

NIV MEMORY VERSE: Hebrews 10:24

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds.

General & Personal Letters 17-1**"THE TWO COVENANTS COMPARED"
READ Hebrews 9:1-10:39****DAY 1 READ Hebrews 9:1-10:39**

1. What was a special thought to you in the last lesson?
2. It is important that you read and reread both chapters together. What do you think is the author's main concern in this lesson? Choose one ____ (indicate by lettered answer below).
 - a. Explaining blood and the covenant
 - b. Warning of judgment
 - c. Perseverance in the faith

DAY 2 REVIEW Hebrews 9:1-10

3. Old Testament Scriptures had what is called "types and shadows" of things to come. What did we learn about that in Colossians 2:16-17?

... in Hebrews 8:5?
4. In the tabernacle . . .
 - a. What was in the first room (Holy Place)?
 - b. Behind the curtain was a room called _____.
 - c. Describe the Ark of the Covenant and its contents.
5. While the priests ministered in the Holy Place, what was the duty of the high priest?
6. a. What did the Holy Spirit show by limiting access to the Most Holy Place (Holy of Holies)?
b. What was the limitation of the gifts and offerings?
7. (IN-DEPTH) The tabernacle was a picture of the gospel. From your Bible knowledge, what else was a part of the tabernacle worship? (See Exodus 27:1-3,30:17-21)
8. In Hebrews 9:10 the words "ceremonial" and "external" are used. What does that bring to mind when you think of them in connection with worship?
9. What makes worship especially significant for you personally? Please share.

DAY 3 REVIEW Hebrews 9:11-28

10. Hebrews chapter 8 already established Jesus as the high priest of the New Covenant.
 - a. Jesus entered the most Holy Place in the perfect tabernacle with what sacrifice?
 - b. What did the blood of Christ do that the blood of animals couldn't do?
 - c. How do you usually react to the sight of blood?
 - d. What do you observe in people with a guilty conscience?
. . . a clear conscience?
11. What important things do we learn about the blood in these Scriptures?
 - a. Hebrews 9:22
 - b. Leviticus 17:11
 - c. Luke 22:20
 - d. Romans 5:8-9
 - e. 1 John 1:7
12. a. For what did Jesus come the first time?
b. For what will He come a second time?

DAY 4 REVIEW Hebrews 10:1-18

13. a. What is the truth of verse 4?
b. What is the testimony of verses 9-10?

DAY 4 (Continued) REVIEW Hebrews 10:1-18

14. What was Jeremiah's prophecy in Hebrews 10:16-17?

15. Why do you think it's hard to comprehend/accept the full meaning of forgiveness of sin?

16. Abolishing the old sacrificial system called for a real change in thinking for the Hebrew Christians.
 - a. Why is change so difficult for us?

 - b. What did you have to change in your thinking when you became a Christian?

DAY 5 REVIEW Hebrews 10:19-39

17. Because of Christ what are Christians urged to do in verses 22-25?

18. a. What does willful or deliberate sin mean to you?

- b. What is the warning in verse 26?

- c. What are those who deliberately sin to expect?

- d. What comes to mind in the phrase "insult the spirit of grace?"

19. What had these Christians suffered?

20. What were the encouraging words of verse 36?
. . . of verse 39?

21. Don't go back! Be steadfast! Write a favorite Scripture that encourages you to that end.

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LECTURE NOTES:

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Hebrews 12:1 "Therefore since we are surrounded by such a cloud of witnesses . . ."
Harriet Beecher Stowe 1811-1896

