The Blood of Jesus

God loved us so much that He paid a high price for us and the price that He paid was the precious blood of Jesus. The blood that Jesus shed for us is our most powerful weapon. Who doesn't want us to understand what the Blood of Jesus does for us? And doesn't want us to talk about it in our churches and with each other? That's right – satan!!

Blood – Strongs 1818 Dam (dawm), synonymous with life.

Lev.16:14-16 Ceremony of Day of Atonement – 7 fold sprinkling in Old Testament

7 Fold Sprinkling of Jesus

1. Garden of Gethsemane Luke 22:44 – sweating great drops of blood

2. House of high priest hit Jesus in the face with rods Micah 5:1 / Matt:26-27 which brought out the blood

3. Plucked out His beard Isaiah 50:6 causing Him to bleed

4. Handed over to Pilate to be scourged. John 19:1 Roman scourge was a whip with many thongs in which were embedded pieces of bone and metal and they tore open His flesh.

5. In mocking Him they platted a crown of thorns John 19:2 which were long and extremely hard and tremendously sharp and they put this on His head and pushed it down into His scalp and beat Him on His head causing Him to bleed and the blood to well up and run down His face and coagulate. His visage was so marred – Isaiah 52:14 He lost appearance even of a human being.

6. Nails in His hands and feet.

7. Thrust spear in His side and blood and water gushed out. John 19:34

Lev:17:11 Read

God gave this to us upon the altar, that cross at Calvary was an altar and Jesus is the sacrifice. He offered Himself as the final sin offering. Isaiah 22:20-25

<u>Rev:12:11</u> Read who is satan scared of? "totally committed ones"

Most important thing in life is to do the will of God

We overcome satan when we testify personally to what the Word of God says the Blood of Jesus does for us.

Example: OT **Exodus 12:21-23** Fathers of Israel were to do this. They are the head of the household. Where are the fathers today?

+ (cross) blood in the basin did nothing – had to be applied – lamb had to be killed
– blood was not to be in the threshold, not to be walked over. – Stay inside for protection.

<u>I Peter 1:2</u> Obedience – Blood is not for the disobedient

Blood must be applied from the basin to the place we live and we must be obedient. Our testimony is simple, just a few words – <u>but is very important!!</u>

Heb.3:1 No confession = No High Priest / By your words you will be justified or condemned.

Don't speak negative things over yourself – God made you and He thinks you are wonderful and a masterpiece. Our words are powerful as we are made in His image and His spoken Word always has effect. We draw the things that we say to us.

I can't believe it, I'm so stupid, you kill me, I'm ugly etc.

7 Fold Application of the Blood – Dipping the hyssop in the blood & applying it:

1. REDEMPTION – Being bought back from the devil

<u>Eph. 1:7</u>

1 PET 1:18-19 Jesus was pure

Psalm 107:2 SAY **SAY*** Remember our words are power, just

like when the disciples asked Jesus how to pray and He said when

you pray – SAY... (Luke 11:2)

SAY: I have been redeemed by the Blood of Jesus out of the hand of the devil.

2. CLEANSING -

<u>1 John 1:7</u> In the original language these verbs are continuing present tense. Out of fellowship – out of light – no cleansing in darkness

Evidence that you are walking in the light is that you have fellowship

If you get out of the light – the blood does not cleanse in the dark

Psalm 51:7 King David knew where to turn to get forgiveness

SAY: <u>While I walk in the light the Blood of Jesus cleanses me now</u> <u>and continually from all sin.</u>

3. JUSTIFICATION -

Rom5:9 Jesus' righteousness is applied to us.

Isaiah 61:10 Garment of salvation & a robe of righteousness

SAY: *Through the Blood of Jesus I am justified, acquitted, not*

Guilty, reckoned righteous, made righteous, just as if I'd never

<u>sinned.</u>

4. SANCTIFICATION -

Heb: 13:12 Set apart from sin and all that defiles

Sanct is to make holy with God's own Holiness.

Heb.12:10 Chastened for His Holiness.

SAY: <u>Through the Blood of Jesus I am sanctified, separated from sin,</u> <u>made holy with God's Holiness, set apart to God, made holy.</u>

5. LIFE –

Lev. 17:11 Life of God is in the Blood of Jesus. The Creator is infinitely greater than all He has created. His Blood is eternal and pure and holy. satan was created
John 6:53-57 Must eat His flesh and drink His blood to have LIFE

Communion

Let us drink the blood of Jesus

Let us eat His flesh.

<u>**1 Cor. 10:16</u>** sharing in the blood and body of Christ Remember Him by taking His body, we proclaim His death until He Comes (I Cor. 11:26) When taking communion: We receive this bread as Your flesh We receive this cup as Your blood, and as we do this we proclaim Your death until You come.</u>

SAY: Lord Jesus, when we receive Your Blood, in it we receive Your

Life, the life of God, Divine, Eternal, Endless life. Thank You Lord.

 INTERCESSION – Jesus' sprinkled blood speaks on our behalf in Heaven.

Heb 12:22-24

Abel's blood was shed against his will. / Jesus' blood was shed willingly.

Abel's blood was shed on earth./Jesus' blood is sprinkled in the Holiest

of all.

Abel's blood called out for vengeance (Gen.4:10)/Jesus' blood calls out for mercy.

Jesus' blood sprinkled in the immediate presence of God is always speaking on our behalf.

SAY: Thank You Lord that even when I cannot pray the Blood of Jesus is pleading for me in heaven.

7. ACCESS – Don't testify, then you don't have it

<u>Heb.10:19</u>

Heb. 3:1 Jesus is High Priest of our Confession (make confession)

Heb. 4:14 Hold fast our confession

Heb. 10:23 Hold fast the confession without wavering

***There will be trials – tribulations – problems – tests –

Persecution***

Keep making the right confession no matter what – God's Word is True.

Lev.16:12-16 Censor with incense = worship / blood sprinkled 7 Times on the mercy seat **Through worship and Blood we have Access**

SAY: <u>Thank You Lord that through the sprinkled Blood of Jesus I</u> <u>have access into Your presence into the Holiest place in the</u> <u>universe.</u>

*****AND THEY OVERCAME him BY THE BLOOD OF THE LAMB, AND BY THE WORD OF THEIR TESTIMONY; AND THEY LOVED NOT THEIR LIVES UNTO THE DEATH.***** Revelation 12:11

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