

A New Relationship with God

Hebrews 8

As our new and better High Priest,
our new and better Intercessor,
 Jesus Christ brings us into
 a new and better relationship with God.

Jesus ministers for us,
 not in a tabernacle on earth,
 a shadowy copy of a heavenly original.
He ministers in The Tabernacle,
 in heaven itself,
 in the full, immediate presence of
 God,
 the I AM,
 His own Father.

His Father is now
 our Father.

His Spirit is now
 our Spirit.

His wisdom,
 His word,
 His will
are no longer a set of lofty rules
 we humans find impossible to keep.

His desire is now
 our desire.

His wisdom is now written,
not on tablets of stone, but on
 our minds and
 our hearts.

God works in us, both
 to want and
 to do

 all that He wants (Philippians 2:13, para.).

His beautiful will flows,
 not from the outside, in,
 but from the inside, out,
filling our whole beings with the beauty of

who He is and
who His love is recreating us to be.

HE is our salvation.
Our “work” is now simply trusting Him.
Our joy is now
 knowing Him,
 loving Him,
 glorifying Him, and
 sharing Him.

Hymn: [Holy, Holy, Holy God](#)

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