

Study QUESTIONS

Ep. 859: Israel's Passover - What Does It Mean to Us?

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1. What is a “type” in the Old Testament? What does the prefix “anti” mean (as used in the Bible), and how does this help us understand the word “anti-type”? What is the relationship of a “type” in the Old Testament compared to an “anti-type” in the New Testament? (See 1 Corinthians 10:11, Romans 15:4)
2. What does Exodus 9:12 mean when it says God “hardened” Pharaoh’s heart? Did God make Pharaoh into an evil person? (See Exodus 9:12)
3. What is the antitypical fulfillment in the New Testament of the Passover type in the Old Testament? (See Exodus 3:7-9, 12:2-14)
4. Compare the timing (the first connection) of the details of the Passover with the timing of the period leading up to Jesus’ death. Are they equally precise? What is the exact parallel between the day the lamb was taken into the house and the day Jesus entered Jerusalem? (See Exodus 12:2, John 12:1-12)
5. What is the second connection between the “firstborn” of the Jewish Passover and the “firstborn” heirs of Christ? (See Exodus 12:7,12, Hebrews 12:22-24) What was God’s requirement in Jewish law for the firstborn? How does this correlate to the true followers of Christ? (See Exodus 13:1-2, Romans 8:14-17, Hebrews 12:22-24)
6. Describe the third connection between the Passover story and the death of Jesus. What is it about the blood of the lamb that is important? In order for the blood to be applied, what has to happen to the lamb? (See Leviticus 17:11, Exodus 12:17, 1 Peter 1:18-19)
7. What was the purpose of the Passover? Who did it deliver or save? What is the purpose of Jesus’ sacrifice? Who did it redeem? (See 1 Corinthians 5:7)
8. What are the *two* aspects of the blood? What did the redemption/deliverance of the firstborn in *both* the type and the anti-type accomplish for the rest of Israel (in the type) and the rest of the world (in the anti-type)? (See Hebrews 10:19-22, 1-6, Romans 8:18-22)
9. What is the fourth connection between the Passover and Jesus’ death? (See Exodus 12:6, Mark 15:33-34) How much of the lamb was left after the Jewish Passover? What does this foreshadow in Jesus’ death? What other parallels exist between the Passover lamb and Jesus’ crucifixion? (See Exodus 12:8, Numbers 9:12, John 19:32-33, Hebrews 5:7-9)
10. How should we, as Christians, apply the lessons of the type of the Passover and the anti-type of Jesus’ sacrifice? (See Exodus 12:21-22, 1 Peter 1:13-14)
11. What is the timing of the church’s deliverance compared with the deliverance of the rest of mankind? When will this new day of deliverance happen? How does this impact the way you live *your* life?