

LOUD CRY
COMPENDIUM

THE MINISTRY OF JESUS

In Scripture, we are taught that the plan of Redemption for fallen, sinful man in Christ Jesus, has three different stages. We shall attempt by the searching of the Scriptures to make this plain to the reader, so that they can have a better understanding of what Jesus has done and is doing for us.

Q. In the Old Testament what was the **primary** animal which was offered as a sacrifice?

A. A male lamb, of a year old, without any blemish or defect.

Genesis 4:3-5; Leviticus 1:10-13; Exodus 12:3,5

Q. Upon what was the lamb of sacrifice to be offered?A. Upon an altar.

Genesis 8:20;12:7;26:25;35:1-3;Exodus 17:15;27:1-8

Q. Why was the lamb slain and the blood shed?

A. This signified the confirmation of the Old Covenant between God and His children.

Hebrews 9:18,20,22; Exodus 24:1-8

Q. Was it possible for the blood of a literal lamb to take away sins? A. No, it was not possible for sins to be forgiven by the blood of the literal lamb. This represented a foreshadowing of something better which was to come.

Hebrews 10:1-2,4-7

Q. Who then did this lamb foreshadow or represent?A. Jesus, the Lamb of God. Who was offered up on our behalf.

John 1:29; 1 Peter 1:18-19; Hebrews 10:12,14; Genesis 22:7-8; Isaiah 53:6,7

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Q. If the blood that was shed in the Old Testament represented the confirmation of the Old Covenant, what did the blood of the Lamb of God represent?

A. It represented the confirmation of the New Covenant, therefore making the Old Covenant obsolete.

Hebrews 9:15-17;10:8-10;8:6,13

Q. After the blood of the lamb was slain in the Old Testament, what was then done with this blood?

A. It was then used to make atonement for the repentant sinner.

Leviticus 3:6-8, Leviticus 1:10-11; Leviticus 4:6,7,17,18,25,30,34

Q. Who was the one that officiated the process with the blood?

A. It was the Priest.

Leviticus 3:6-8, Leviticus 1:10-11; Leviticus 4:6,7,17,18,25,30,34

Q. Who did this earthly priest represent or foreshadow?

A. It represented Christ, our Great High Priest.

Hebrews 3:1;4:14-15;5:5-6;7:26;8:1-2;9:11

Q. If Christ, by His shed blood, was made a sacrifice for us, what then is His role as High Priest?

A. He is now our Advocate (Intercessor) before the Father.

Hebrews 7:24-25; Romans 8:34; Isaiah 53:12;59:15-16;

1 Timothy 2:5; 1 John 2:1

Note: So far we have seen that Christ not only was the Lamb, which takes away our sins, but He also is our Great High Priest who intercedes before the Father for us, offering His Blood which He shed.

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Q. Christ has been the Lamb, He is now our High Priest. What shall be His next role?

A. King of Kings & Lord of Lords

Revelation19:11-13,16;Revelation 17:14; 1 Timothy 6:14-15; Philippians 2:9; Psalm 72:11; Daniel 7:13-14

Q. What reward shall the King give to His faithful servants who have patiently waited for His return?

A. Eternal life and a crown of gold.

Revelation 22:12; James 1:12; 1 Peter 5:4; 2 Timothy 4:8; Matthew 25:34; 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17

Q. What shall be the reward of the wicked who have rejected the King?

A. They shall be destroyed and shall cease to exist hence forth.

Revelation 20:11-15; Matthew 25:41; John 3:36; Psalm 110:5-6

Q. What warning does Christ give to all mankind regarding His soon return as King?

A. I COME QUICKLY

Revelation 22:7,12,20

CHRIST THE LAMB of God takes away the sins of the world.

CHRIST THE GREAT HIGH PREIST, the only Mediator between the Father and man, and soon and very soon, He is to return as CHRIST THE KING OF KINGS & LORD OF LORDS.

Jesus is coming, but not as at His first advent, a babe in Bethlehem; not as He rode into Jerusalem, when the disciples praised God with a loud voice and cried, "Hosanna"; but in the glory of the Father and with all the retinue of holy angels to escort Him on His way to earth. All heaven will be emptied of the angels, while the waiting saints will be looking for Him and gazing into heaven, as were the men of Galilee when He ascended from the Mount of Olivet. Then only those who are holy, those who have followed fully the meek Pattern, will with rapturous joy exclaim as they behold Him, "Lo, this is our God; we have waited for Him, and He will save us." And they will be changed "in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump"—that trump which wakes the sleeping saints, and calls them forth from their dusty beds, clothed with glorious immortality, and shouting, "Victory! Victory over death and the grave!" The changed saints are then caught up together with the angels to meet the Lord in the air, never more to be separated from the object of their love. Early Writings 110.1

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