

# COVERED BY THE BLOOD



**LEVITICUS 16**

I. The high priest had to be holy to offer a sacrifice for the people (Lev. 16:11-14).

- Why would the high priest need to offer a sacrifice for His sins?
- How is our sacrifice superior to theirs?  
(II Corinthians 5:21)



## II. The forgiveness of sins requires a blood sacrifice (Leviticus 16:15-19).



- What is the logic behind a blood sacrifice? (17:14)
- How do these blood sacrifices apply to us? (Hebrews 9:22; 1 Peter 1:18-19)

### III. The rejected sacrifice carried away our sins (Leviticus 16:20-22).



- What do you think of as the scapegoat is led away from the camp?
- Why is it important that we go to Jesus “outside the camp?” (Hebrews 13:12-13)
- To what extent are you willing to go outside the camp to stand with Christ?



# IV. Those sacrificing must be clean for service (Leviticus 16:23-34).

- What responsibilities for cleanliness fall to priests and servants of God?
- What can we do to make sure that we are clean for God's service?



**V. We have been  
cleansed for service by  
Christ's sacrifice  
(Hebrews 10:1-10).**



- What assurance is available to us because of our true and sufficient sacrifice?
- How does the sacrifice of Jesus declare the righteousness of God? (Romans 3:25-26).
- How sure are you that you are covered by God's gracious sacrifice?

# **Call to Action:** To share the good news of being covered by the blood of Christ.



- What sacrifice has paid the price for your sins?
- How will you be motivated to go to Jesus 'outside the camp?'
- How intent is your desire to be clean for the service of Christ?
- How sure are you that your sins are covered?
- Who are you blessing with the good news of being covered by God's grace?

**-How can we help?**