

**Valley Bible Church**  
**Sermon Notes for February 16, 2014**

**Christ is Superior to Moses**  
**Hebrews 3:1-6**

The author of the Book of Hebrews saw Christ as superior to the Old Testament prophets in Hebrews 1:1-4.

The author of Hebrews saw Christ as superior to the angels in Hebrews 1:5-2:18.

The author of Hebrews saw Christ as superior to Moses (Hebrews 3:1-4:13).

Christ, as an example of faithfulness, is superior to Moses (Hebrews 3:1-6).

The author, in seeking to show that Christ was superior to Moses in faithfulness, started by acknowledging that both Christ and Moses were faithful to God (Hebrews 3:1-2).

The verb “to consider” (KATANOEEO) means “to consider attentively.”

From the context of Hebrews 3:1, the challenge of the author to his readers seems to be to consider carefully the example of Jesus whom they in the past had confessed.

From the context of Hebrews 3:1 the specific area of Christ’s example that the author wanted his readers to focus on for special consideration was Christ’s faithfulness to the One who appointed Him.

Whereas Hebrews 3:2 draws a comparison between the faithfulness of Jesus and Moses, Hebrews 3:3 begins to draw a contrast between them.

Christ is the builder of the house, but Moses was a part of the house (Hebrews 3:3-4.)

Christ is the Son over the house, but Moses was only a servant in the house (Hebrews 3:5-6).

May God give us the grace to consider Christ, the Apostle and High Priest of our confession, so that we might in considering Him find ourselves turning to Him knowing that He is faithful.