

LESSON 06: ATONEMENT ... NOT SIMPLE!

Memory work

12. Q. *Since, according to God's righteous judgment we deserve temporal and eternal punishment, how can we escape this punishment and be again received into favour?*

A. *God demands that His justice be satisfied.*

*Therefore we must make full payment,
either by ourselves or through another.*

13. Q. *Can we by ourselves make this payment?*

A. *Certainly not.*

On the contrary, we daily increase our debt.

14. Q. *Can any mere creature pay for us?*

A. *No.*

*In the first place,
God will not punish another creature
for the sin which man has committed.
Furthermore,
no mere creature can sustain
the burden of God's eternal wrath against sin
and deliver others from it.*

A. *No*

*First, humans sinned so humans must pay
Second, no mere creature can survive God's
anger and deliver others from it.*

Homework

1.(6) Look up Hebrews 9. List at least three differences between the Aaronic high priest and Jesus the Christ.

One day a year, sins would be atoned for on "Yom Kippur" (= "Day of Atonement"). Do some research to find answers to the following questions.

2.(2) What does the root word for "Kippur" literally mean? _____

3.(2) The goat for the LORD was sacrificed as a payment for sin. That's why it was killed. What was the point of the goat for Azazel, which was sent into the wilderness, to a remote place, so as to never come back again?
