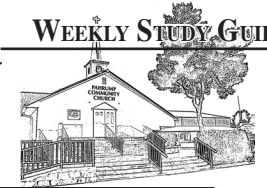


6. What kind of sacrifices are referenced in PHILIPPIANS 4:18 and HEBREWS 13:16, and how should we offer such sacrifices?



The Priesthood of the Believer

Introduction: REVELATION 1:4-6

I. _____ Priesthood.

A. _____ by _____. EXODUS 32:7-8; 32:26; NUMBERS 3:9-10

B. _____ by _____. HEBREWS 9:22

C. _____ as _____.

LEVITICUS 1:1-5,9

D. _____ with _____ responsibilities.

E. Show our _____ a _____.

DEUTERONOMY 27:26; GALATIANS 3:10; ISAIAH 1:11; HEBREWS 10:4; ROMANS 7:24

II. _____ Priesthood.

A. _____ by _____. HEBREWS 4:14

B. God _____.

ROMANS 7:24-25; HEBREWS 2:17; 12:24; 1 TIMOTHY 2:5

C. God instituted the _____

_____.

MARK 15:37-38; HEBREWS 10:19-20; 4:14,16; 1 PETER 2:4-9

PERSONAL APPLICATION

1. To what extent are you personally fulfilling your role and responsibility as a member of this priesthood?

2. What can we do, individually and corporately, to encourage each other to serve as priests of the King?

If you have never been *born again*, contact Pastor Keith or a trusted Christian friend this week to find out how.

D. _____ with _____ responsibilities.

1 PETER 2:5; HEBREWS 13:15; 1 PETER 2:9; ROMANS 12:1

Conclusion: The priesthood of all believers

is the _____ of a

_____ of Church _____.

STUDY & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. In the Old Testament, God Himself directed that animal sacrifices be made. Why then would He indicate elsewhere that He does **not** want these sacrifices? (See ISAIAH 1:11.)

2. Old Testament priests regularly offered up sacrifices for sin. What other types of sacrifices did they offer? (Give references.)

3. Explain how the provisions of the Old Covenant show the need for a Savior.

4. A chief function of Old Covenant priests was to serve as intermediaries. How is this different than the New Covenant priesthood?

5. Since every believer can now pray directly to God, is it wrong to ask someone to pray for us? Explain and defend your answer.