

## I Believe... Jesus: The Liberator November 21, 2021

I. WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? <u>He</u>

<u>Heb 9:1-15</u>

Jesus <u>suffered</u>, died, was <u>buried</u>, and <u>rose</u> from the <u>dead</u> on the third day. During those three days, He was very <u>busy</u> doing the <u>work</u> of redemption.

- **II. WHAT DOES SYMBOLISM TEACH US?** 
  - A. Every Old Testament sacrifice was a symbolic <u>IOU</u> toward the sacrifice of <u>Jesus</u>.
  - B. Abraham offered his son, <u>Isaac</u>, as a <u>symbolic</u> act of God offering His son, <u>Jesus</u>.

- C. Abraham's <u>Bosom</u> was a symbol of <u>sheol</u>.
- III. WHAT DOES THE BIBLE ACTUALLY SAY?
  - A. Nobody was in the <u>presence</u> of <u>God</u> prior to Jesus' <u>resurrection</u>.
  - B. <u>Sheol</u> is the place of natural death; <u>Hell</u> is the place of "<u>spiritual</u> death."
  - C. Jesus <u>paid</u> the <u>price</u> for our sins, both spiritual and natural. He delivered us from the "<u>second</u> <u>death</u>."
  - D. Jesus, upon His victory, led a heavenly <u>procession</u> of vanquished <u>foes</u> and freed <u>captives</u>.