## The Peace Offering (Leviticus 3:1-17)

I believe that it will be a time for us to relay the blessings we have received. Today is the last Sunday of the year. I do believe that it's very important for us to look back on our lives. As we take a look back on our lives it is very meaningful and we will be able to uncover many answers. It is very significant for us to look back at the end of the year. I hope that it will be a meaningful time for you even though it may be the same day. However, may it be a time for you to look back and see the answers and blessings God has given to you. I truly want to thank all of your devotion and volunteers throughout the year. I do believe that God has filled the church abundantly with grace because of your devotion and the volunteers for the church. When you are able to serve the church you are able to receive much grace as well. Of course it is for the sake of God's work so God is very pleased. God will bless us and be very pleased with the attitude and posture that we have by serving the church for the sake of the gospel. Next year is the twentieth year of the start of our church. We are truly thankful for all the things God has done and we want to start anew next year. I do hope that our church will be the church that truly comes to know who God is and is aligned to God's plan. We must be able to pray together for our church to be together. The commission of the church is to keep the gospel. You must keep and know of the gospel because people outside of the church continuously attack the gospel. The method to block those who persecute the gospel is to correctly know the gospel and enjoy the gospel. Even if there are those who persecute the gospel outside they are the ones who will be defeated. Yet if it is the church who loses hold of the gospel then the church has no choice but to crumble on its own. The very first commission that the church must hold is to repeatedly speak of only the gospel. What must the believers do? They must personally enjoy the gospel. Satan will endlessly attack and the only method to overcome the work of satan is for you to personally enjoy the gospel. Rightfully, God will open the doors for the gospel to be proclaimed that is when you share the gospel to them. The purpose of the gospel is not to save the 8 billion population. There are those that God has predestined to receive salvation. You must go and share the gospel to those that God has chosen to receive salvation. That is why God has chosen us before creation. It is incorrect of you to persuade and make those around you receive the gospel if God has not chosen them to receive salvation. However, God's desire and will id for you to go to the very ends of the world to go and testify the gospel. When you do so you will meet the ones that God has chosen to receive salvation. For the sake of this work to continuously take place we must be able to pray and train the remnants to do the same. That is how you will be able to meet the prepared disciple of God. That is such a tremendous blessing. I do believe that this will continuously take place. First of all it is God's will and secondly God has given you the word. Surely enough it will be fulfilled. It is because the bible repeatedly speaks of it. Our church has four prayer topics, it is to save Latin America, America, the remnants, and the people of all nations. That is why we must be able to start anew and have a new plan to put into action these four prayer topics for the next year. We must be able to put this into practice and put into action so that God is able to do the work. I do believe that it's a very important prayer topic for us to pray about so that we are able to raise a hundred teams of local ministers in Latin America. Of course it will be quite a process for the work to take place. However, we're not going to send anyone. We want to send two people who can stand as a missionary to save Latin America. We must con-

tinuously raise up the remnants as disciples so that they can save those who speak english. That is what I continuously focus on. Today I was so amazed and surprised and thankful that it was Evangeline who was playing the drums. I was quite stunned by it. Our church must be revived to the extent of Apostle Paul's evangelism mission. To the extent that we are able to establish systematic evangelism. The word that we are holding to is the movement that will raise up the hundred regional churches. I do believe that it will be fulfilled because this is the word of God and this is God's will. Of course, it will take time and I do not anticipate for God to fulfill the establishment of the hundred regional churches by next year. That is why starting from next year during the second service I plan to gather all the business people, disciples, and church officers to relay this direction. It will be a time for us to have forum and to pray together. It will be a time to gather the ministers that will be used for the regional churches. Anyone who has the desire to be used for the regional church even if there is no system yet established as long as you are able to acknowledge yourself that will be greatly used for the regional church may you participate. If anyone has the heart that desires to live their life as a historical church officer may you join us. It will be a second service that has a purpose and direction. For those who are busy devoting themselves in the education departments we will have the message recorded and upload it on the groupchat. If you are not able to participate within the second service may you go hand in hand with the word and follow after. The word that we will hold to next year is the church officer, remnant, and regional church. We've continuously heard of this many times before but we desire to place this and put it into action starting from next year. I hope that many of you will participate next year.

