Hebrews 1:1-3

"Open my eyes, that I may behold Wonderful things from Your law." Psalm 119:18

As we open up Hebrews chapter 1, pray for the Holy Spirit to guide you to behold the Wonderful truths of God's word.

Read Hebrews 1:1-3 and answer the following questions. Feel free to mark up your study notebook as you ponder the words from these verses. (You may need to answer the questions using a separate sheet of paper.)

- **1.** Read Genesis 17:1; Numbers 22:28-30; Jeremiah 1:1-10; and Daniel 7:1. Identify ways that God communicated with His people in the Old Testament.
- 2. Hebrews 1:2 says that God has now spoken to us through His Son. Find at least two additional references that show Christ to be the Word and the ultimate fulfillment of Old Testament prophecy.
- **3.** According to Hebrews 1:2, who appointed Christ as the heir of all things? From Hebrews 1:14, what do believers inherit because of Christ?

- **4.** What do Genesis 1:31, Colossians 1:15-17, and Hebrews 1:2-3a teach about creation and how it is sustained? What theological truth does this communicate about the person of Christ?
- **5.** What do Exodus 24:15-17 and Exodus 33:18-23 reveal about the glory of God?
- **6.** From Hebrews 1:3b, what did Jesus' death on the cross accomplish, and how was its effectiveness verified?
- **7.** Read Ex. 12:3-13 and Lev. 16:1-34. Briefly describe the O.T. picture of purification.
- **8.** From 1 Corinthians 6:9-11 and Ephesians 2:1-3, why is purification of sin necessary?
- 9. For personal consideration: If you have been cleansed from your sins by the work of Christ, praise Him with thanksgiving! If you do not know Him as your Savior, pray today that God would grant you His mercy!