

UNDERSTANDING THE DEATH OF JESUS

Luke 22:14-23

OUTLINE

- **His Body by which we also died to sin**
 - His death is for our righteousness
 - His death is for freedom from the old
- **His Blood by which we receive forgiveness of sins.**
- **His Blood, by which a New Covenant is made**

LUKE 22

14 When the hour had come, He reclined at the table, and the apostles with Him.

15 And He said to them, "I have earnestly desired to **eat this Passover with you before I suffer**; 16 for I say to you, **I shall never again eat it** until it is **fulfilled** in the kingdom of God." 17 And when He had taken a cup and given thanks, He said, "Take this and share it among yourselves; 18 for I say to you, **I will not drink** of the fruit of the vine from now on until the kingdom of God comes."

LUKE 22b

19 And when He had taken some bread and given thanks, He broke it and gave it to them, saying, **“This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me.”**

2 CORINTHIANS 5

²¹ He made Him who knew no sin *to be sin* on our behalf, so that *we might become the righteousness of God in Him.*

ROMANS 6

Freedom from the Old

⁵ For if we have become **united with *Him*** in the likeness of **His death**, certainly we shall also be *in the likeness* of His resurrection,

⁶ knowing this, that **our old self was crucified with *Him***, in order that our body of sin might be done away with, so that we would **no longer be slaves to sin**;

ROMAN 7

¹ Or do you not know, brethren (for I am speaking to those who know the law), that the law has jurisdiction over a person as long as he lives? ² For the married woman is bound by law to her husband while he is living; but if her husband dies, she is released from the law concerning the husband. ³ So then, if while her husband is living she is joined to another man, she shall be called an adulteress; but if her husband dies, she is free from the law, so that she is not an adulteress though she is joined to another man.

ROMAN 7b

Rom. 7:4 **Therefore**, my brethren, you also were made **to die** to the Law **through the body of Christ** [Gal. 2:20], so that you might be joined to another, to Him who was raised from the dead, in order that we might bear fruit for God. 5 For while **we were in the flesh**, the sinful passions, which were aroused by the Law, were at work in the members of our body to bear fruit for death. 6 But now **we have been released from the Law**, having **died to that by which we were bound**, so that we **serve in newness of the Spirit** and not in oldness of the letter.

LUKE 22c

His Blood Provides Forgiveness

20 And in the same way He took the cup after they had eaten, saying, "This cup which is poured out for you is **the new covenant in My blood.**

MATTHEW 26

26 While they were eating, Jesus took some bread, and after a blessing, He broke it and gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take, eat; this is My body." 27 And when He had taken a cup and given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; 28 for this is **My blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for forgiveness of sins.**

UNDERSTANDINGS FOR “BLOOD”

Lev.17:11 “For **the life of the flesh is in the blood**, and I have given it to you on the altar **to make atonement** for your souls; for **it is the blood by reason of the life that makes atonement.**’

Eph.1:7 “In Him we have **redemption** through His blood, **the forgiveness of our trespasses**, according to the riches of His grace

GENESIS 9

⁵ Surely I will require your lifeblood;
**from every beast I will require it. And
from every man, from every man's
brother I will require the life of man.**

⁶ " Whoever sheds man's blood,
By man **his blood shall be shed,**
For in the image of God
He made man.

HEBREWS

Heb.9:22 “And according to the Law, one may almost say, **all things are cleansed with blood**, and without shedding of blood there is no **forgiveness**.

HEB.10:3 But in those *sacrifices* there is a reminder of sins year by year.
4 For it is **impossible** for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sins.

EXODUS 24

His Blood Establish a Covenant

7 Then he took **the book of the covenant** and read it in the hearing of the people; and they said, "All that the LORD has spoken we will do, and we will be obedient!" 8 So **Moses took the blood and sprinkled it on the people**, and said, "Behold **the blood of the covenant, which the LORD has made with you in accordance with all these words.**"