## 1. The Peace Offering

It is Jesus who came as the peacemaker between you and God. The peace offering is the sacrificial offering to the Lord so that they can have peace between the Lord and themselves. In the burnt offering they would have to give the male offering to the Lord, however, in the peace offering God said that it may be male or female without any blemishes that must be given to the Lord. The peace offering symbolizes the death of Jesus Christ on the cross to which he has given eternal peace between you and God. Those who have faith and believe in Christ always and forevermore be with him. No matter how many times they may commit a sin they will never be separated from God. It is because of sin they were separated from God. If sin did not exist they would have never been separated from God. After Jesus Christ came as the peace offering, that peace was restored and they will no longer be separated from God. There are believers who lack the assurance of faith which causes them to question that if they have sin do they lack to be with God. However, that is incorrect. There is only one condition which is salvation. If they have salvation they would never be apart from God. That is the forgiveness of God. Once God has forgiven you, he has eternally forgiven you. It is never the case where once you commit a sin God will not forgive you to which you are separated from him. If that is the case, there is not a single person to receive salvation. If that is the case, all will end up in hell for there is no forgiveness God can offer to mankind. If a single person is not able to receive salvation, what is the point of Jesus dying on the cross? If Jesus Christ, God himself, came to die on the cross, yet not a single soul is able to receive salvation, what is the purpose of him dying on the cross? Does that make sense? It does not. We all know John 10:28 so well, "I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand." Romans 8:1, "Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus,"

No matter how much they may commit sin. Of course, if you continuously commit crimes, you will end up in jail. People do not want to end up in prison that is why they try their best not to commit crimes. Even if you do commit a crime and die in prison you will end up in heaven. It will be quite difficult for you in prison. That is why there are times where we commit sins that are not to the extent of a crime. That is still okay. Salvation will never change. Rather, you will not have peace within your heart. If you want inner peace you must not commit sins. It is impossible to not commit sins on your own. That is why God has given you the answer. You must enjoy Christ. God tells you that it is a spiritual problem. It is the work of Satan that endlessly attacks you to commit sins. It is not a physical problem that you could ever resolve. There is only one way for you to overcome the work of Satan and that is Jesus Christ. That is the fundamental conclusion of the Bible. Once you receive salvation you can no longer be separated from God and that is why God says there is no one to snatch you out of this hand. This everlasting covenant fulfilled by Jesus Christ by the precious blood is the peace offering. How thankful are you for that? Imagine that you will face your own death tomorrow and you only have 24 hours to live. What is important to you? There is nothing else that will be important to you in this world. It is because you will die within 24 hours. There is nothing more precious than for you to receive salvation. There are those who face severe illness and sometimes come back from the dead. I have heard many testimonies on Youtube where people caught COVID-19 and they were on the brink of death. Yet, they were revived and restored. What do you think they had at that very moment? They realized they had nothing important to them except God and salvation. It was to the point that they were able to transcend death. When you are facing your own death there is only one thing important to you. It is truly thankful for the fact that Jesus Christ has opened the way for you to receive peace. What will happen if you repent to the Lord and he does not accept? What will happen even if you lament and tell him to forgive you but he will never forgive you? Even those without salvation continuously repent before God, God will not receive them. But yet, even if you do not repent he will forgive you because you have received salvation and have peace living within you. Even if you endlessly commit sin, the Lord will continuously receive and accept you. How thankful are we for that? You have received salvation not by your own methods or knowledge but yet, before creation he has planned and chosen you. Today's passage speaks about the peace offering. If you take a look at Leviticus, it goes full detail into the peace offering, but we do not have enough time to read it. To be honest, to go into depth to explain the peace offering would take more than an hour to explain. For those who are willing to learn more, may you take a look at Leviticus 7 at home. For the burnt offering, they had to burn the entire sacrifice to the Lord. However, in the peace offering, they only burn the fat covering the livers, the kidneys, the loins, and the lung lobes. For the lambs, there is a lot of fat in the tail entrails, that is why they would offer that to the Lord as well. In the last part of verse 16, it says, "All fat is the Lord's." In verse 17, it says, "It shall be a statute forever throughout your generations in all your dwelling places, that you eat neither fat nor blood." The Lord said to not eat the blood because the blood signifies Jesus and it is the same for the fat as well. It is the Lord's message that you shall not eat the fat for the fat signifies the peace offering and the salvation you shall receive. In the peace offering, all the fat was given and offered to the Lord, but all the remaining meat was eaten and given to the priests. There were some meats that they could have kept until the second or third day, but the peace offering was to be eaten on that day. In Leviticus 7, the Lord says, "Do not save it for

