

## Working through:

I. Ministers – "to stand and minister" (vs. 1-5)

A concern for the:

- A. Legacy "all the tribe of Levi, shall have no part"
- **B.** Lord "the Lord is their inheritance"
- C. Laity "The first fruit ... shall thou give"
- II. Missionaries "a Levite come from any of thy gates" (vs. 6-8)

  A calling involving unique:
  - A. Passion "come with all the desire of his mind"
  - **B.** Places "unto the place which the Lord shall choose"
  - C. Provision "they shall have like portions to eat"
- III. Mystics "makes his son... pass through fire" (vs. 9-14)

  A contradiction of God's:
  - A. Standards "consulter with familiar spirits, or a wizard""
  - B. Sovereignty "hearkened unto observers ... and diviners"
  - C. Sufficiency "thou shalt be perfect with the Lord thy God"

## Sentence Sermon

Salvation is the supernatural work of God that is seen in changed lives for the better.

## Additional Verses

- > Ezekiel 13:6
- > II Kings 17:17
- ➤ I Samuel 28:8
- > I Timothy 5:17-18
- I Corinthians 9:14
- > Hebrews 2:10-13; 4:14-15; 5:1-2
- > I Peter 2:9
- Deuteronomy 14:28-29; 27:9
- > I Chronicles 17:8-9; 23:8-32
- ➤ Numbers 3:10
- > Joshua 21:4-5

## Questions to Ponder

- 1. What are the key words or phrases in this passage?
- 2. Who are the central characters of the passage?
- 3. Why do you think God chose the descendants of Aaron to be priests?
- 4. Why would God not give the Levites any inheritance?
- 5. What do you think motivated a Levite to leave their city to go to Jerusalem?
- 6. What does it mean to minister "in the name of the Lord?"
- 7. Why do you think some people are so interested in the supernatural?
- 8. How can you tell if someone is a minister of God or a minister of darkness?
- 9. Why do you think witches and fortune tellers are so detestable to God?
- 10. What are some things Christians do today that is from the dark side?
- 11. How do you guard yourself so that you are "perfect with God?"