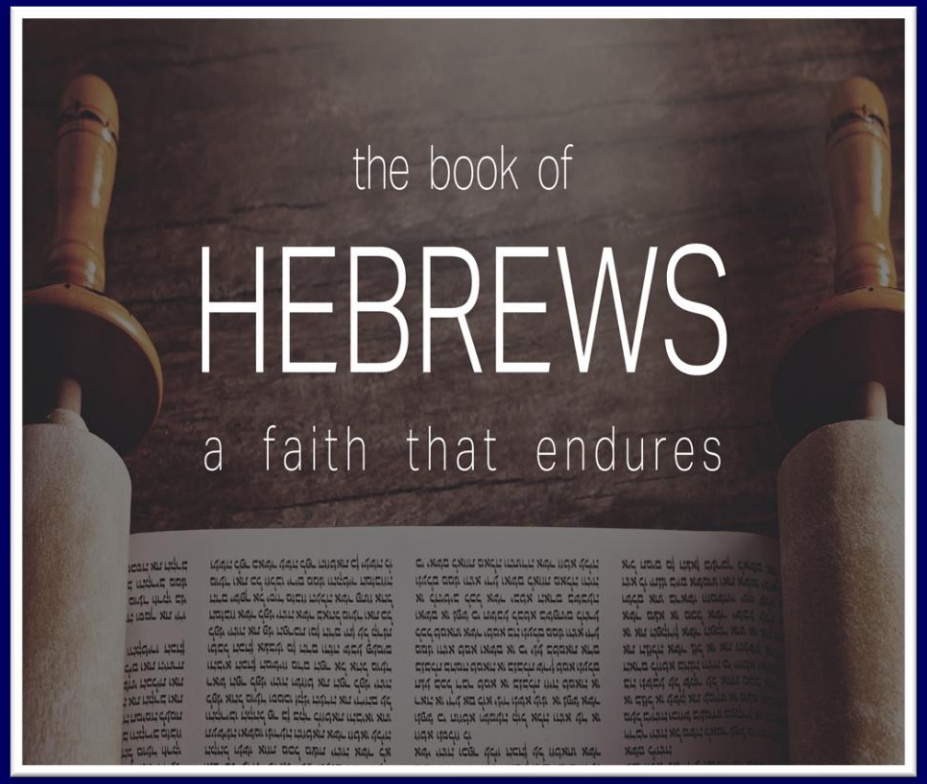
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- Faithful (2)



DIFFERENCES BETWEEN MOSES AND JESUS (HEB. 3:3-6)

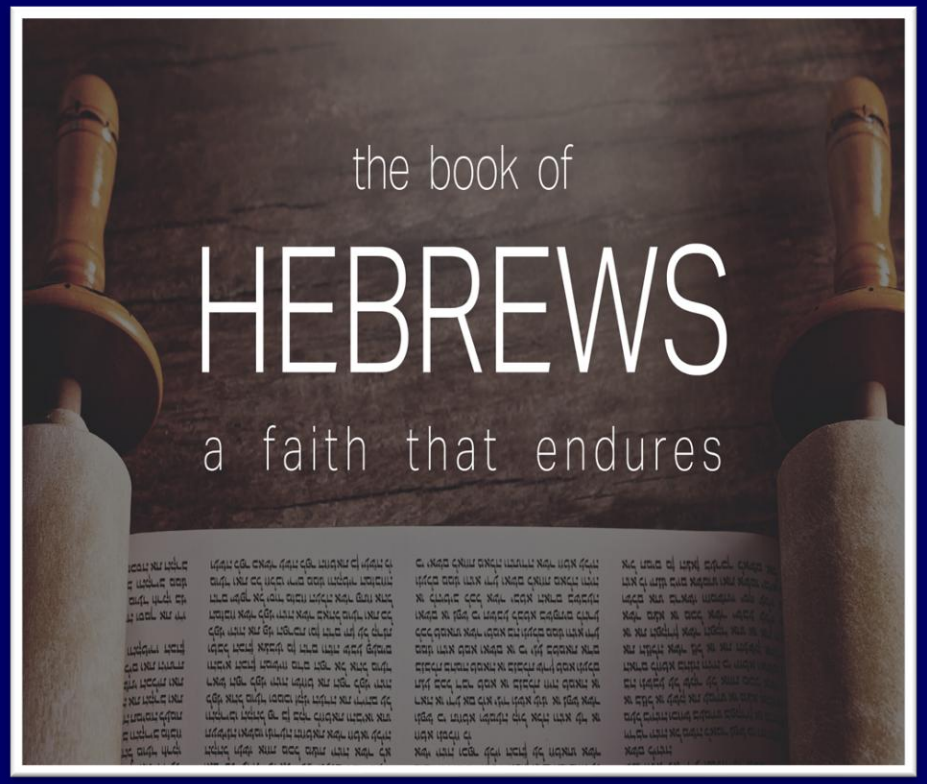
MOSES	JESUS
House (3)	Builder (4-5)
In house (5)	Over house (6)
Servant (5)	Son (6)
Testified to a coming reality (5)	Is the reality that Moses testified about (5)

WARNINGS

- 2:1-4 – Warning against drifting
- **3:7–4:13 – Warning against disobedience**
- 5:10–6:20 – Warning against immaturity
- 10:26-39 – Warning against despising the truth
- 12:25-29 – Warning against denying the truth