the next day or so on." So, they had to burn it. The Lord says that the certain food that He desires to receive during the offering must be offered and not eaten. The peace offering is a similar concept of the Last Supper in the New Testament. Any of those that deny eating it could not partake in it. Those who were unclean, those that touched the body of a dead corpse, dead livestock, or discharge of the body could not take part in it. However, they are able to partake in it after they are clean. The peace offering is only by the precious blood of Jesus Christ, to which they would be clean, but only those who are clean could partake in it. There is a parable of a wedding in Matthew 22. The king invited those to attend his son's wedding. However, the son would say that they could not enter. He sent other servants and told them that their oxen, cow, and everything else was ready so they could come to the wedding feast. No one paid attention to which they just went back to their farm or business. The rest of the servants were treated badly and were killed. The king was very angry so he sent the troop to destroy the murderers and their cities. Then he told his servants to invite everyone. He told them to invite everyone that is there. "But when the king came in to look at the guests, he saw there a man who had no wedding garment. And he said to him, 'Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?' And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, 'Bind him hand and foot and cast him into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' " That is what it means and it is a very important message. God endlessly sent the prophets to the ISraelites. In the end, they were all put to death. He sent his servants all to the Gentiles. The Gentiles were all gathered together, but there was a man with no wedding garment. There was no precious blood of Jesus hirst upon him, so God did not forgive him and simply binded his feet and sent him to the darkness. However, in that place, there was weeping and gnashing of the teeth meaning that there was no repentance. That means there was no grace. This is a very important message. It connects to our message in the fact that no matter how urgently he gathers people, he will only accept those that are clean and holy. No matter how important it is for God to gather people, his condition is very important. It is God;s message that those who do not have peace within them through the precious blood of Jesus Christ, they can not attend the peace offering. We are truly thankful that he has given us the grace of faith. Even for the king himself, he gathered all of the people but for the one who did not have the wedding garment, or the precious blood of Jesus Christ, was not allowed in the wedding feast and was cast out to the darkness. Even now, the precious blood of Jesus Christ who is the peace offering is valid. That is why you will have peace with God forevermore. No matter how much you will curse or criticize to be away from God, you will always be with God. There are those that face Alzheimer's as they grow old. When they were young, they fervently believed in God, but after facing Alzheimer's they begin to criticize God. From morning to night time, they would curse God. Would that person go to Hell? No, that wouldn't make sense. That is why once you receive salvation, he is your eternal Jesus Christ and this will never change. That is the grace that He has given to you. This peace is your peace. How thankful are you that this peace will never depart you no matter what you may do. This peace is unbreakable and is everlasting. When you simply hold to the covenant, God will be at work. It is not the fact that you have to do something as you hold to the covenant, but the moment you hold to it, God will be at work. This is the result of the peace offering. Even if you are in tears, God would be in an uproar. This is because God loves you very much and knows you very much. He even knows the number of your hairs. This is why you must enjoy this peace. You must

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be able to fundamentally and enjoy this peace everyday. May this blessing be upon you. I bless you all in the name of the Lord so that the 24 hours will be upon you, so that you are able to abundantly enjoy this for 24 hours.

