

For My Cleansing This My Plea

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Introductory notes:

The law of the Lord is mentioned _____ times in Luke 2.

Joseph and Mary _____ what was written and they _____ it.

Genuine _____ always manifests itself in obedience.

Jesus' Circumcision and Naming

God instituted circumcision for three purposes:

1. _____ benefits
2. sign of the Abrahamic _____
3. spiritual object lesson of the need for _____ from sin

The act of circumcising was a _____ and bloody representation of the removal of sin.

Jesus bore on His very flesh the _____ of a voluntary obligation to do the _____ law.

“His circumcision was His first _____ for us.” – Donald Grey Barnhouse

Joseph and Mary named Him Jesus as an act of _____ to the Lord.

Jesus =

Mary's Purification and Presentation of Jesus

Completed =

This would have been _____ days after Jesus' birth.

A woman's purification after childbirth illustrated her need for _____ from sin.

As it is written reminds us that what _____ written in the Scriptures _____ written.

Things we learn from the Scriptures related to presenting the firstborn sons to the Lord (**Exodus 13:1-2; Numbers 3:12-13; 18:15-15**):

Joseph and Mary were not presenting Jesus for _____ service, but rather dedicating His _____ to God.

What we learn from Mary's sacrifice of two young pigeons:

Observations and Implications

_____ is a theme in all of this.

Notes on this theme:

Hebrews 9:22 – And according to the Law, one may almost say, all things are cleansed with blood, and without shedding of blood there is no forgiveness.

That Mary offered a dove as a _____ offering for her purification indicates that the mother of God's Son also needed the _____ and redemption that her son brought.