

**JESUS -
A BETTER HIGH
PRIEST**

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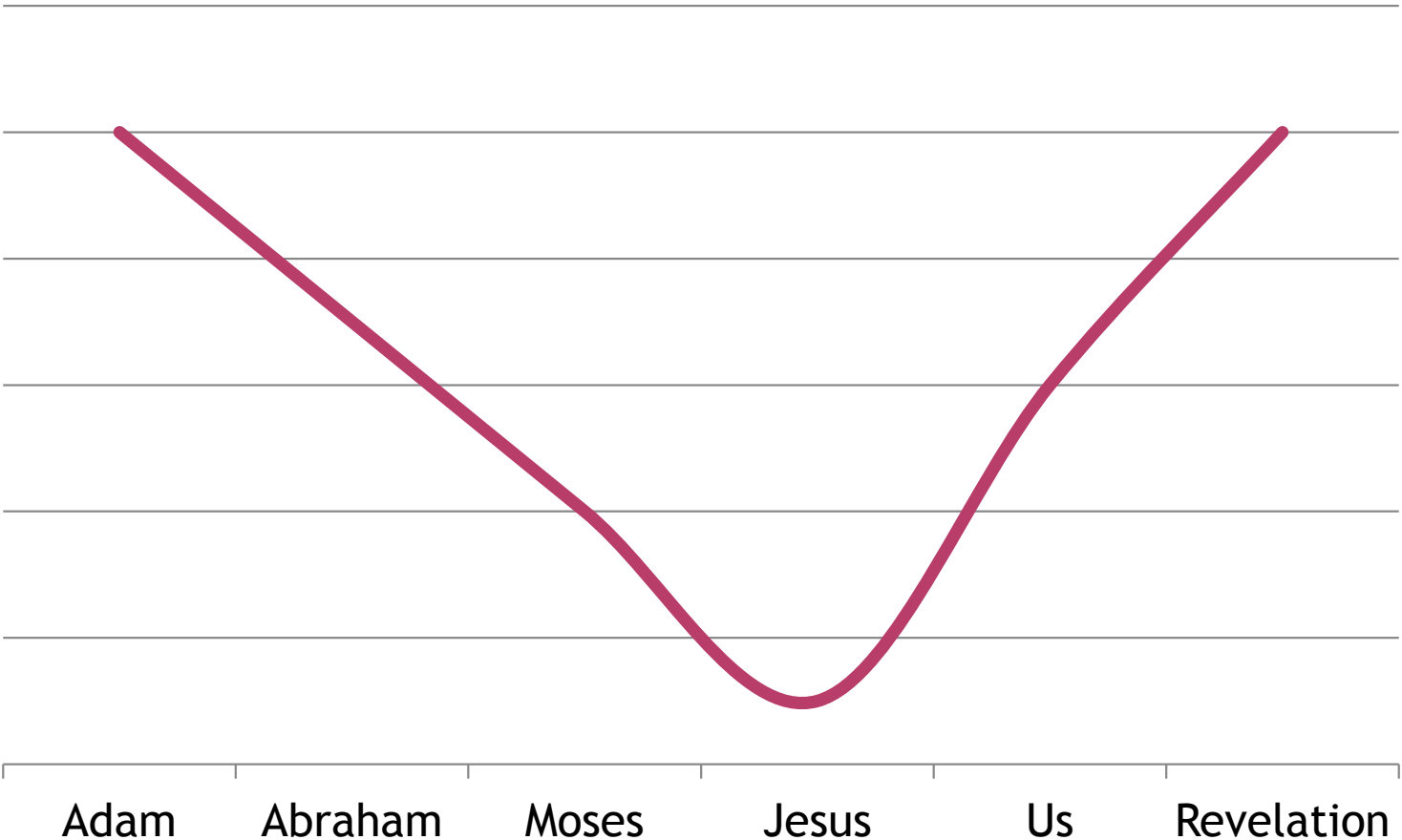
It ain't those parts of the bible that I can't understand that bothers me, it's the parts that I do understand

HEBREWS 5 V6

‘You are a Priest for ever in the order of
Melchizedek’

TIMELINE

HISTORY OF OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD



GENESIS 14 V18

Then Melchizedek king of Salem bought out bread and wine. He was priest of God Most High and he blessed Abram, saying.

‘Blessed be Abram by God Most High,
Creator of heaven and earth.