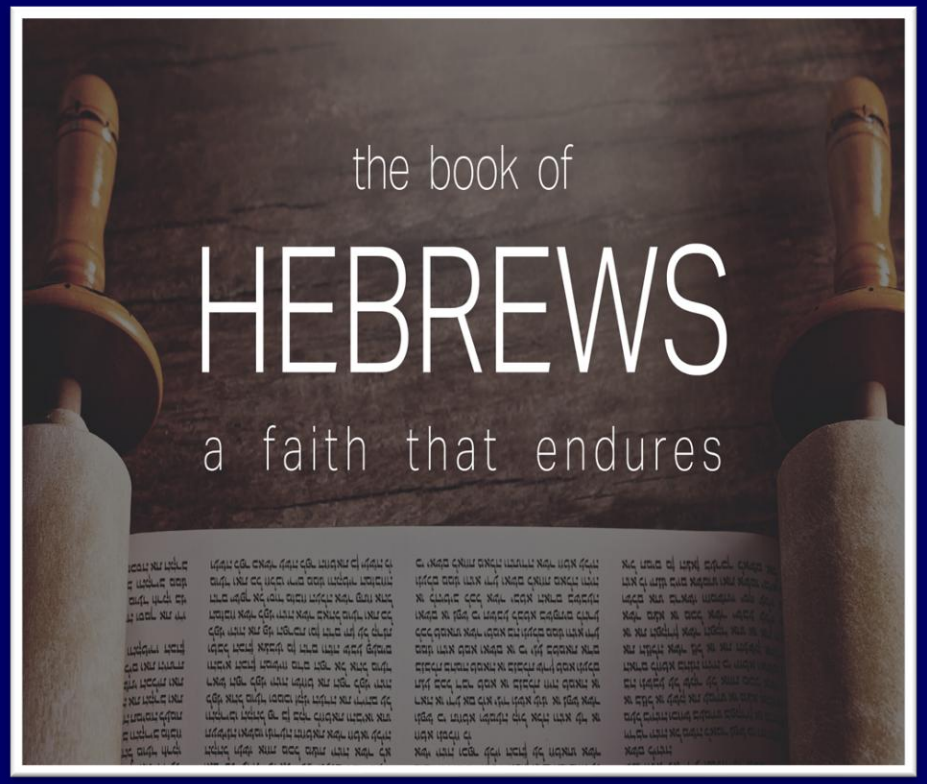
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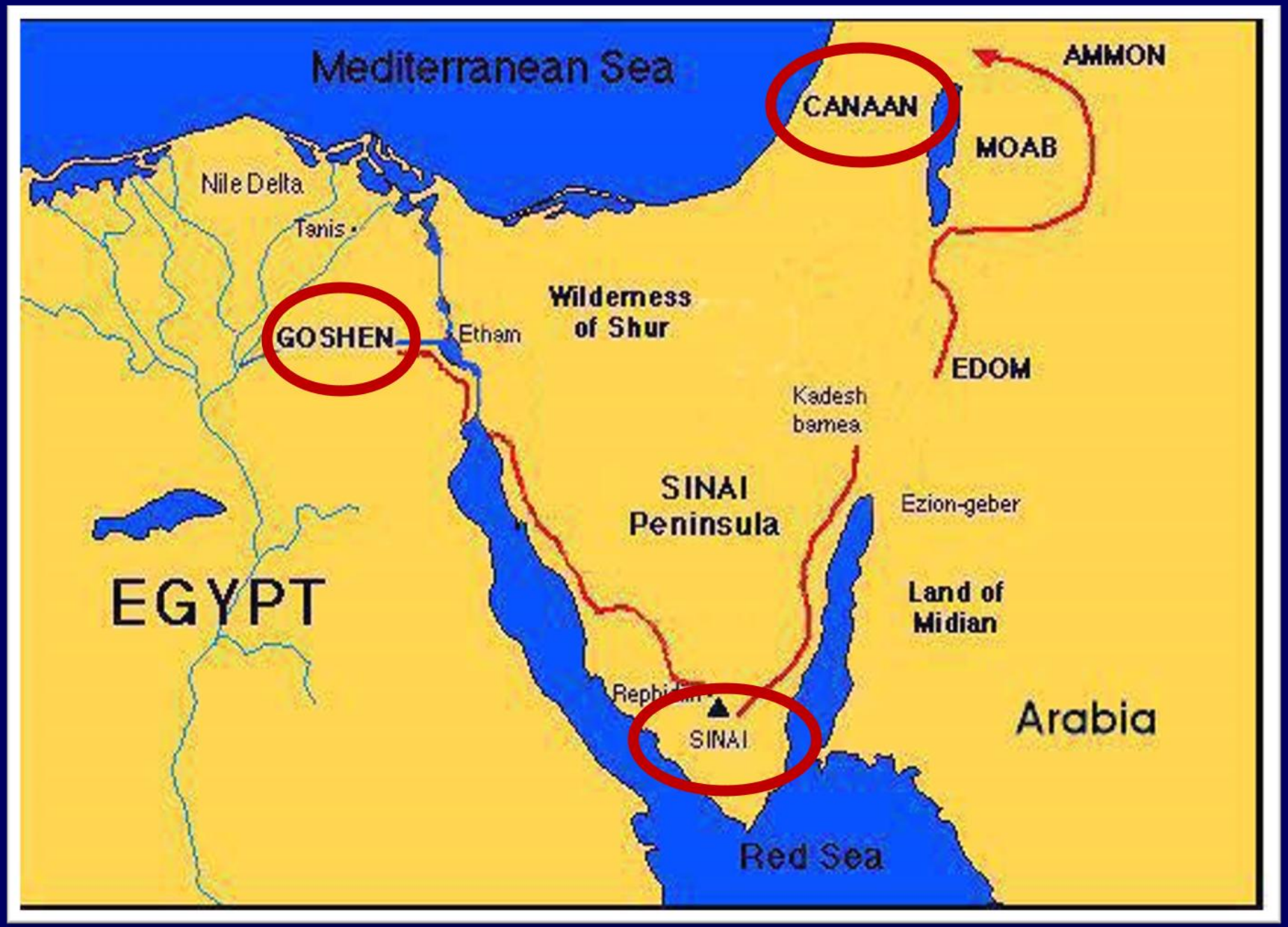
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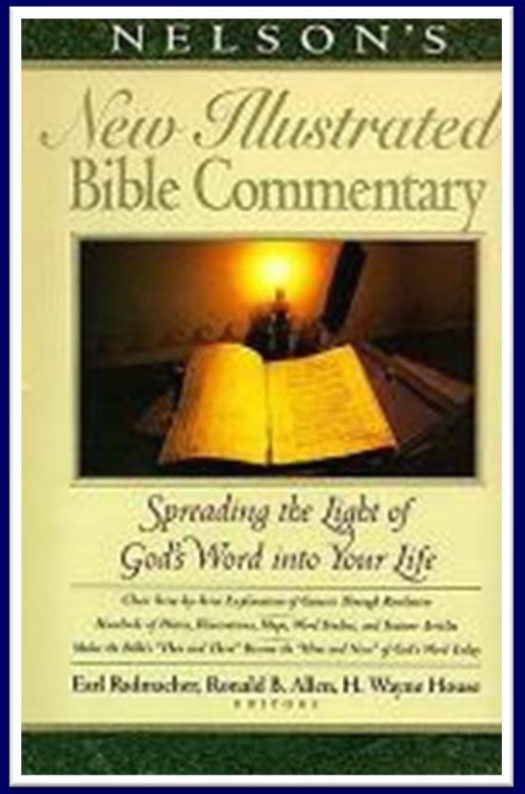

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Exodus 14:30-31

30 Thus the LORD saved Israel that day from the hand of the Egyptians, and Israel saw the Egyptians dead on the seashore. 31 When **Israel** saw the great power which the LORD had used against the Egyptians, the people feared the LORD, and **they believed in the LORD** and in His servant Moses."



