

Psalm 110 The Enthroned Messiah at God's Right Hand

v1-3: Christ as King

v1: The King in *the day of His patience*, seated at God's right hand.

The King in *the day of His vindication*, His enemies made His footstool.

v2: The King in *the day of His rule*, ruling with the rod of strength.

v3: The King in *the day of His power*, arrayed in beauty with a willing people.

v4: Christ as Priest

He is the unique sovereign King Priest after the order of Melchisedec.

Today, it is *the day of His intercession*, as Melchisedec Priest for His Church.

Quoted 5x in Hebrews 5-7, emphasising the superior authority, irrevocability & unfailing ministry of His Melchisedec priesthood compared with the Aaronic priesthood.

God will never be caused to repent of ordaining His Son to this ministry.

In the millennium, He will be the Melchisedec Priest for Israel on earth.

Zechariah 6v12-13, "Behold, the Man whose name is The Branch; and He shall grow up out of His place, and He shall build the temple of the LORD. Even He shall build the temple of the LORD; and He shall bear the glory, and shall sit and rule upon His throne; and He shall be a Priest upon His throne".

Into eternity, He will be "**a Priest for ever after the order of Melchizedek**", eternally blessing all God's people and revealing more of God to them.

v5-6: Christ as Judge

In *the day of His wrath*, He will take possession of His kingdom.

He will victor over all earthly kings that oppose His rule.

He will execute judgement among the nations of earth.

He will utterly destroy all military powers that oppose Him.

He will defeat all who are energised by Satan.

v7: Christ as Conqueror

After His great victory, there will be *the day of His satisfaction*.

He will be refreshed in fulfilling the divine will & purpose.

His delight will be to drink of the brook Cedron in that day.

He will lift up His head in all the dignity, majesty & glory of His own Person.