

Leviticus 1-27 – “The Book of Laws” (Part 2)

- Today’s Central Theme: God’s holiness *over* creation requires the holiness of His chosen people *within* creation.
- 1. The Hebrew nation was to honor His holiness by their obedience in a distinctive lifestyle...
 - ...that embodied love in specific actions.
 - ...that confronted the idolatry of the surrounding culture.
 - ...that emphasized the division between unclean and holy.
 - ...that recognized the sinful root of all that is broken.
 - ...that experienced the healing of life under His rule.
 - ...that punished offenses in proportion to the crime.
- 2. The Hebrew nation was to honor His holiness by their faithfulness in a system of sacrifices...
 - ...that demonstrated the grave seriousness of sin.
 - ...that demonstrated personal responsibility for sin.
 - ...that demonstrated the objective reality of sin.
 - ...that demonstrated the radical pervasiveness of sin.
 - ...that demonstrated the need for a greater Substitute.
 - ...that proved the faith through which sin is justified.