EXODUS 14:31

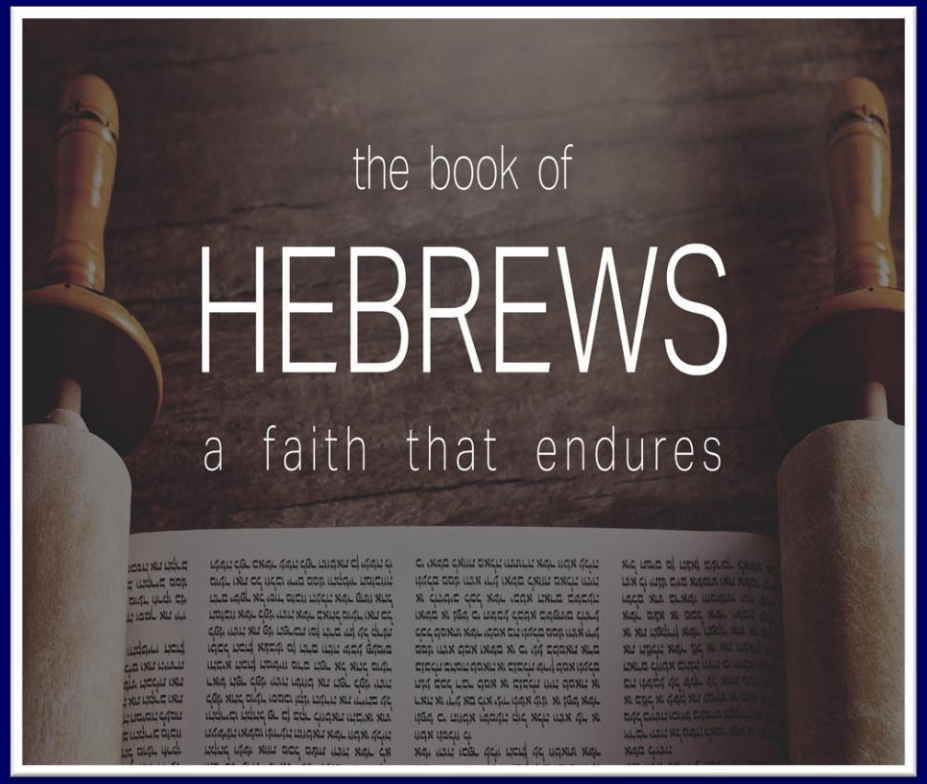


"When we read *so the people feared the Lord* and the words that follow, we are meant to understand that the community had come to saving faith and so were a reborn people. They *believed the Lord* (the same wording used of Abraham's saving faith in Gen. 