



Worship at the Tabernacle

Leviticus 16; 19; 26

Bible Story Summary:

- God gave His people instructions on how to worship Him on a special day each year—the Day of Atonement.
- The high priest, Aaron, would sprinkle the blood of a goat on the mercy seat to symbolize the forgiveness of sins. Aaron would take another goat, confess the Israelites' sins over it, and send it into the wilderness.
- God told His people to be holy, just as He is holy.

Review Questions:

- Did Aaron need forgiveness of his sins too? Why?
- Why is Jesus the perfect and final sacrifice for sin?

KEY PASSAGE: 1 Samuel 2:2

BIG PICTURE QUESTION: Why do we need to be saved? People are sinful and cannot save themselves.

CHRIST CONNECTION: God instructed the Israelites to sacrifice animals to demonstrate the forgiveness and removal of sin. God gave His one and only Son, Jesus, as the perfect and final sacrifice for sin. Anyone who trusts in Jesus is forgiven of their sins and made clean forever.

STORY POINT: God commanded the Israelites to be holy and worship Him alone.