

Pleading the Blood

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Text

Rom 5:8 *But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.*

Rom 5:9 *Much more then, being now justified by his blood, we shall be saved from wrath through him.*

Rom 5:10 *For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by his life.*

Rom 5:11 *And not only so, but we also joy in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now received the atonement.*

I. Pleading The Blood

- a. Charismatic Christians are fond of pleading [invoking] the Blood of Yahshua for protection, prayer requests, healing, etc]

“Pleading the blood of Jesus is one of the most effective ways to pray that I have ever learned. When I present the blood of Jesus to Father God in prayer, it’s like I can sense a transaction taking place in Heaven. I can feel that I am praying God’s will for my life, and that I’m giving Him permission to do all the radical things His Word says He wants to do.

By pleading the blood of Jesus in prayer, I have seen relationships healed, physical needs provided, my finances protected, and many other things. God always answers the blood of Jesus!” [How to Plead the Blood of Jesus in Prayer

Jamie Rohrbaugh, <https://www.ibelieve.com/>]

- b. Automatic cover [protection] of Yahshua’s Blood

Many years ago, when I was a baby Christian, I heard a Church Elder telling his members that it was ok to visit a snake temple because they are covered by the Blood of Yahshua

- c. Currently, in the midst of the Covid-19 Crisis, some pastors in Singapore have reassured their members that, like the first Passover, when the Israelites were protected from the Angel of Death because they smeared the blood of a lamb over their doorposts and lintels, Christians are under the Blood of Yahshua, so no harm should come to them.

Question: why did the Senior Pastor and many members of Grace Assembly of God here go infected by the virus? What went wrong? Lack of faith? Or, there is no automatic coverage of the Blood of Yahshua!!

Likewise, why was it that the first person to die in Singapore during the SARS crisis was a Pastor?

Note: if Christians are automatically covered and protected by the Blood of Yahshua, then no Christian should ever catch a cold, flu....., and a myriad of viruses and bacteria!

II. Propitiation

Rom 3:24 *Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus:*

Rom 3:25 *Whom God hath set forth to be a **propitiation through faith in his blood**, to declare his righteousness for the remission of sins that are past, through the forbearance of God;*

“Propitiation is a big word that means satisfaction. Because God is a holy God, His anger and justice burns against sin. And He has sworn that sin will be punished.

There must be a satisfactory payment for sin. But God said, “If I punish man for his sin, man will die and go to hell. On the other hand, if I don’t punish man for his sin, My justice will never be satisfied.”

The solution? God said that He would become our substitute. He would take the sin of mankind upon Himself in agony and blood—a righteous judgment and substitute for sin.

His wrath burned out on the cross when His only Son died as man’s propitiation for sin.” [Christianity.com]

III. Atonement, Reconciliation, Restoration

Lev 17:11 *For the life of the flesh is in the blood: and I have given it to you upon the altar to make an atonement for your souls: for **it is the blood that maketh an atonement for the soul.***

Rom 5:11 *And not only so, but we also joy in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now **received the atonement.***

Col 1:19 *For it pleased the Father that in him should all fulness dwell;*

Col 1:20 *And, having made peace through the blood of his cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in heaven.*

Col 1:21 *And you, that were sometime alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, **yet now hath he reconciled***

Col 1:22 **In the body of his flesh through death, to present you holy and unblameable and unproveable in his sight:**

Col 1:23 **If ye continue in the faith grounded and settled,** and be not moved away from the hope of the gospel, which ye have heard, and which was preached to every creature which is under heaven; whereof I Paul am made a minister;

Note: continue in the faith

IV. **Justification**

Rom 5:9

V. **Saved From Wrath**

Rom 5:9

VI. **Redemption & Forgiveness**

Eph 1:4 According as he hath chosen us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be **holy and without blame before him in love:**

Eph 1:5 Having predestinated us unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself, according to the good pleasure of his will,

Eph 1:6 To the praise of the glory of his grace, wherein he hath made us accepted in the beloved.

Eph 1:7 In whom we have **redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace;**

VII. **Cleanse Our Conscience**

Heb 9:13 For if the **blood of bulls and of goats,** and the ashes of an heifer sprinkling the unclean, sanctifieth to **the purifying of the flesh:**

Heb 9:14 How much more shall the **blood of Christ,** who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without spot to God, **purge your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?**

Purges our conscience from dead works so that we can serve YAHWEH by faith.

VIII. **To Make Us Holy [Set Apart], Blameless, White**

Heb 13:11 For the bodies of those beasts, whose blood is brought into the sanctuary by the high priest for sin, are burned without the camp.

Heb 13:12 Wherefore Jesus also, that he might **sanctify the people with his own blood, suffered without the gate.**

Rev 7:13 And one of the elders answered, saying unto me, What are these which are arrayed in white robes? and whence came they?

Rev 7:14 And I said unto him, Sir, thou knowest. And he said to me, **These are they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.**

IX. **Confidence To Enter The Holy of Holies**

Heb 10:19 Having therefore, brethren, boldness to enter into the holiest by the blood of Jesus,

Heb 10:20 By a new and living way, which he hath consecrated for us, through the veil, that is to say, his flesh;

Heb 10:21 And having an high priest over the house of God;

Heb 10:22 Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure water.

X. New Covenant in Yahshua's Blood

Luk 22:19 And he took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is my body which is given for you: this do in remembrance of me.

Luk 22:20 Likewise also the cup after supper, saying, This cup is the new testament in my blood, which is shed for you.

XI. Applying the Blood

1Jn 1:6 If we say that we have fellowship with him, and walk in darkness, we lie, and do not the truth:

1Jn 1:7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.

1Jn 1:8 If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

1Jn 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1Jn 1:10 If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

a. **Walk in the light [in obedience to His Torah]**

b. **Confess our sins**

c. **Acknowledge our sins**

XII. Misapplication of His Blood

1Co 11:27 Wherefore whosoever shall eat this bread, and drink this cup of the Lord, unworthily, shall be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord.

1Co 11:28 But let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of that bread, and drink of that cup.

1Co 11:29 For he that eateth and drinketh unworthily, eateth and drinketh damnation to himself, not discerning the Lord's body.

1Co 11:30 For this cause many are weak and sickly among you, and many sleep.

1Co 11:31 For if we would judge ourselves, we should not be judged.