

YOU LOST ME AT LEVITICUS



THE SACRIFICE GOD DESIRES

1. What is the "best seat" you have ever had for an event you enjoyed? Share with the group.

Read this week's teaching text: Leviticus 20:23-26

2. Leviticus contains instructions that God is giving the Israelites on how they are to properly worship Him as they are about to enter the promise land, Canaan. It is a land of that is filled with cultic practices. Given this context, try to imagine the Israelites initial reaction to God's words. What is God making clear to them here?

Take turns reading the following passages from today's message: Leviticus 4:3; 4:13-14; 4:22-23; 4:27-28

3. Share any observations you've made from the text while reading these passages,

4. What differences and similarities do you see? Do you notice any themes?

5. In the message, Pastor Silverio shared the meaning of "typology," a word that is used in Biblical studies to describe an earlier historical event, place, or person by which a later event, place or person can be interpreted. Based on these readings, what will be used as "type" for someone in the New Testament? Can you think of any specific examples or verses?

6. Read John 2:13-17. What initially stands about Jesus' actions and words here?

7. Think about what we are learning in Leviticus. How does your increasing awareness about God's heart and the purpose of sacrifices give you more insight as to what Jesus is doing here?

8. In the message, Pastor Silverio said that the sacrifice God really wants is the one that that draws us closer to Him. How does that resonate with what you just read in Leviticus regarding sacrifices and also the story in John 2? How might this apply to you in your relationship with God today?

Next Steps 2023

- What are some of your next steps in faith for 2023? Share any updates with your group.
- When you complete your next step using the campus QR code below.

Prayer

- Share praises and prayer requests with one another.
- Guided prayer: God, as we seek to know you and follow you through the book of Leviticus, guide us in your truth. As you draw near to us, help us to draw near to you. Break down the walls of our own pride. If there's any sin that is separating us from you, give us the courage to repent and turn our hearts back to you. AMEN.