15:6; read Paul's comments in Rom. 4)...The people were transformed spiritually even as they were delivered physically."

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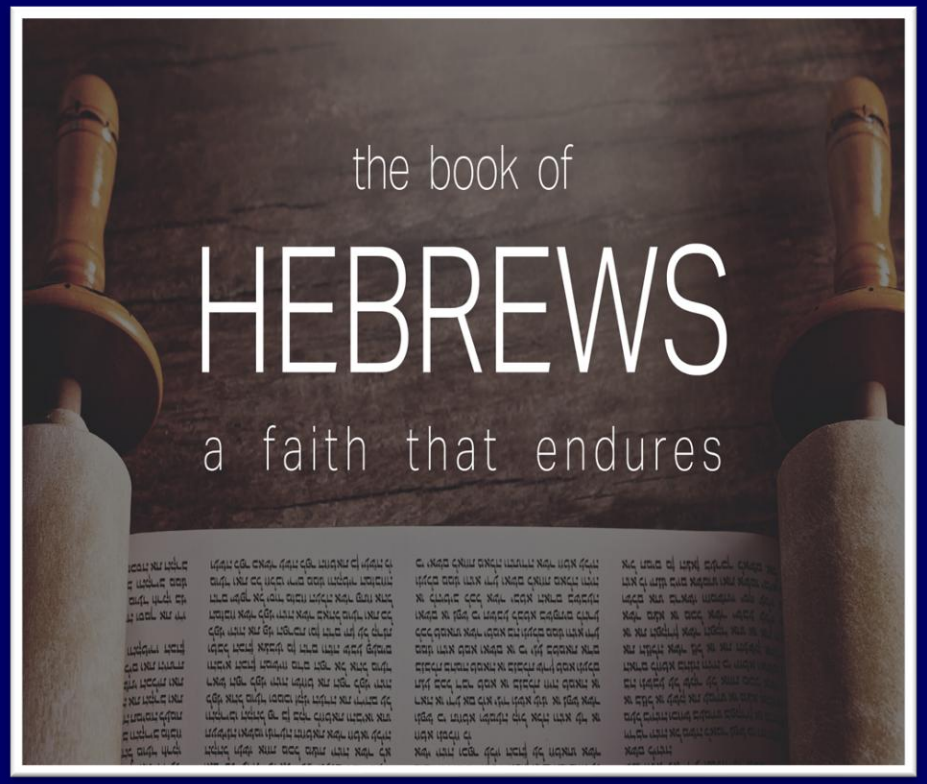
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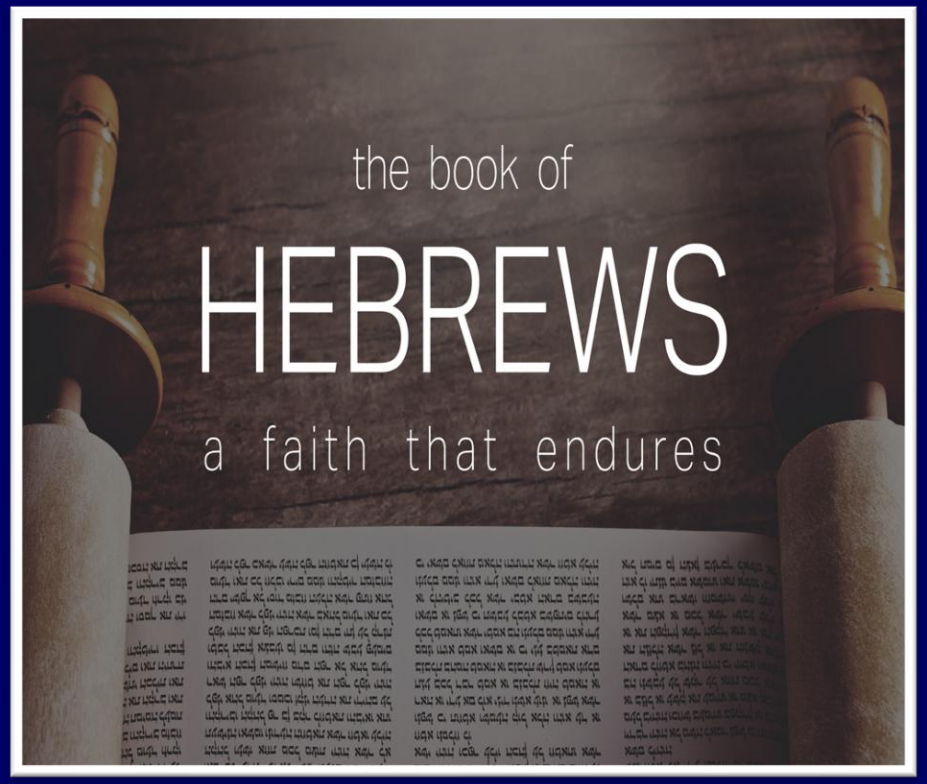
