# Sacrifice and Salvation

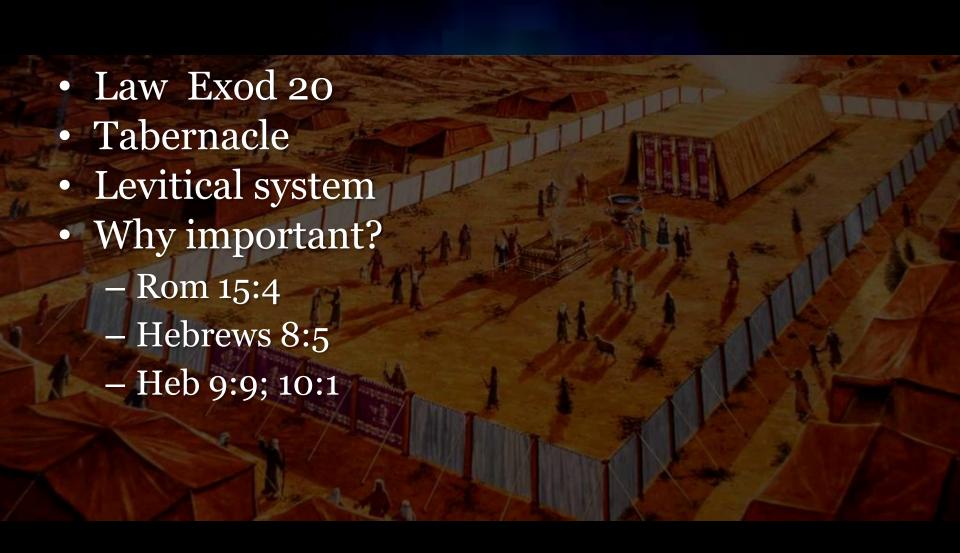


Leviticus 1:1-9

## Sacrifices from the beginning



#### Mosaic Law..



## 1 Sin means something must die

- Romans 6:23 wages of sin is death
- Separated from "LIFE"
  - John 11:25 Jesus is source of life
  - John 1:4-5
  - Isaiah 59:1-2

### 1 Sin means something must die

- We all deserved to die
- God allowed a substitute
  - Leviticus 1:4-5
  - Lev 4:4-5, 13, 22, 35
  - Lay hand on head of animal
  - Isaiah 53:3-7 Christ bore our sins

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### 2 The power of the blood of Jesus

- Thousands of sacrifices offered
- 2-3 million Israelites
- 1400 years daily
- Heb 10:3-4 reminder every year
- Incentive for us .. Heb 10:26-31

## 3 Obedience is very specific..

- Lev 4:4-13 notice the detail
- Different kinds of sacrifice
- Atonement based on obedience
- Lev 22 only the best allowed
- Lev 10 Nadab and Abihu an example
- Rom 12:1-2 a living sacrifice

## 4 Don't be weary of repetition...

- Isa 1:10-15
- "I have had enough of burnt offerings of rams And the fat of fed cattle. I do not delight in the blood of bulls, Or of lambs or goats.
- 12 "When you come to appear before Me, Who has required this from your hand, To trample My courts?
- 13 Bring no more futile sacrifices; Incense is an abomination to Me. The New Moons, the Sabbaths, and the calling of assemblies—I cannot endure iniquity and the sacred meeting.
- 14 Your New Moons and your appointed feasts My soul hates; They are a trouble to Me, I am weary of bearing them.
- 15 When you spread out your hands, I will hide My eyes from you; Even though you make many prayers, I will not hear. Your hands are full of blood.

#### Sacrifices instruct us...

- When someone sins, something has to die
- All their sacrifices could not do what Jesus' one sacrifice has accomplished
- God requires specific obedience by faith
- Constant repetition means we must be careful not to lose appreciation

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