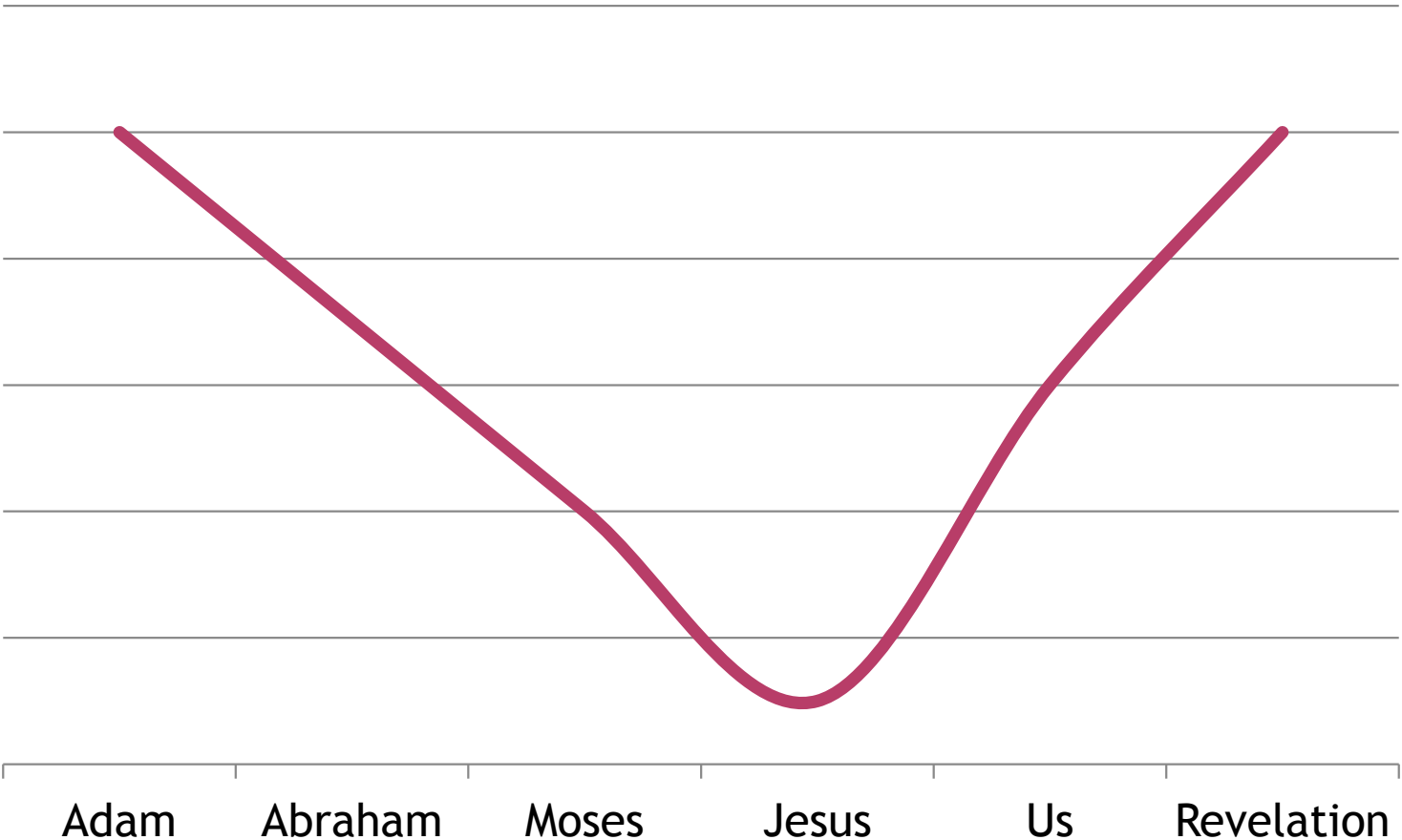
And praise be to God Most High,
Who delivered your enemies into your hand’

Then Abram gave him a tenth of everything.



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BETTER THAN LEVI

Hebrews 7 11

If perfection could have been attained through the Levitical Priesthood... Why was there a need for another priest... (Jesus)

Hebrews 7 24

Because Jesus lives for ever, he has a permanent priesthood.

Therefore he is able to save completely those who come to God through Him, because he always lives to intercede for them.

Such a high priest truly meets our need - one who is holy, blameless, pure, set apart from sinners, exalted above the heavens.

Unlike the other high priests, he does not need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins and then for the sins of the people.

He sacrificed for their sins once for all when he offered himself.

A BETTER AGREEMENT...

Hebrews 8 10

This is the covenant I will establish with the people of Israel after that time, declares the Lord.

I will put my laws in their minds and write them upon their hearts.

I will be their God and they will be my people

No longer will they teach their neighbours, or say to one another, “Know the Lord” because they will all know me...