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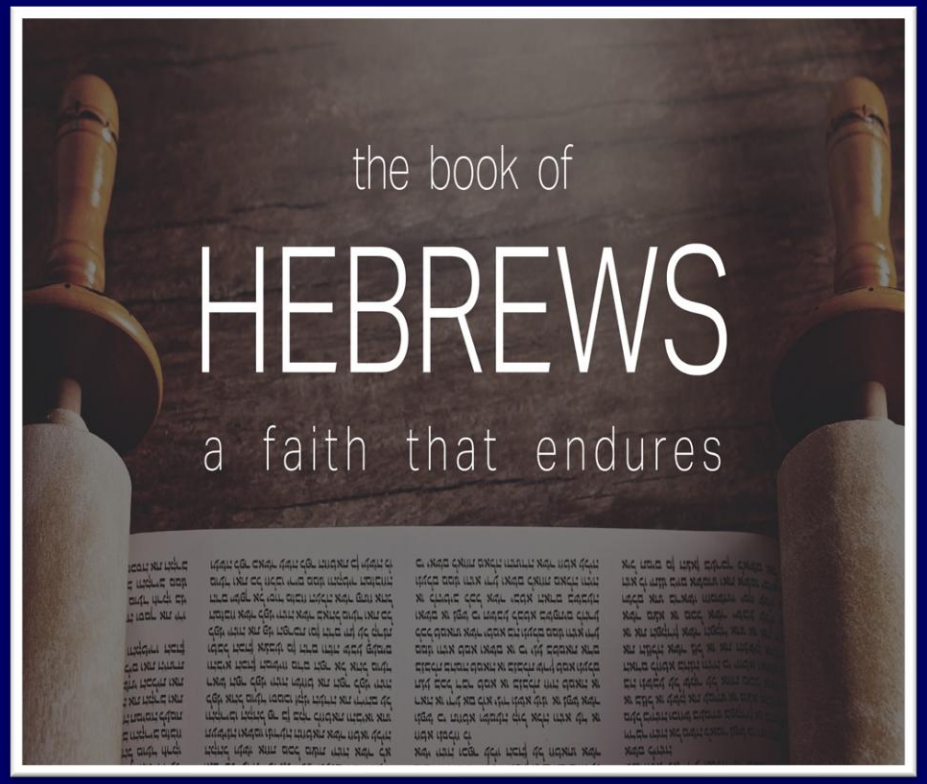
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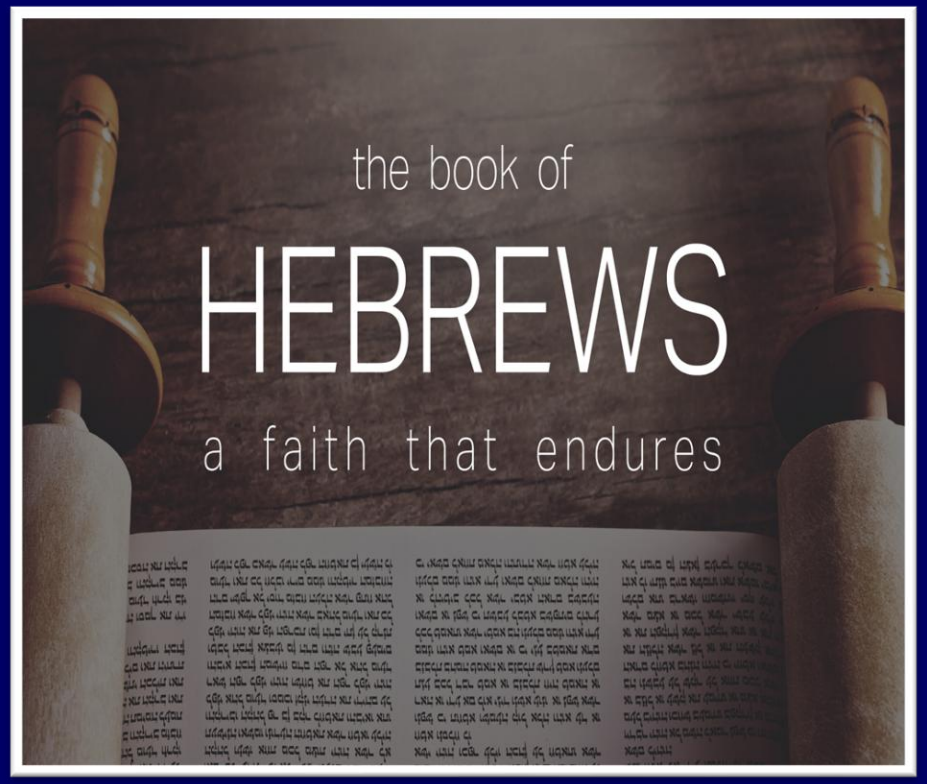
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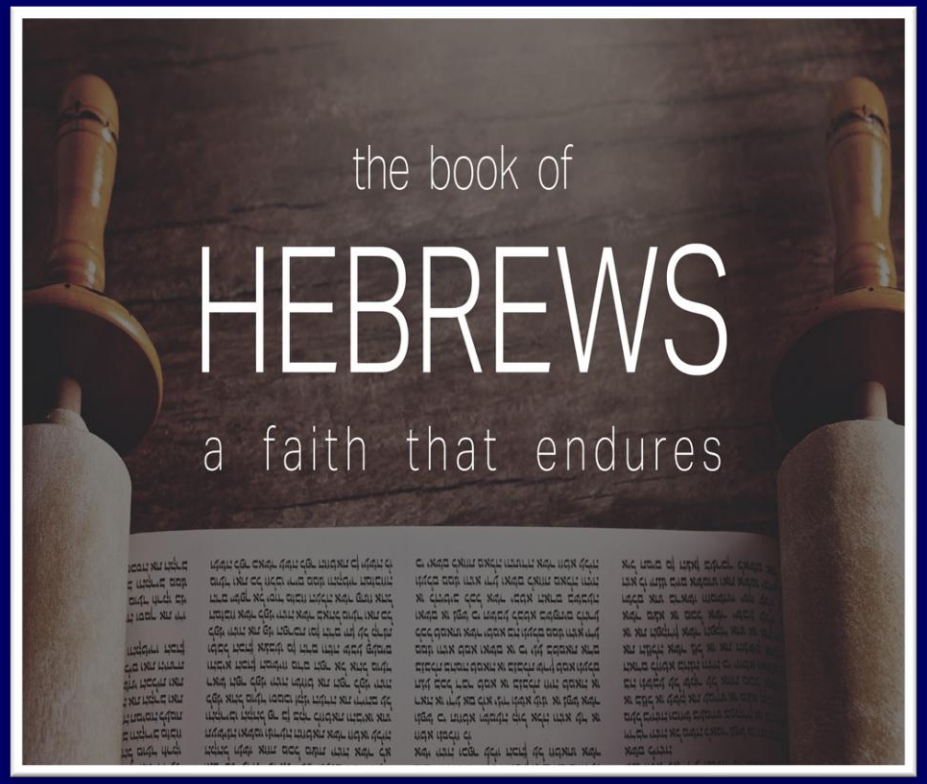
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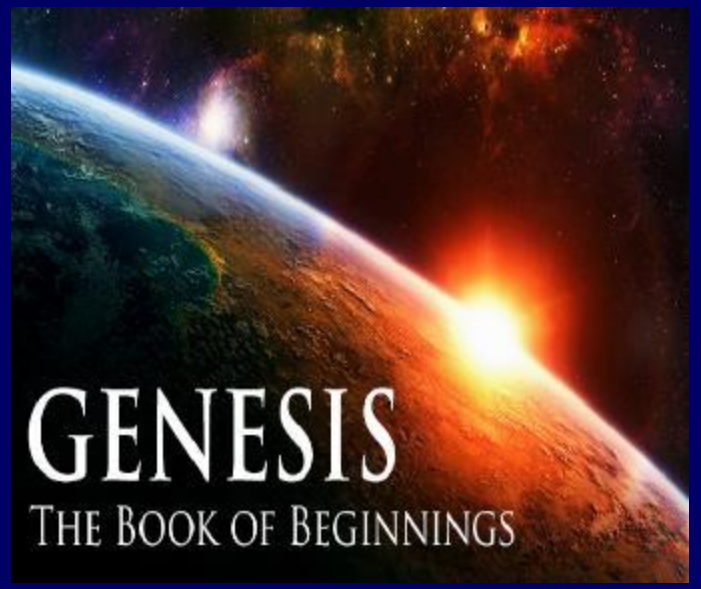
