

THE LORD'S PASSOVER A SHADOW OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INTRODUCTION-Exodus 12:11 **'And thus you shall eat it: [with] a belt on your waist, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand. So you shall eat it in haste. It [is] the LORD's Passover.** (NKJV)

1 Corinthians 11:20 **Therefore when you come together in one place, it is not to eat the Lord's Supper.** (NKJV)

Hebrews 10:1 **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. (KJV)

I. THE LAMB OF THE PASSOVER-

Exodus 12:5-**Your lamb shall be without blemish,** a male of the first year: ye shall take [it] out from the sheep, or from the goats:

Exodus 12:46 "In one house it shall be eaten; you shall not carry any of the flesh outside the house, **nor shall you break one of its bones.** (NKJV)

1 Corinthians 5:7... **For even Christ our passover is sacrificed for us:** (KJV)

1 Peter 1:18-19 knowing that you were not redeemed with corruptible things, [like] silver or gold, from your aimless conduct [received] by tradition from your fathers, 19 **but with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot.** (NKJV)

John 19:32-36 Then the soldiers came and broke the legs of the first and of the other who was crucified with Him. 33 **But when they came to Jesus and saw that He was already dead, they did not break His legs.** 34 But one of the soldiers pierced His side with a spear, and immediately blood and water came out. 35 And he who has seen has testified, and his testimony is true; and he knows that he is telling the truth, so that you may believe. 36 **For these things were done that the Scripture should be fulfilled, "Not [one] of His bones shall be broken."** (NKJV)

II. THE BLOOD AND FLESH OF THE LAMB

Exodus 12:7-13 **'And they shall take [some] of the blood and put [it] on the two doorposts and on the lintel of the houses where they eat it.** 8 'Then they shall eat the flesh on that night; roasted in fire, with unleavened bread [and] with bitter [herbs] they shall eat it. 9 'Do not eat it raw, nor boiled at all with water, but roasted in fire -- its head with its legs and its entrails. 10 'You shall let none of it remain until morning, and what remains of it until morning you shall burn with fire. 11 'And thus you shall eat it: [with] a belt on your waist, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand. So you shall eat it in haste. **It [is] the LORD's Passover.** 12 'For I will pass through the land of Egypt on that night, and will strike all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, both man and beast; and against all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgment: I [am] the LORD. 13 **Now the blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you [are.] And when I see the blood, I will pass over you;** and the plague shall not be on you to destroy [you] when I strike the land of Egypt. (NKJV)

Luke 22:7-8 Then came the Day of Unleavened Bread, when the Passover must be killed. 8 And He sent Peter and John, saying, "Go and prepare the Passover for us, that we may eat." (NKJV)

Matthew 26:26-29 And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and blessed [it], and brake [it], and gave [it] to the disciples, and said, Take, eat; this is my body. And he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave [it] to them, saying, Drink ye all of it; For this is my blood of the new testament, which is shed for many for the remission of sins. But I say unto you, I will not drink henceforth of this fruit of the vine, until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom.

III. THE PASSOVER AS A MEMORIAL FEAST

Exodus 12:14 'So this day shall be to you a memorial; and you shall keep it as a feast to the LORD throughout your generations. You shall keep it as a feast by an everlasting ordinance. (NKJV)

Exodus 12:25-27 "It will come to pass when you come to the land which the LORD will give you, just as He promised, that you shall keep this service. 26 "And it shall be, when your children say to you, 'What do you mean by this service?' 27 "that you shall say, 'It [is] the Passover sacrifice of the LORD, who passed over the houses of the children of Israel in Egypt when He struck the Egyptians and delivered our households.' " So the people bowed their heads and worshiped. (NKJV)

Exodus 13:9 "It shall be as a sign to you on your hand and as a memorial between your eyes, that the LORD's law may be in your mouth; for with a strong hand the LORD has brought you out of Egypt. (NKJV)

1 Corinthians 11:23-26 For I received from the Lord that which I also delivered to you: that the Lord Jesus on the [same] night in which He was betrayed took bread; 24 and when He had given thanks, He broke [it] and said, "Take, eat; this is My body which is broken for you; do this in remembrance of Me." 25 In the same manner [He] also [took] the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood. This do, as often as you drink [it,] in remembrance of Me." 26 For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes. (NKJV)