

## THE PEOPLE HAVE A PROBLEM LEVITICUS 1-7

## A. Offerings and sacrifices

- -Burnt offerings-Lev 1
- -Grain offerings-Lev 2
- -Peace offerings-Lev 3
- -Sin offerings-Lev 4
- -Guilt offerings-Lev 5 and 6
- -All of these offerings/sacrifices commanded by God so relationship with a Holy God could function
- -They were somewhat comprehensive because God knows our sin nature knows few if any bounds

## B. The priests, the offerings, and us

- -There were particular ways that each offering was to be handled
  - -6:8-13-Burnt offering
    - -The fire shall be kept burning continually
  - -6:14-23-Grain offering
  - -6:24-30-The sin offering
    - -The blood of the sacrifice is holy and should be taken seriously
  - -7:1-10-Guilt offering
  - -7:11-18ff-Peace Offering
    - -Thanksgiving-Unleavened (not corrupted or able to spoil)
    - -Vow offering and freewill offering

## C. So what is the point?

- -God is holy
- -We should fear him truly and completely
- -We should relish Christ's sacrifice pictured here and know that his sacrifice is perfect and complete
- -Sin is insidious and is crouching at our door
- -We are joined with Christ and therefore we can offer peace offerings of gratitude and thanks
- -Don't manage sin