

WHAT MATTERS MOST  
Hebrews 5:11-14 CSB  
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*We have a great deal to say about this, and it is difficult to explain, since you have become too lazy to understand. <sup>12</sup>Although by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you the basic principles of God's revelation again. You need milk, not solid food. <sup>13</sup>Now everyone who lives on milk is inexperienced with the message about righteousness, because he is an infant. <sup>14</sup>But solid food is for the mature—for those whose senses have been trained to distinguish between good and evil.*

Hebrews 5:11-14 (CSB)

1. If we are going to be SURE... What matters most is that we're STANDING in the right place. (Vs 11)

*We have a great deal to say about this, and it is difficult to explain, since you have become too lazy to understand.*

Hebrews 5:11 (CSB)

*No one takes this honor on himself; instead, a person is called by God, just as Aaron was.*

Hebrews 5:4 (CSB)

*For every high priest taken from among men is appointed in matters pertaining to God for the people, to offer both gifts and sacrifices for sins.*

Hebrews 5:1 (CSB)

*He is able to deal gently with those who are ignorant and are going astray, since he is also clothed with weakness. <sup>2</sup>Because of this, he must make an offering for his own sins as well as for the people.*

Hebrews 5:2-3 (CSB)

*In the same way, Christ did not exalt himself to become a high priest, but God who said to him, *You are my Son; today I have become your Father*, <sup>6</sup>also says in another place, *You are a priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek.**

Hebrews 5:5-6 (CSB)

*Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens—Jesus the Son of God—let us hold fast to our confession. <sup>15</sup>For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who has been tempted in every way as we are, yet without sin. <sup>16</sup>Therefore, let us approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in time of need.*

Hebrews 4:14-16 (CSB)

*For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, first to the Jew, and also to the Greek. <sup>17</sup>For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith, just as it is written: The righteous will live by faith.*

Romans 1:16-17 (CSB)

2. If we are going to be SENT... What matters most is that we're POINTED in the right direction. (Vs 12-14)

*Although by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you the basic principles of God's revelation again. You need milk, not solid food. <sup>13</sup>Now everyone who lives on milk is inexperienced with the message about righteousness, because he is an infant. <sup>14</sup>But solid food is for the mature—for those whose senses have been trained to distinguish between good and evil.*

Hebrews 5:12-14 (CSB)

*For my part, brothers and sisters, I was not able to speak to you as spiritual people but as people of the flesh, as babies in Christ. <sup>2</sup>I gave you milk to drink, not solid food, since you were not yet ready for it. In fact, you are still not ready,*

1 Corinthians 3:1-2 (CSB)