

Exodus 28:1 **Aaron and his Sons appointed Priests for Israel**

¹ "Now take Aaron your brother, and his sons with him, from among the children of Israel, that he may minister to Me as priest, Aaron and Aaron's sons: Nadab, Abihu, Eleazar, and Ithamar. NKJV

Facts Revealed:

- ✧ Aaron and his sons were appointed by God Himself to be priests for the Children of Israel, as explained in Hebrews 5:1-4
 - ✧ He is to be taken from among his brethren. [\[Hebrews 5:1\]](#)
He is appointed for men in things pertaining to God so that he can have compassion on those who are ignorant and going astray, since he himself is also plagued by weakness. [\[Hebrews 5:2\]](#)
 - ✧ This is the reason he must offer sacrifices for sin, for himself, as well as for the people. [\[Hebrews 5:3\]](#)
 - ✧ Aaron and his sons Nadab, Abihu, Eleazar, and Ithamar were appointed by name by God Who specifically called them to His service.
 - ✧ No man takes this honor to himself, but he who is called by God, just as Aaron was. [\[Hebrews 5:4\]](#)
 - ✧ So the call of a man into the service of God is not by his own choice, but By God's appointment. [\[Hebrews 5:4\]](#)
 - ✧ Aaron and his sons become the example for the Chosen Generation, Royal Priesthood, and Holy Nation, His own special people. [\[1 Peter 2:9, Exodus 19:6\]](#)
 - ✧ The Priests were not elected by man, but were born into it by commandment of God.
 - ✧ He is not to serve alone, but with his sons.
 - ✧ This is the case today, we cannot serve God on our own, but we serve God with others also appointed, and always under our High Priest and Lord, Messiah Jesus Christ; Who became a man and is our Wonderful (amazing, marvelous), Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, and Prince of Peace. [\[Isaiah 9:6\]](#)
 - ✧ Jesus was appointed by God as our High Priest according to the order of Melchizedek:

⁵ So also Christ did not glorify Himself to become High Priest, but it was He who said to Him:

*"You are My Son,
Today I have begotten You."*

⁶ As He also says in another place:

*"You are a priest forever
According to the order of Melchizedek."*

⁷ Who, in the days of His flesh, when He had offered up prayers and supplications, with vehement cries and tears to Him who was able to save Him from death, and was heard because of His godly fear, ⁸ though He was a Son, yet He learned obedience by the things which He suffered. ⁹ And having been perfected, He became the author of eternal salvation to all who obey Him, ¹⁰ called by God as High Priest "according to the order of Melchizedek," [\[Hebrews 5:5-10\]](#) NKJV

✧ We also today, must be born as children of God into the priesthood, by the New Birth, which is of the Spirit through faith that comes through believing God's Holy Word. [[John 3:3-7](#), [1 Peter 1:18-23](#)]