

INTRODUCTION

A. THE OLD TESTAMENT PARABLES OF THE CROSS (see Mt.13:3,9; Heb.5-10)

B. ALL SACRIFICES

1. *offerer, offering & official* (Lev.1-7; see Jn.10:18; Heb.9:11f)
2. *blood, burning & banquet* (Lev.1:5,9; see 21:6; see Ex.24:11; 1Chr.29:21f; Acts 10:41)

C. COVENANT FELLOWSHIP

1. *tabernacle: I will be your God* (Lev.9:23; *cloud of presence*, He dwell among; present to bless; see garden//Holy of Holies; *incarnation*)
2. *sacrifices: you will be My people* (Lev.9:24; *cloud of sacrifice*, we come to; He pleased, satisfied; *crucifixion*,etc.)
3. *fellowship applied: burnt offering* (Lev.1) & *meal offering* (Lev.2) & *peace offering* (Lev.3)
4. *fellowship accomplished: sin offering* (Lev.4) & *guilt offering* (Lev.5)

I. THE BURNT OFFERING (Lev.1:1-17)

A. TERM OF GENERAL & SPECIFIC USAGE (Gen.8:20; Ex.10:25; 1Sam.6:15&Lev.7:37, chps.1-7)

B. DISTINCTIVE CHARACTER: COMPLETELY CONSUMED (Lev.1:5; 8,9,13,17; see 9:24; 1Kngs.18:38; 2Chr.7:1; see Ps.51:19; Dt.13:16; only skin not; Lev.1:6; 7:8; Gen.3:21)

C. DISTINCTIVE SIGNIFICANCE: COMPLETELY ACCEPTED (Lev.1:3,4; 9,13,17; see 9:24,23; Dt.33:10; Ps.20:3; also 2Chr.7:1,2; 1Kng.18:38,39; 2Chr.7:1)

II. THE THEOLOGY OF THE CROSS IN THE BURNT OFFERING

A. CHRIST COMPLETELY CONSUMED FOR US (Heb.10:5-10; see Jn.2:17; 8:29; Eph.5:2,25; Phil.2:5f; Is.53:7f; Lk.22:19,20)

B. CHRIST COMPLETELY ACCEPTED FOR US (Heb.10:12; Eph.1:20f; 5:2; Phil.2:5f&9f; Is.53:11f; see Dt.33:10; see Acts 1:9 & Lev.1:9)

C. CHRISTIANS COMPLETELY CONSUMED IN CHRIST (Eph.5:1,2,25; Mt.22:37 w/Lev.1:8,9; 1Sam.7:3&9; see Lev.1:3(Prov.14:4); 10(1Pt.2:21f); 14(Mt.10:16); see Rom.12:1,2; Heb.10:5-7)

D. CHRISTIANS COMPLETELY ACCEPTED IN CHRIST (Heb.10:19,20f; Rom.12:1,2(Heb.10:5f; 12:28,29); 1Pt.2:5; Eph.5:2; see Eph.1:5,6; 5:26; 1Th.4:17)

E. NOTE: DEAD & RAISED (Phil.2:5f; see Col.2:12,etc.)

III. THE PRACTICE OF THE CROSS IN THE BURNT OFFERING (see Lk.22:19,20 & 9:23)

A. BE COMPLETELY ACCEPTED BY GOD THROUGH FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST! (Lev.1:3,4f; 9,13,17; Heb.10:5f; 19,20; see Lk.15:20)

B. BE COMPLETELY CONSUMED BY FAITHFULNESS IN JESUS CHRIST! (Lev.1:3f; see Rom.12:1,2; Eph.5:2; 1Pt.2:5; Heb.13:16; see Mt.22:37,39)