

- f) After Aaron had made atonement for himself and his family, what did he do with the goat to which God's lot fell? What was the purpose for this? Who helped Aaron in the Tent?

- g) Explain the procedure to be followed with the second goat after Aaron had completed the sacrifices for himself and for the Israelites. What symbolism do you see in this?

- h) What did both Aaron and the man who released the scapegoat have to do as they completed their tasks for atonement? What was done with the carcasses of the two animals that were sacrificed for atonement? Why do you think this was done?

- i) When was the atonement ceremony to be held? What were the Israelites required to do on this day? Do you think believers could benefit by observing this today?

2. Eating Blood Forbidden - 17:1-15

- a) According to the first several verses, where were all animal sacrifices to be carried out? When an Israelite slaughtered an animal, what type of offering was it to be? What was the punishment for disobedience? What do you think God's purpose was for this commandment?

- b) God seems to be quite serious about the commandment not to eat blood. What reason is given for this? Does this makes sense to you? What happened to one who disobeyed this commandment?

