

Study QUESTIONS

Ep.1330: Do the Covenants of God All Last Forever?

See:



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1. What is the definition of “covenant” and of “everlasting?” What is a “vanishing point”?
2. **Adam and Eve:** What was God’s promise to Adam and Eve? Genesis 1:28
3. **Noah – Noahic or Rainbow Covenant:**
 - a. What was God’s promise to Noah?
 - b. How does it connect with God’s promise to Adam and Eve?
 - c. What is God verifying through this covenant? (Genesis 9:1-2)
4. **Abram – Abrahamic Covenant:** The layered building of the Abrahamic Covenant
 - a. What was the original promise given to Abram? (Genesis 12:1-3)
 - b. How did the promise continue? (Genesis 13:14-16)
 - c. What was added in Genesis 15:5?
 - d. How was this promise confirmed and “sealed?” (Genesis 15:17-18)
 - e. Why was Abram’s name change to Abraham significant? How does God describe the duration of this covenant? After Abraham, who inherited this covenant with God? (Genesis 17:1-8, 18-22)
 - f. God reiterated His covenant with Abraham after he demonstrated his obedience through his willingness to sacrifice his son Isaac. How did this echo the promise to Adam and Eve? (Genesis 22:15-18)
5. **Israel – Law Covenant:** What are the various names of this covenant?
 - a. What was the first aspect of Israel’s new Law? (Exodus 2:23-25, chapter 11, 12:14)
 - b. How do we know this covenant was “conditional?” What were the conditions? (Exodus 19:3-6)
 - c. In what way was this covenant sealed? (Exodus 24:6-8)
 - d. Explain the difference between a permanent ordinance (or statute) like the Passover and a perpetual covenant like the Sabbath. Be detailed, there is a lot of information here. More in Part II! (Exodus 12:14, 31:15-17)
 - e. How could the Law Covenant be conditional upon obedience, yet the Jewish people (though disobedient many times through the ages) are still considered to be under this covenant?
6. **David – Davidic Covenant:**
 - a. What were the terms of the Davidic Covenant? (2 Samuel 7:10-16, 23:1-5)
 - b. Who was Jeremiah 23:5-6 and Ezekiel 37:24-25 talking about? (John 12:12-16)
 - c. How is the everlasting Davidic Covenant implemented? (Ezekiel 37:26)
7. **World of Mankind – New Covenant:**
 - a. What is the “covenant” of peace that comes through David’s lineage? (Jeremiah 31:31-34)
 - b. Why will the New Covenant work where the Old Covenant failed? (Jeremiah 31:33, Hebrews 8:6-8) (More in Part II!)
8. What is the purpose of all of God’s covenants with man? What has God promised you? What are you doing with those promises?