

God Speaks
Someone Better
Hebrews 1:1-4
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What do we know?

1. **God** (verse 1)

- a. **Me-ology** versus **Theology**.
- b. It is not about us - it is about **God**.

2. God **Speaks**

- a. God spoke personally **first** (verse 1) *at various times and in various ways*
- b. God spoke through Prophets **formerly** – (verse 1)
 - i. Prophets received their messages **from God**. 2 Pe 1:20
 - ii. Prophets delivered the message **for God**. Ezekiel 2:3-5
 - iii. Prophets delivered **a partial** message.
 - iv. Prophets delivered a **progressive message**. -1 Pet 1:10-12 (*very important*)
- c. God spoke through his Son **finally** – Jesus Christ is God's **last word** to man. (verse 2-3)
 - i. Jesus is a **Prophet**
 - 1. He spoke through his **power** – creation power - verse 2
 - 2. He spoke through his **prophecy** - as the living word – verse 3 (Col 1:19; Col 2:9)
 - a. God message to man is **totally revealed in Jesus**.
 - 3. He spoke through his **person** – as the only image of the invisible God – (1 Tim 6:15-16; Col 1:15)
 - ii. Jesus is a **priest** (verse 4) – He purged our sin
 - iii. Jesus is **the King** – He sat down on the throne in heaven

3. God **still speaks** 12:25-29

- a. We refuse his message at **our own peril**.
- b. The overall message of Hebrews seems to be: "God has spoken; we have His Word. **What are we doing about it?"**
- c. God's message to man is **Jesus**: flee to Him in **faith** or face Him in **future judgment**. Heb. 12:29