

Humanity's Future and Hope
Hebrews 2:5-9

☞ Humanity's future and hope is with Jesus Christ, not angels.

1. Humanity's future is to rule the world, 5-8b

- 1) God created mankind in his _____ to rule the world, 7-8b
 - *"a little lower than the angels,"* 7a
 - *"What is man that you are mindful of him ...crowned him with glory and honor,"* 6, 7b
 - *"You have set him over the works of your hands. You have put all things..."* 7c-8b
- 2) Because of _____ mankind cannot fulfill his God-given roles and responsibilities, 8c
- 3) Despite man's failure, God still plans on mankind—not _____—to rule the world in the coming kingdom, 5

2. Humanity's hope is with Jesus through his incarnation and death, 9

- 1) Jesus became a _____, *"made a little lower than the angels"*
- 2) Jesus died for _____, *"the suffering of death...taste death for everyone"*
- 3) Jesus is _____ because he died for mankind, *"for [because of] the suffering of death crowned with glory and honor"*
- 4) Jesus did this because of God's _____, *"by the grace of God"*