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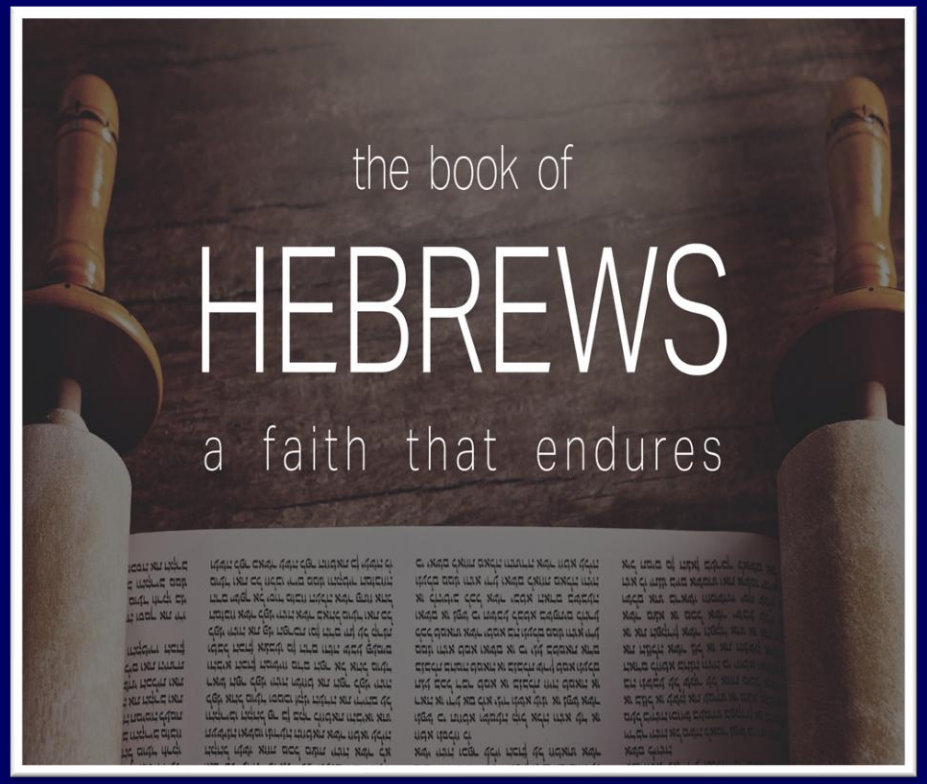
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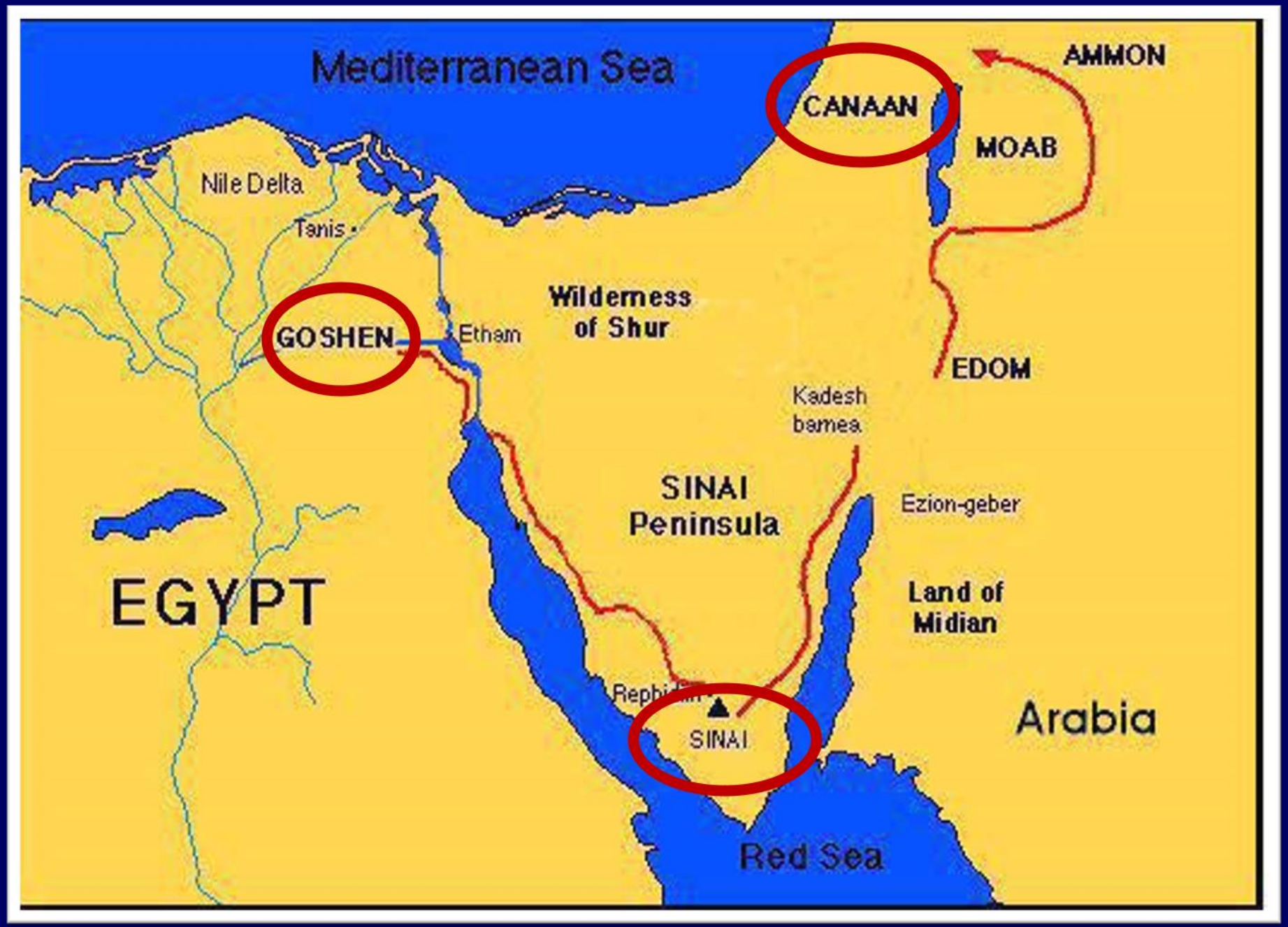
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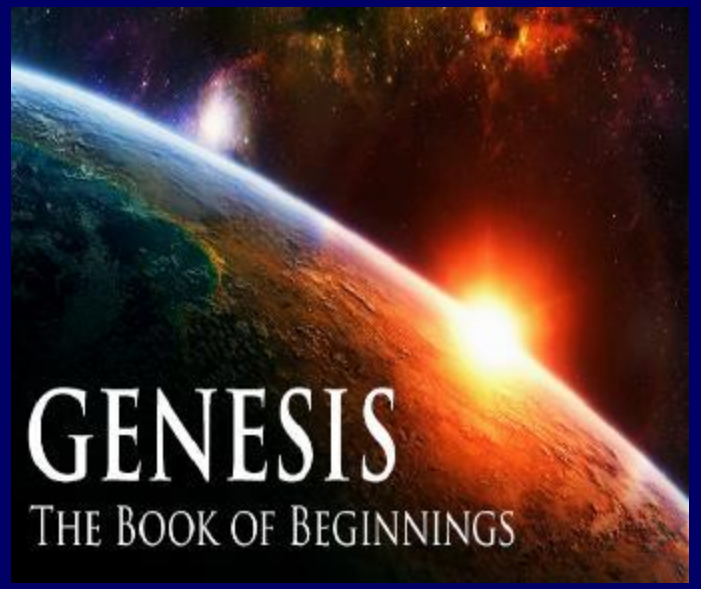
