

P R O M I S E D

**The Day of Atonement***Leviticus 16, pp. 97-98***Main Characters in the Drama**

The Nation: (*v. 31 p. 98*) Is on a Sabbath rest, a national day of:

- _____ from work.
- _____ and _____ - denying yourself.
- _____ and _____.

The High Priest: He is the only one who will _____ this day.

Dressed in four garments of white linen:

a tunic, under garments, a sash, and turban.

The High Priest brings the following:

- A young bull - a _____ for himself and his family's sins.
- A young ram - a _____ offering. Rid me of all sin and consume me.
- Two male goats - one offered to the _____, the other serves as the _____. (*v. 21, p. 97*)

Hebrew word pictures:

Altar, smoke, fire, fragrance, slaughter, smell, clean clothes, bloody clothes, sacrifice, ...

Hebrew sacrifice:

The High Priest _____ through the slain carcass.

The priest is "_____ " with God.

The sacrifices pay atonement for:

The High Priest, his family, the nation, the Most Holy Place,
The Tent of Meeting, and the altar

The Promise Revealed: (*Hebrews 9:6-15, pp. 999-1000*)

_____ is the _____ of the new covenant.

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LifeGroup Questions:

1. What part of the Old Testament drama in and around the Day of Atonement makes the deepest impression on you? Why?
2. How do you think the entire nation felt watching only one man work on this day? Do you think this is prophetic – having only one man work?
3. Why do you think the priest had to lay hands on the head of the sacrifice and speak the sins of the nation? Do you think this brought humility or pride to the high priest?
4. Read Hebrews 9:1-15. How does this passage help us understand the power of Jesus? What are some of the benefits of being in the new covenant?