

INTRODUCTION

- * Over the past couple of weeks we have considered the Priesthood of the Messiah. The authenticity of His Priesthood is critical for authoritativeness of His Propitiatory Sacrifice by which the New Covenant was established once for all.
- * Today, we begin considering the apex of this book. This is to which the author has been building. Messiah - God Incarnate - came to establish a New and Living Way through the Veil by offering Himself as the Perfect Sacrifice for our sins.
- * Today, we see that God had many different aspects of His redemptive plan working in harmony and pointing toward the ultimate payment for our sins!
- * Lord willing, next week we will consider the Presentation of the Ultimate Sacrifice. Then, in two weeks, consider in much greater detail the passage that we have been memorizing to consider the Pertinence of the Covenant in the Activities of the Church.

INSTRUCTION**I. THE PREPARATION OF THE ULTIMATE SANCTUARY (8:13-9:14)****A. The First (Old) Covenant**

1. HAD A WORLDLY S_____ (v. 1-3)
 - a. It Pertained to the World
 - b. It Was Divided into Two Parts
 - i. *THE FIRST PART* (v. 2)
 - ii. *THE SECOND PART* (v. 3-5)
2. HAD A WORLDLY S_____ (v. 1,6-10)
 - a. C_____ (v. 6)
 - b. A_____ (v. 7-8; cf. Leviticus 16; 23:26-32; Numbers 29:7-11)
 - c. S_____ (v. 9-10)

B. The Second (New) Covenant

1. HAS A HEAVENLY S_____ (v. 11)
 - a. Not _____
 - b. Not _____
2. HAS A HEAVENLY S_____ (v. 12-14)
 - a. The C_____ of the Most Holy Place (v. 12)
 - b. The C_____ of Eternal Redemption (v. 12-14a)
 - c. The C_____ of Your Conscience (v. 14)

II. THE PRESENTATION OF THE ULTIMATE SACRIFICE (9:15 - 10:18)**INTROSPECTION**

- * In God's Redemptive Plan - if you haven't submitted to His New Covenant, you are still under the requirements of the Old Covenant. Which of these covenants are you part?
- * Have you accepted the free gift of salvation through the sacrifice of Christ?
- * Has your conscience been cleansed from dead works? Are you actively seeking to serve the Living God?
- * Is there a need to change the way you think and therefore the way you act?

INTERACTION ... Thoughts & Questions to ponder for later discussion

- * Consider further the concept of cleansing "your conscience from dead works to serve the living God." (You may want to consider passages that refer to the conscience, such as: John 8:1-11; 1 Timothy 1:3-11; Titus 1:15-16; and 1 Peter 2:17-20 and 3:15-17.)