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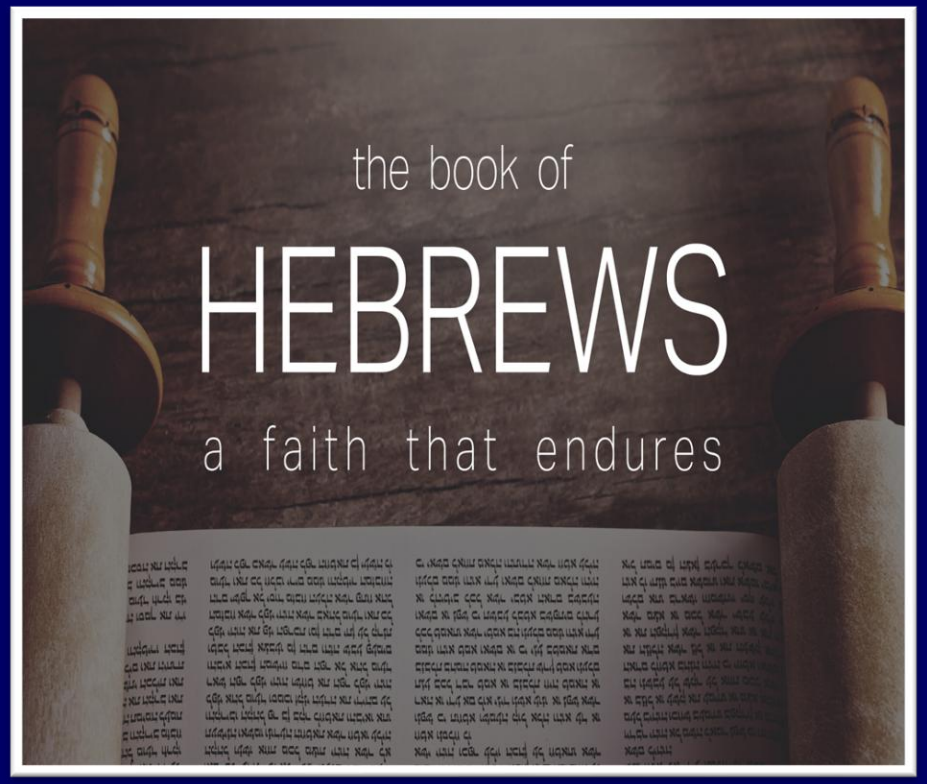
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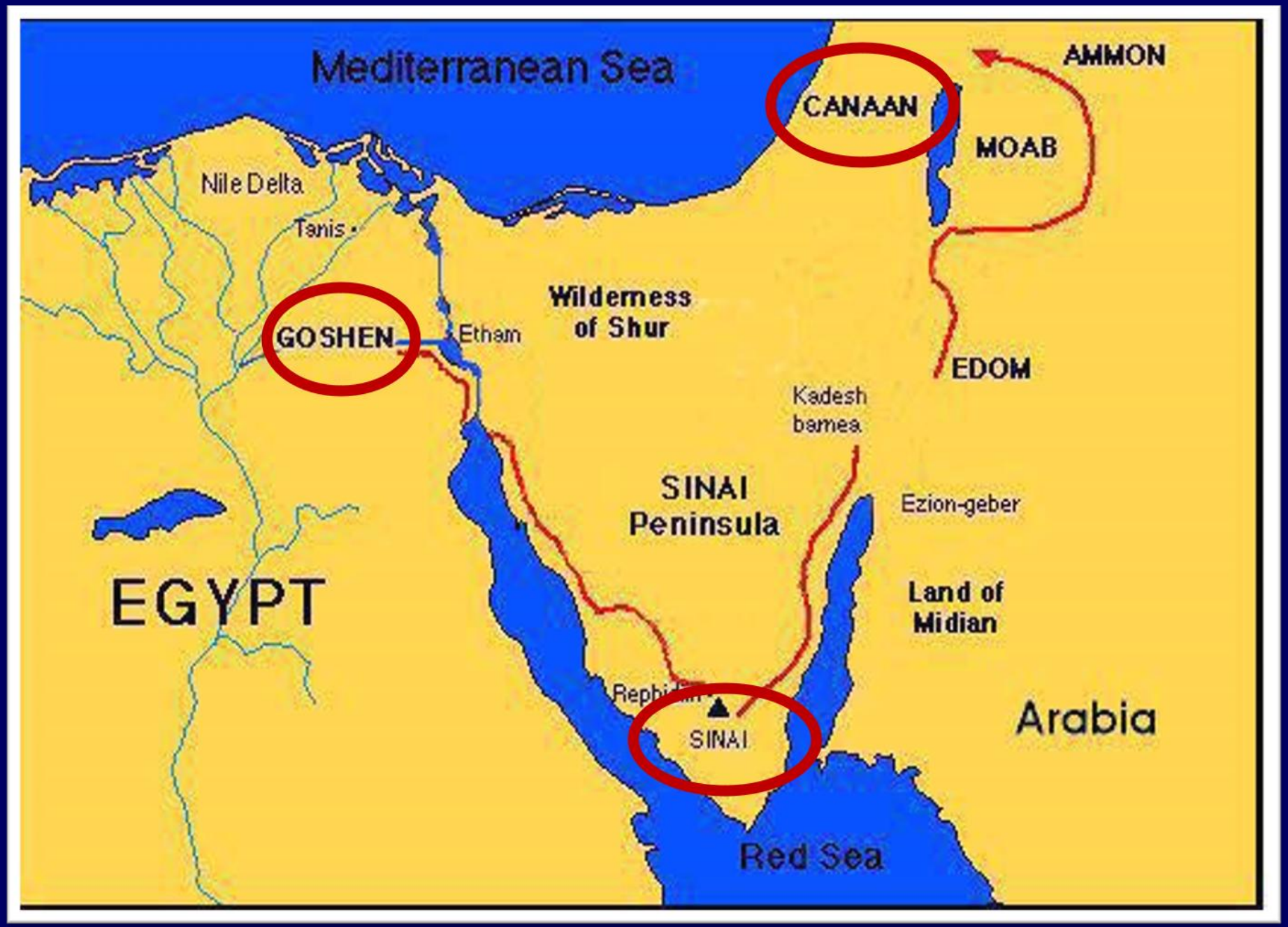
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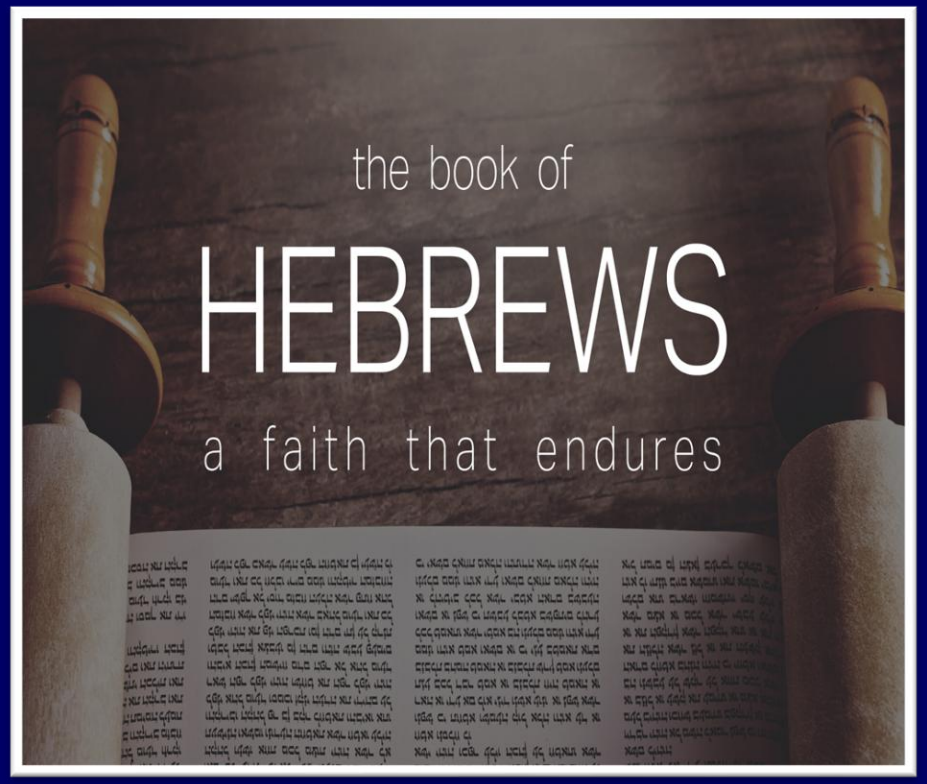
