

How Great a Savior! How Great a Salvation!

January 5, 2025 – Hebrews 9:1-10

The Same God, Same Obedience, Better Reflection

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- I. The God of the Tabernacle is the same God today
 - A. God did not change when he adopted the New Covenant
 - B. Our God is holy and sovereign
 - C. Our God is merciful
 - D. Our God values our obedience
- II. The Old Covenant was merely a reflection of a better covenant
 - A. The Old Covenant focused on the physical
 - B. The New Covenant focuses on the heart
 - C. Worship as intended in the Old Covenant cannot happen today
 - D. Nothing in all creation can cease our worship today

Conclusion: Do not believe that God has changed with the New Covenant. We have a holy and unchanging God who values obedience from the heart. Finally, dear Christian, bask in the New Covenant and worship our God today.

Reflections

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Hear the Word

1. What is this passage telling me about who God is (His character, actions, attributes, Word)?
2. What themes do I see here, and how do any of those connect with what I am currently facing?
3. What actions are being commanded, encouraged, celebrated, prohibited, or warned against?
4. What is the main purpose of this passage, and does it bring other passages to mind?
5. How does this passage point me to Jesus, and help me to see the gospel more clearly?

Do the Word

1. How do my actions, thoughts, words or emotions need to change in light of this passage?
2. What evidence of God's work in my life do I need to thank and praise Him for?
3. How does my prayer life need to change as a result of this?
4. Do I see any other way that this should impact my worship of God?

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