

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE CLASS

May 21, 2025

Exodus 24.1-8

Introduction:

1. Contextually, we are reading about the giving of the Law of Moses.
 - a) The Ten Commandments were given directly to Israel. (Ex. 20.1-21)
 - b) The Old Covenant Law was given through Moses. (Ex. 20.22-23.33)
2. The giving of the Law carries great significance for Christians today.
 - a) The significance of the place of a mediator. (Ex. 24.3)
 - b) The significance of the shedding of blood. (Ex. 24.5)
 - c) The significance of the covenant relationship with God. (Ex. 24.7)

I. THE CALL OF GOD

- A. Those who were called up to the mountain.
 1. **Exodus 24.1:** *“Now He said to Moses, “Come up to the LORD, you and Aaron, Nadab and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel, and worship from afar.”*
 2. Who were those called up to the mountain?
 - a) Moses? (Ex. 3.10; 20.19; Deut. 34.10)
 - b) Aaron and his sons? (Ex. 28.1; Num. 16.40)
 - c) The seventy elders? (Num. 11.16,17,24,25)
 3. How does Jesus fulfill these roles today? (Acts 3.20-22; Heb. 6.20)
- B. The Holiness of God.
 1. **Exodus 24.2:** *“And Moses alone shall come near the LORD, but they shall not come near; nor shall the people go up with him.”*
 2. Why was Moses to go up alone? (cf. Ex. 3.5)
 3. Who is our mediator today? (1 Tim. 2.5; Heb. 9.15)

II. THE COVENANT RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD

- A. The Law is delivered to Israel.
 1. **Exodus 24.3:** *“So Moses came and told the people all the words...”*
 - a) **Verse 4:** Moses then wrote down the words in an official record.
 - b) **Verse 7:** It was written in the *“Book of the Covenant”* (cf. Deut. 29.21).
 2. How is the new covenant written today? (Heb. 8.10)
- B. The children of Israel agree to the Law.
 1. **Exodus 24.3:** *“All the words which the LORD has said we will do.”*
 2. **Exodus 24.7:** *“All that the LORD has said we will do, and be obedient.”*
- C. The covenant is ratified.
 1. **Exodus 24.8:** *“This is the blood of the covenant which the LORD has made with you according to all these words.”*
 2. How was the new covenant ratified today? (Matt. 26.28; 1 Pet. 1.2; Heb. 9.16ff)