

## 8 steps of the "Path"

- 1. Faith
- 2. Excellence
- 3. Knowledge
- 4. Self-control
- 5. Perseverance
- 6. Godliness
- 7. Brotherly affection
- 8. Unselfish love

Perseverance is when we choose to trust God in every test, temptation, and trial

Godliness is when we work to align our character, ethics, worldview, and thought patterns with Christ

## Quick recap of how Jesus is better

- He is God's final, authoritative revelation
- He is better than the angels
- His message of the coming kingdom and kingdom inheritance carries his authority and punishment for those who neglect it

## 4 reasons Jesus is better as a Man

- 1) It enabled him to regain humanity's lost rule (2:5–9)
- 2) It allowed him to restore our relationship with God (2:10–13)
- 3) It equipped him to disarm Satan and deliver us from death (2:14–16)
- 4) It enabled him to become a sympathetic high priest (2:17–18)



## HEBSEVERANCE AND GODLINESS

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