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- He brings the fulfillment of what this “copy and shadow” pointed to (i.e. heavenly realities)

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¹¹ But Christ has appeared as high priest of the good things which have come, through the greater and more perfect tabernacle, not made with hands, that is to say, not of this creation; ¹² and not by the blood of goats and calves, but by His own blood, He entered the holy place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption. ¹³ For if the blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer sprinkling those who have been defiled sanctify for the purity of the flesh, ¹⁴ how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without blemish to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?

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Christ's All-Sufficient Sacrifice

1. A Better Sanctuary
 - Christ has appeared as high priest before the very presence of God in the heavenly “holy place”
 - Christ has entered this more perfect sanctuary as high priest permanently – “once for all”

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2. A Better Blood
 - animal blood (sacrifice) was insufficient for the cleansing needed to secure access to God
 - His “own blood” – His willing sacrifice of His life was sufficient to secure eternal redemption
 - as High Priest in heaven, He offers to God the life He gave for the redemption of His people

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3. A Better Cleansing

- the blood and washings of the earthly sanctuary provided an outward, ritual purity
- the blood of Christ provides inward cleansing from sin and spiritual transformation

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Q: Have you experienced the cleansing of your conscience and spiritual transformation?

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