



# SOUTH JACKSON BEACON

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## ***The Blood of Lambs or the Blood of THE LAMB? Dan Jenkins***

A profound truth found throughout the Bible is stated so clearly in Hebrews 9:22. "And according to the law almost all things are purified with blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no remission" These words follow the description of what happened at Mt. Sinai. "Moses took . . .the blood of calves and goats and sprinkled both the book itself and all the people . . . he sprinkled with blood both the tabernacle and all the vessels of the ministry."

Blood was part of the Passover doorposts (Exo. 12:21-23); the sanctification of Aaron and his sons for priestly service (Lev. 8:23-24, 30); the sanctification of the altar for burnt sacrifices (Lev. 8:19); the altar for incense (Lev. 4:7, 25); the book containing the words God spoke at Mt. Sinai tabernacle (Heb. 9:21) and all the people (Exo. 24:8). It is so important to notice the words of Moses, "This is the blood of the covenant which God has commanded you" (Heb. 9:20).

The Hebrew writer shows the significance of the events where Moses used the blood of animals. These Old Testament items were only a copy of the heavenly things in the New Testament (Heb. 10:1). They were purified with the blood of animals, but God had a greater sacrifice for the better covenant His son would reveal. These heavenly things

themselves should be purified “with better sacrifices than these” (Heb. 9:23). They were so much better than animal sacrifices.

We must not overlook what Jesus said in the upper room. While Moses presented the words of God given at Mt. Sinai to the people and used the blood of animals, he said that the blood of animals was the blood of that old covenant. At the last supper Jesus spoke of blood and a new covenant. Taking the cup, He said, “This is My blood of the new covenant, which is shed for many for the remission of sins” (Matt. 26:28).

What significance does this have for us? There was that old covenant, the Ten Commandments (Deut. 4:13). These ten commandments were not given to Adam, Enoch, Noah, Abraham, Isaac or Jacob (Deut. 5:2-3). These commands were sprinkled with the blood of animals (Exo. 24:4-7; Heb. 9:21). But God had something far better in mind. The Sabbath was given to Jews who had been slaves (Deut. 5:15). They were to rest on the seventh day just like God did. They were to remember that day by resting.

The new covenant remembers something far more important than slavery in Egypt, it remembers the death of Jesus on the first day of the week. To choose to remember deliverance from slavery is to choose the blood of the animals which purified that day, over the precious blood of Jesus!

# *Congregational News & Notes*

## **Prayer Requested**

### **Members**

Mary Bolen, Luther & Jo Merritt  
Ron and Nadine McDonald,  
Sandra Epperson, Sue Harris  
Freddie Stewart, Cindy Kidder,  
Lisa Dukes, Doug Crouse,  
Freddie Callis, Betty Mosely,  
Teriyaki Anderson,  
James Morris, Troyce Taylor,  
Pearl Johnson, Paula Wadley,  
Judy Ellis, Jerry Crabb,  
Karen Chance  
Gaylon & Betty Cooper,  
Sammy & Shirley Puckett,

### **Friends & Family**

Horace Yearwood,  
Beverly Martindale,  
Gladys Gowan, Diane Hubbard,  
Brandi Rogers, Corey Allen  
Kenton Lancaster,  
Ruby Malone, Melissa Henson  
Caraline Rogers, Justin Puckett,  
Jane Washington

### **Today's Sermons**

AM - There is Power in the  
Blood  
Hebrews 9:19-22  
  
PM - Eli Pounders

## **Happenings**

### **South Jackson**

#### **May 31**

5th Sunday Fellowship Meal

See bulletin Board for  
Area Events

### **Cards to Send**

Jerry Butcher  
190 Mifflin Road  
Jackson, TN 38301

Sammy & Shirley Puckett  
144 Shadow Creek Lane  
Medina, TN 38355

### **Weekly Record**

Bible Class	40/5
AM Worship	69/4
PM Worship	44/0
Wed Bible Study	49/8
Contribution	3136
Budget	3600

# Those Privileged to Serve

## May 3 - AM WORSHIP

Lead Singing: John Smith  
Read Scripture:  
Jeff Bliss  
Opening Prayer:  
Joe Venable  
Sermon: Ray Pack  
Closing Prayer: Marion Thomas  
Communion: Greg Long  
Contribution:  
Charlie Richardson

## PM WORSHIP

Lead Singing: Paul Hatcher  
Opening Prayer:  
Greg Long  
Sermon: Eli Pounders  
Closing Prayer: Jerry Butcher  
Communion: Ray Pack

## May 6 - WED BIBLE STUDY

Lead Singing: Paul Hatcher  
Opening Prayer:  
Mike Wages  
Devo - Marion Thomas

## May 10 - AM WORSHIP

Lead Singing: Mike Wages  
Read Scripture:  
Costel Ghimpu  
Opening Prayer:  
Jeff Dove  
Sermon: Ray Pack  
Closing Prayer: Joe Venable  
Communion: Marion Thomas  
Contribution:  
Jeff Bliss

## PM WORSHIP

Lead Singing: John Smith  
Opening Prayer:  
Ray Pack  
Sermon: Michael Rucker  
Closing Prayer: Ron Clouse  
Communion: Greg Long

## May 13 - WED BIBLE STUDY

Lead Singing: John Smith  
Opening Prayer:  
Marion Thomas  
Devo - Ray Pack

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## Service Tim

Gospel of Christ - WBBJ	5:00 AM
Sunday Bible Class	9:30 AM
Sunday AM Worship	10:30 AM
Sunday PM Worship	5:00 PM
Midweek Bible Study	6:30 PM