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"And the Word [***logos***] became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten [*monogenēs*] from the Father, full of grace and truth."



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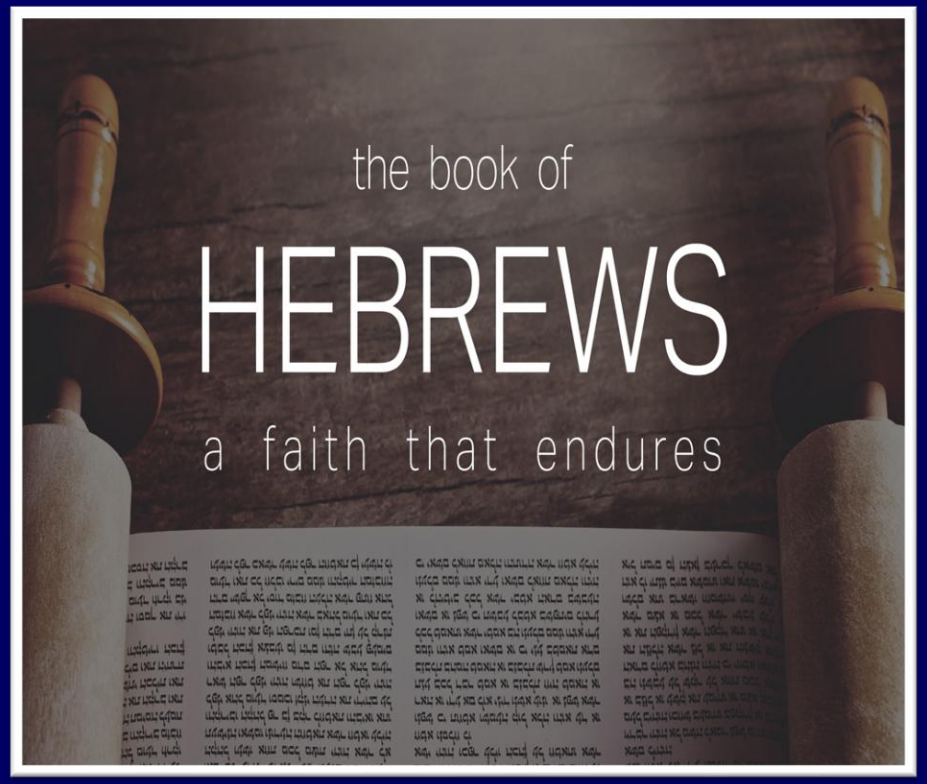
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