

“Stature Comparison”

Hebrews 7:4-10
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Types...

1. _____ theological truths from OT history.
2. do not exactly _____ .
3. involve _____ doctrines, themes, lessons, truths, principles.

Melchizedek's role was superior to...

1. Abraham who...

1. paid _____ of the spoils.

2. was _____ by him.

Is tithing the New Testament rule for giving?

the argument: Since Abraham paid tithes before the Law of Moses, it is a principle that should be continued for Christians. {Genesis 14:18-20}

1. Abraham's tithe to Melchizedek was a one time gift not _____ giving.
2. Abraham was not giving tithes from his regular _____ but from the spoils of the war.

the NT rule: sow bountifully to reap bountifully {2 Corinthians 9:6-8}

1. as you _____ in your heart
2. not _____
3. not under _____
1. _____

2. The Key: the _____ is blessed by the _____ .

3. Levi who...

1. was _____ and _____ .

2. paid _____ through Abraham.

Was Melchizedek a theophany?

A theophany is a OT manifestation of pre-incarnate Christ.

1. Jesus was _____ to Melchizedek v3
2. Melchizedek was _____ the Son of God. v3
3. The similarity had to do with the _____ of priesthood.
4. Priests had to be _____ - incarnation was necessary
5. Theophanies were _____ appearances.