## 2. God's Way

I do hope that our church will be the church that follows God's commandment for next year. There is God's way and the things of God. What would happen if you are stubborn and go your own way? Even if you are a child of God, if you go in your own way, it would be more difficult for you. Last week, in the message entitled, "The Prayer to Receive Answers," what was that condition? The fundamental condition was Jesus Christ. Your thoughts must be matched to God's. That is the condition to receive answers to prayers. For those that receive peace forevermore would receive peace in their thoughts. Jesus promised that whatever you ask, you shall receive. One day, the weight came upon Moses. That was the Land of Canaan. Do you think Moses looked elsewhere after he received God's way? He did not look back, but continuously headed towards the Land of Canaan. He received such a historical answer. He received the answer worth 1000 years. For Hanna, she continuously prayed to God and one day, God's thought came upon her. SHe was in such despair and hardship questioning, "God, why are you not giving me a child?" In that very moment, her thoughts were matched to God's. The moment God's Word came upon her, she no longer would weep. This is because she came to the answer. The Word came inside of her and that became her answer. Once it became her answer, she had faith. She had faith that it would take place. There was no sign, but had faith that she would have a son and once she received her son to give to the Lord. After this moment, she was able to bear more children. This is how you are able to change your thoughts to God's. It says that the moment the Word of God came inside of her, the Word of God became her covenant to which her thoughts were aligned to God's and the work of Satan was completely crumbled to which she no longer wept. There were countless that we could name that received hundreds of answers when their thoughts were aligned to God's. Hebrews 11 records many figures like this who stand as a witness. You may question this, but this is the truth. You have received the blessing of peace to come upon yourself and God to the extent of Christ who died for your behalf on the cross. May you think of it. I do think that it would be great of it to visit what Hell is like. May you never forget how precious you are to get out of it. And there is judgment. You will face death one day, but it is Jesus Christ who set you free from that curse. So, what must you do with your life? This is what 2022 must be for you. The suffering of the cross had set you completely free from curses to which you have now received peace. What kind of thought and covenant must you hold onto for the new year? This is a very important time for you. It is a time for you to resolve in your heart. You must be able to resolve in your heart that you will fill it for the sake of God's desire. The very first thing of God is Christ. You must be able to fill your heart abundantly with Christ. Next is God's desire for evangelism and mission. It is the church and the Remnants. The business people and the church officers. You need the time in which you need to look at your life, your surroundings, the conflicts that you face, and really edit the Word upon it. I do believe that those that are in the flow of the Head Quarters message must hear it all the time. The message said that if you are matched to 237 in your life, then do you consider your life successful? If your businesses are not aligned to 237, could you really say it is a success? For the 3 organizations, they have surpassed 237 to which it is not to that extent. There was a video that I watched that spoke of the

universe. We simply think of things on Earth. Whenever I think of soldiers on Earth, I wonder if they could ever be soldiers for the universe. I watched a different video and came to realize what they were talking about. They establish a nuclear bomb on a satellite. They take that satellite in the universe and send that satellite towards the opponent nation when they are in war. If the comet would fall down on Earth, everything would burn. There are many method to defuse or attacks bobs that come down to Earth, but they have satellites containing nuclear bombs that are surrounding the Earth in the universe ready to launch at the opponent nation. I watched a different clip about Tesla. They decided to develop a phone. There would be high competition regarding that because there are more advanced companies such as Samsung or Apple. And I don't know much about technology, yet after I watched that clip, I was able to see that this is not average work. I'm not sure if the clip is true or not, but Tesla, the company itself, was able to have at least 12,000 satellites orbit around the universe. I believe Korea has a couple as well. So, they have the satellites in space so that if there's a chance that humans go to Mars, they could still communicate. They have 20,000 satellites up in space right now, but they want to send more. And there are times when you're up in the mountains, and there's no service on your telephone. So, it doesn't matter. Wherever they go, there will be service. It's truly amazing. Yet, God says this success isn't true success. And what are you going to do after you succeed? God is the one who judges all things. If you are not clothed with Jesus Christ, your hands and feet will be bound, and you will be cast out into the darkness. Of course, these thoughts are beyond 237. No matter how much we think about 237, we don't think about such things like satellites. We need God's 237. We need the 237 that God will do. We need God's method and nothing else. This is who God is looking for. Of course, God himself isn't so pleased with all the satellites that are up in space. He's the one that could end the earth if he desires to. Our standard is God's way. God's commandments are our standard. I hope you can partake in 237 even more in 2022. This is God's command so you mustn't nitpick on or dispute about it. There's no need to say anything. Just do it. If it doesn't, pray for it to take place. So, may you not rebuke God. Yet, may it be a year in which you follow after His word. I'm not saying you should do everything. Simply do your best in what God has given to you. What God has given to you is the time schedule He has permitted you. If God gave you two talents, use those two talents. Don't try to strive for five talents when He only gave you two, for you are still His faithful worker. I bless you in the name of the Lord that it will be a year in which you will be greatly used for the sake of God.