

Lesson 15 The Law That Was Nailed To The Cross



1. What did Christ nail to the cross? Colossians 2:14

Read Numbers 9:2, 3 In this verse the Passover is called a ceremony. Now read Numbers 9:14 In this verse it is called an ordinance. Therefore a ceremony and an ordinance are the same thing. It was also a law. *"This is the ordinance of the law which the LORD hath commanded."* Numbers 19:2

2. How were these ordinances or ceremonies written? Colossians 2:14

God wrote the Ten Commandments with His finger Exodus 31:18 and Moses wrote the ceremonial law with his hand 2 Chronicles 33:8

3. Why was the ceremonial law against us? Deuteronomy 31:26

"Having abolished in his flesh the enmity, even the law of commandments contained in ordinances; for to make in himself of twain one new man, so making peace; And that he might reconcile both unto God in one body by the cross, having slain the enmity thereby:" Ephesians 2:16

4. What are the first 2 things that God told us no man can judge us by? Colossians 2:16

"And the meat offering thereof shall be two tenth deals of fine flour mingled with oil, an offering made by fire unto the LORD for a sweet savour: and the drink offering thereof shall be of wine, the fourth part of an hin." Leviticus 23:13

5. What was next? Colossians 2:16

"These are the feasts of the LORD, even holy convocations, which ye shall proclaim in their seasons." Leviticus 23: 4

Convocations means a day to assemble, to call together or assemble. This verse is talking about feast days contained in the ceremonial law.

6. What was next? Colossians 2:16

"And afterward offered the continual burnt offering, both of the new moons, and of all the set feasts of the LORD that were consecrated, and of every one that willingly offered a freewill offering unto the LORD." Ezra 3:5

7. And finally, what was the last thing we shouldn't be judged about? Colossians 2:16

"Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, In the seventh month, in the first day of the month, shall ye have a sabbath, a memorial of blowing of trumpets, an holy convocation." Leviticus 23:24

God gave the children of Israel several ceremonial Sabbaths to celebrate as feast days.

8. Why was it called a shadow of things to come? Colossians 2:17

"For the law having a shadow of good things to come, and not the very image of the things, can never with those sacrifices which they offered year by year continually make the comers thereunto perfect." Hebrews 10:1

The good thing to come was Christ sacrificing His life for our sins. This is what the ceremonial law pointed to. *"So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many; and unto them that look for him shall he appear the second time without sin unto salvation."* Hebrews 9:28

9. What does Christ promise to do for us now? Hebrews 8:12

"I, even I, am he that blotteth out thy transgressions for mine own sake, and will not remember thy sins." Isaiah 43:25

10. What did Christ say in regard to the Ten Commandment law? Matthew 5:17,18

"The LORD is well pleased for his righteousness' sake; he will magnify the law, and make it honourable." Isaiah 42:21

11. What does Christ want to give us by His death? Romans 5:17

"But we believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we shall be saved, even as they." Acts 15:11

12. Does grace make void the law of God? Romans 6:1, 2

"We then, as workers together with him, beseech you also that ye receive not the grace of God in vain. " 2 Corinthians 6:1

13. What is sin? 1 John 3:4

14. If we are thankful for the grace of God what will reign in our life? Romans 5:21

The grace of God is the chief theme of the Gospel. God's grace is the manifestation of His love--a love that makes it possible, thru Christ, for fallen man to be saved, makes possible the union and cooperation of humanity with divinity.

In the Light of God's Word...

*I understand that the ceremonial law was done away with; thus, we do not have to sacrifice lambs and keep feast days anymore
I understand that the ceremonial law was pointing to the death of Christ in my behalf and in order to show my appreciation for His grace
I will live a righteous life by His power*

