

Deut. 14:1-21a

Far As The Curse Is Found

Sermon Notes for November 29, 2009 By Pastor Dennis R. Tuuri

Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain: for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

I. Moses' Sermon on the Third Word - Deuteronomy 14:1-21a (Notes by Jim Jordan)
Wearing/carrying the Name means living in wholeness as model images of God.

A. 14: 1-2a - Wholeness in self as God's image:
Who you are: sons of Yahweh
Stipulation: do not deface God's image for the sake of the dead
Closure: you are holy to Yahweh

B. 14:2b-21a - Wholeness in relations:
Who you are: Chosen and separated by Yahweh
Stipulation: Do not eat detestable food or anything "dead."
Closure: you are holy to Yahweh

II, Cleansed From the Curse to Dispense Life (see attached chart)

III. "Salvation is not just a gift **to** us, it is a gift **through** us (N. T. Wright)

4. Rolling Back The Curse

Leviticus Chapters 11-16 & Genesis 3, 4:1

Uncleanness: Signs of the Results of the Fall
 Cleanness: Removal of the Signs of the Results of the Fall

Genesis 3,4	Leviticus 11-16
Serpent – Dust Eater	Clean and Unclean animals Chapter 11 Food and Drink and Eschatology
Eve – Painful childbirth	Unclean Childbirth Chapter 12 Children
Adam – Sweat of Brow	Unclean Skin (Leprosy) Chapters 13,14 Vocation (Nourish)
Adam and Eve Clothed	Unclean clothes (Leprosy) Chapters 13,14 Vocation (Guard)
Adam and Eve Evicted	Unclean house (Leprosy) Chapters 13,14 Home
Adam and Eve love each other	Unclean Love Chapter 15
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Animals killed for Clothing	Day of Atonement Chapter 16