

The Old and New Testaments Compared & Contrasted **Hebrews 12:18 – 24**

*This passage of scripture is divided into two distinct parts. The parts are Mt. Sinai (verses 18 – 21), and Mt. Zion (verses 22 – 24). These verses speak of the two separate testaments that are in our Bible, i.e., the Old Testament and the New Testament. **Listed below are some of the distinctions between these two testaments:***

Hebrews 12:18 – 21

The Old Covenant

Moses (The Mediator)
A servant of God

Mt. Sinai

Earthly

Law

The Law that says, "Do"

Outward/Visible

Fleshly/Physical

Aaron

Hagar (the bondwoman)

Separation

Glorious

Temporary

Symbolic (Shadows)

Weak (Weaknesses)

Good

Hebrews 12:22 – 24

The New Covenant

Jesus Christ (The Mediator)
The Son of God

Mt. Zion

Heavenly

Grace

The Gospel that says, "Believe"
in what Jesus Christ has Done

Inward/Invisible

Spirit/Spiritual

Christ Jesus

Sarah (the freewoman)

Communion

More Glorious

Permanent and Final

Real (Image)

Perfect (Complete)

Better
Because it is founded on better:
Promises, High Priest, Mediator,
Tabernacle, Priesthood, Sacrifice

Reference Scriptures:

Hebrews 3:1 – 6	Hebrews 5:1 – 6	Hebrews 6:20	John 1:17
Hebrews 7:11 – 19	Hebrews 7:28	Hebrews 8:1 – 5	Galatians 4:21-31
Hebrews 8:6	Hebrews 8:7, 8, 13	Hebrews 9:8, 11	
Hebrews 9:18 – 23	Hebrews 10:1, 4	Hebrews 10:11, 14	

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