

#### Rick's Notes:

Mar 21, 2015 Rick Blankenship Grafted In Fellowship Vayikra – "And He called"

NOTE: The following are the general notes used for the teaching. They were primarily meant for reminders of the topic I wanted to cover, and do not include all that was said during the teaching.

NOTE: I am now using the Hebraic Roots Bible (HRB) for the scripture references throughout the study, unless otherwise noted. To obtain a free copy of the HRB: www.coYHWH.com



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- See last week's teaching for the definitions of the terms



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- of the herd
  - + male, no blemish
  - + offer of free will
- of the flocks (sheep or goats)
  - + male, no blemish
- of birds
  - + turtledoves or pigeons



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#### **Grain Offering**

#### If:

- fine flour
  - + mix with oil and frankincense
  - + a portion (handful) is sacrificed
  - + the rest goes to the Priests
- baked offering
  - + unleavened cakes
  - + mixed with oil
- unleavened wafers
  - + anointed with oil
- baked in a pan
  - + fine flour
- + mixed with oil

  - + unleavened + break into pieces and pour oil on it

- in a covered pan
  - + fine flour
  - + with oil
- in all cases, a memorial portion is burnt on the altar
- remainder goes to priests
- no grain offering is made with leaven or honey
- Firstfruits
  - + seasoned with salt
  - + if grain, green heads roasted on fire
  - + grain is beaten from full heads
  - + put oil on it
  - + lay frankincense on it
  - + memorial portion is burnt



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#### **Peace Offering**

If:

- of the herd
  - + male or female
  - + no blemish
- of the flock (sheep or goat)

Note: the details are repeated the same for both lamb and goat, but are described separately

- + male or female
- + no blemish
- all the fat belongs to YHVH
- this is the only offering (Peace) that says it is a perpetual statute throughout the generations
- do not eat fat or blood



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#### **Sin Offering**

- For unintentional sin
- if any person or an anointed priest
  - + a young bull is offered
- if the whole congregation (edah) sins unintentionally
  - + a bull is offered
- when a ruler has sinned unintentionally
  - + kid of goat, male, w/o blemish
- common people (what is diff b/t this and the first?) who sin unintentionally
  - + kid of the goats, female; or a lamb, female



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#### **Trespass Offering**

- hears an oath, or witnesses it, and does not tell it, he is guilty
- touches an unclean thing, he is unclean and guilty
- if a vow is made in flippant manner, he is guilty
- for any of these, confess the sin, and bring a trespass offering
  - + female lamb or goat
  - + or two turtledoves or two pigeons
    - -- one as a sin offering, one as a burnt offering
  - + or one-tenth of an ephah of fine flour as a sin offering
    - -- handful burnt as offering
    - -- remainder is the priest's



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#### **Offerings with Restitution**

- commits a trespass, and sins unintentionally
  - + ram is offered, unblemished
  - + also the valuation in shekels of silver as restitution
  - + adds one-fifth and gives to priest

#### (20% vs 25%)

- Our texts end this section with Chpt 5,
   but the sages see this as continuing into Chpt 6
- Examples of Offerings with Restitution
  - + lying to neighbor about what was delivered for safekeeping
  - + lies about a pledge
  - + or a robbery
  - + or he has extorted his neighbor
  - + if he found what was lost and lies about it (or swears falsely)
  - + all of these are sins





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And he said to me, The north chambers, the south chambers which are to the face of the separate area, they are holy chambers, there where the priests shall eat, who approach to YAHWEH in the holy of the holies. There they shall lay the holiest of the holy things, even the food offering and the sin offering, and the guilt offering. For the place is holy.



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18 And He said to me, Son of man, so says Adonai YAHWEH: These are the statutes of the altar in the day of its being made to offer on it burnt offerings, and to sprinkle on it blood. 19 And you shall give to the priests of the Levites, (they who are from the seed of Zadok, who approach to Me), declares Adonai YAHWEH, to minister to Me, a bull, a son of the herd, for a sin offering.



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21 And you shall take the bull of the sin offering, and he shall burn it at the appointed place of the house outside the sanctuary. 22 And on the second day you shall bring a buck of the goats without blemish for a sin offering. And they shall cleanse the altar, as they cleansed it with the bull. 23 When you have finished cleansing, you shall bring a bull without blemish, a son of the herd, and a ram without blemish out of the flock. 24 And you shall bring them before YAHWEH, and the priests shall throw salt on them, and they shall offer them for a burnt offering to YAHWEH. 25 For seven days you shall daily prepare a he goat for a sin offering. And they shall prepare a bull, a son of the herd, and a ram out of the flock, ones without blemish. 26 They shall atone seven days for the altar, and cleanse it, and consecrate it. 27 And when the days are completed, it shall be on the eighth day and forward, the priests shall make your burnt offerings, and your peace offerings, on the altar. And I will accept you, declares Adonai YAHWEH.



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15 and one lamb out of the flock, out of two hundred, out of the watered land of Israel for a food offering, and for a burnt offering, and for peace offerings, to atone for them, declares Adonai YAHWEH. 16 All the people of the land shall be at this heave offering for the prince in Israel. 17 And responsibility for burnt offerings shall be on the prince, and a food offering, and drink offerings, in the feasts and on the new moons and on the Sabbaths, in all the appointed feasts of the house of Israel. He shall make the sin offering, and the food offering, and the burnt offering, and the peace offerings, to atone for the house of Israel. 18 So says Adonai YAHWEH: In the first month, on the first of the month, you shall take a bull without blemish, a son of the herd, and cleanse the sanctuary. 19 And the priest shall take of the blood of the sin offering and put it on the door posts of the house, and on the four corners of the ledge of the altar, and on the gateposts of the inner court.



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