

King and Priest

Psalm 110 • December 5th, 2021

110 The LORD says to my Lord:
“Sit at my right hand,
until I make your enemies your
footstool.”

² The LORD sends forth from Zion
your mighty scepter.
Rule in the midst of your enemies!

³ Your people will offer themselves
freely
on the day of your power,
in holy garments;
from the womb of the morning,
the dew of your youth will be yours.

⁴ The LORD has sworn
and will not change his mind,
“You are a priest forever
after the order of Melchizedek.”

⁵ The Lord is at your right hand;
he will shatter kings on the day of his
wrath.

⁶ He will execute judgment among
the nations,
filling them with corpses;
he will shatter chiefs
over the wide earth.

⁷ He will drink from the brook by
the way;
therefore he will lift up his head.

Main Point:

God will conquer and rule a hostile world through the work of His anointed King-Priest.

Startling Stuff: v. 1

1. It's a prophecy
2. It's a royal Psalm... but the king is the speaker
3. King David calls this person “Lord”

Utterance #1: v. 1-3

King

Utterance #2: v. 4-7

Priest

Most startling of all:

God's Anointed is Jesus

A Conquering King... who dies on a cross?

(Acts 2:34-36)

A Great High Priest... who offers Himself as the sacrifice?

(Hebrews 7:11-28)

A Declaration that Demands A Response:

1. Jesus is King Supreme

So submit to the King in repentance

(Acts 2:37-41)

So trust in the King as your ultimate hope

(1 Cor. 15:25-26)

2. Jesus is Priest Forever

So rest in His provision for your sin

(Hebrews 7:23-25; 9:11-10:18, Romans 8:34)