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Keeping Yourself Oriented in a Disorienting World

Genesis 14, Hebrews 7

The priesthood that saves you is also the priesthood that sanctifies you.

The priesthood that cannot save you, also cannot sanctify you.

Priesthood of Melchizedek

Genesis 14:14

Abraham was a man of great means and great valor. 318 personal trained soldiers

vv. 18-20

Melchizedek: King of Salem (Jerusalem)
Priest of God Most High
Bread and Wine
He blessed Abraham

Abraham gave him a “tenth of all.”

Melchizedek: priest and king
superior to Abraham

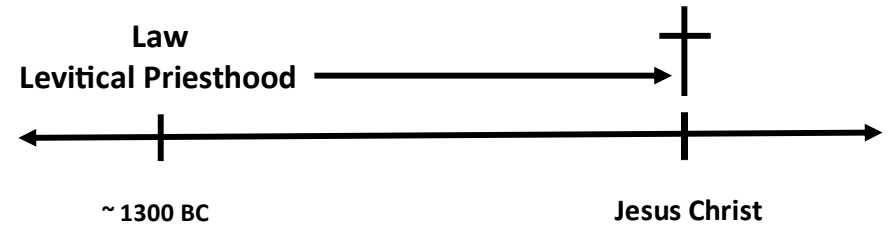
Priesthood of the Levite

Exodus 32:26 then Moses stood in the gate of the camp, and said, “Whoever is for the LORD, come to me!” And all the sons of Levi gathered together to him.

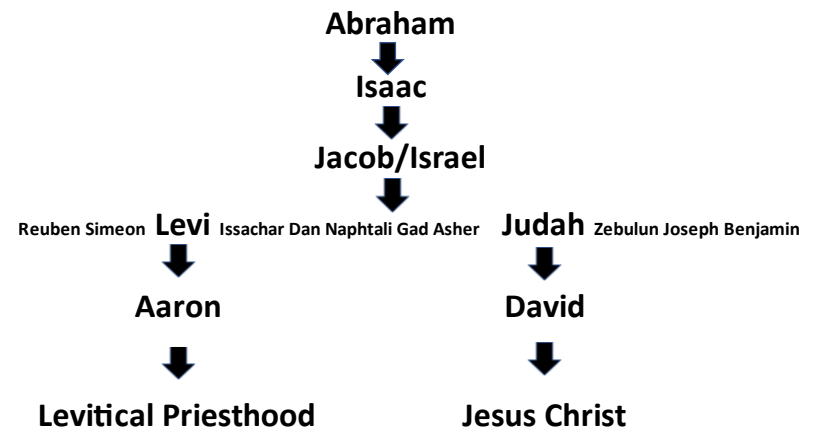
Numbers 3:12 “Now, behold, I have taken the Levites from among the sons of Israel instead of every firstborn, the first issue of the womb among the sons of Israel. So the Levites shall be Mine.

The termination of the Priesthood of the Levite

The Law had accomplished its purpose: it acted as a schoolmaster to lead the Israelite to Jesus Christ, that they might be justified by faith (Gal 3:24)



The lineage of Jesus Christ was not through Levi.



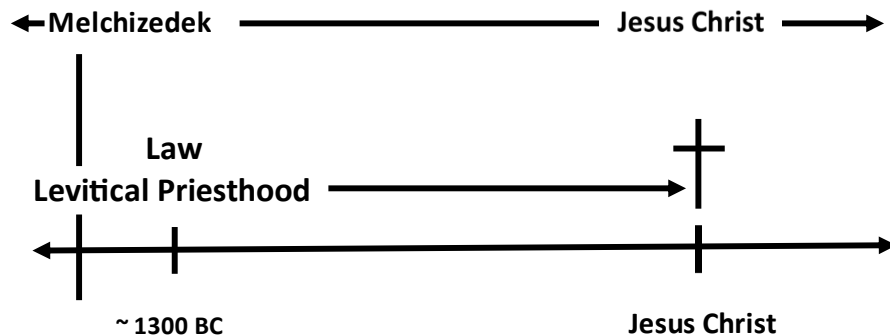
Priesthood of Jesus Christ

“Thou art a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek” (Ps 110:4)

Hebrews 7:1-19

v. 16 a priesthood of “do this, don’t do that” vs a priesthood of the power of an indestructible life

v. 18 a priesthood of “weakness and uselessness” vs. a “better hope, through which we draw near to God.”



But we all, with unveiled face beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit. 2 Cor 3:18

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Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

2 Timothy 2:15

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