NEW BIRTH BAPTIST CHURCH BOOK OF LEVITICUSAs Taught by Pastor Dwayne Young

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LESSON 5 – THE SIN OFFERING/ "HATE SIN/LOVE CHRIST"

"Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, If a soul shall sin through ignorance against any of the commandments of the Lord concerning things which ought not to be done, and shall do against any of them." - Leviticus 4:2

"Who gave himself for our **sins**, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father:" - Galatians 4:1

Sin is sin. There is no color coating any of it. However, the Bible does address a difference of willful and ignorant sin; sin of knowledge and sin of unknown action. Regardless, the penalty remains the same for "the wages of sin is death." – Romans 6:23. Thus, the Levitical system requires the sacrifice of an animal as the payment for the sins of the people of all levels within the congregation. As you read through the next several chapters, you will find subtle differences in process and procedures but regardless, the shedding of blood is required no matter who has sinned and no matter the sin – known or unknown. Intended or unintended. The Blood Covered it All!

Key Terms and Thoughts

The act by which God restores a relationship of harmony and unity between Himself and human beings. The word can be broken into three parts which express this great truth in simple but profound terms: "at-one-ment". The suffix '-ment' means "action". So "at one action", our sins are forgiven, we are reinstated and our relationship is restored. That action was at the Cross!

Atone(ment)

Additional Scriptures: Proverbs 8:36, Numbers 15:30, Leviticus 16:21, Hebrew 13:11-13