

Why Jesus High Priest “according to the order of Melchizedek”?

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Hebrews 5:10

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¹⁰ called by God as **High Priest “according to the order of Melchizedek,”**

Hebrews 7:17

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¹⁷ For He testifies:

“You *are* a priest **forever**

According to the order of Melchizedek.”*

*Psalm 110:4

Why not “according to the order of Levi” ?

- Levi Priest Hood had 81 High Priests starting from Aaron to Caiaphas. All died.
- Levi Priest Hood fails

Melchizedek Priest Hood

- Only blessings came from the mouth of Melchizedek
- No mention of the death of Melchizedek in Bible
- Everlasting Priest Hood.
- Jesus is the High Priest forever
- Jesus Priesthood never fails

Blessing for the people depends on how good the High Priest is

- Jesus is our High Priest.
- Jesus always accepted before God
- You are always accepted before God