



Introduction

This final chapter reaffirms that salvation cannot be found by keeping Jewish rituals, only by showing faith in Jesus and his teaching.

Questions

- 1. Why should we be content with what we have?
- 2. What sacrifices are pleasing to God?
- 3. What does the writer to the Hebrews ask them to do, so that he will see them sooner?



Summary Points

- v 1 to 8 Advice on several aspects of Christian living including being content (see theme)
- **v 9 to 16** A warning to the Hebrews not to be led astray by strange teachings. They are to follow the example of Christ and look to praise and please God
- v 17 to 25 Final instructions and a blessing from the God of peace who raised Jesus from the dead

Timeline 60 AD (see below)

Theme

Being content

A selection of verses showing what a believer's attitude in life should be.

King David writes that a good man with little wealth is better off than the unscrupulous rich:

Psalm 37 verse 16

David's son Solomon says very much the same:

Proverbs 16 verse 8

Ecclesiastes 4 verse 6

Jesus himself says that we should not be anxious as God will provide all our needs:

Matthew 6 verses 25 and 26

The apostle Paul writes that the combination of contentment and godliness is a tremendous asset:

1 Timothy 6 verses 6 to 10



Answers to questions

Verses which answer the questions: Q 1: v 5, Q 2: v 16, Q 3: v 18 and 19



Bible timeline

