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RE301 / RE501 / RE701 The Blood Covenant Course Description & Syllabus

This course is written to present and introduce concepts of the Blood Covenant as it relates to the Old and New Testaments. Today, the need to enhance one's awareness of The Blood Covenant exists. The Blood Covenant remains the most solemn, binding agreement possible between two parties. It is perhaps one of the least understood and yet most important, significant, and relevant factors necessary for an appreciation of the series of covenants and covenant relationships that our God has chosen to employ in His dealings with man.

This course can be taken on an undergraduate level of study (RE301 - toward a Bachelor's degree), or it can be taken on a graduate level of study (RE501/B701 - toward a Masters or Doctors degree), providing the course requirements are met as explained in this course syllabus.

OBJECTIVES:

<u>ACADEMIC</u>--- To enable the student to gain a basic knowledge and understanding of the importance of the Blood Covenant to humanity and the Church universal.

<u>ATTITUDINAL</u>--- To conceptualize an awareness and understanding of the Blood Covenant and its relevance to the modern church today.

<u>BEHAVIORAL</u>--- To help the student engage practically in God's unchanged methods and truths as one participates in the building of an effective New Testament church and/or ministry.



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COURSE GRADING:

Chesapeake Bible College and Seminary uses a four-point grading system to calculate both semester and cumulative grade point averages. Point grades for all quizzes, exams, projects, and/or papers in any given course will be averaged to determine the final letter grade for the course, as applicable.

GRADING: - Description of Letter / Points

Work of an exceptional quality – A / 93 - 100%

Work of a commendable quality – B / 85 - 92%

Work of an acceptable quality - C / 78 - 84%

Work of minimal but passing quality – D / 70 - 77%

Failing work, no credit given – F / 0 - 69%

<u>NOTE:</u> Students are strongly advised to make copies of <u>all course work</u> submitted to Chesapeake Bible College & Seminary for grading.



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COURSE REQUIREMENTS

STUDY TEXT: There is no textbook required for this course. Scripture passages, unless otherwise noted, are from the New King James Version of the Holy Bible.

CBCS credits this course's multiple writers and editors over time who prepared all study content and course materials contained herein as offered with permission by Chesapeake Bible College & Seminary faculty and staff. A very special thanks goes to Dr. Phillip E. Connatser Jr. who will serve as your course instructor as part of the CBCS Online student community.

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RE301 - (DIPLOMA – ASSOCIATE - BACHELOR) – 3 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For Students taking this course as an undergraduate, (4) credit course, an additional six (6)-page essay is required to be submitted on why you believe that the Blood Covenant is important. This six (6)-page essay includes a cover page & bibliography page.

The essay is to be typed double spaced, in New Times Roman type font, 12 font size. The instructions for essay/assignment submission are as follows: Coursework may be electronically uploaded into the Online Student Portal (if taking the course as an Online Student); submitted to the overseeing Instructor (if taking the course as part of a Distance Learning (DLC) Center); or electronically emailed to Assignment@chesapeakebiblecollege.com.

1. Maintain a minimum of a "C" average for the course.

- 2. Read all materials assigned.
- 3. Study the review materials.
- 4. Before taking the final examination, the student will: Submit a minimum four-page defense essay which answers why you believe that there is proof positive that The Lord Jesus Christ Is The Messiah. This will constitute one-half (50%) of your grade for the course. The essay submitted must have a course title page and may be submitted as outlined in the RE301 Degree Requirement description above.
- 5. Successful completion of the Mid-term (25%) and Final (25%) Examinations will constitute the remainder of your grades for the course.

RE501 - (MASTERS) - 4 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For students taking this course on a master's level, the student must:

- 1. Maintain a minimum of a "B" average for the course.
- 2. Read all materials assigned.
- 3. Study the review materials.
- 4. Before taking the final examination, the student will: Submit a ten (10)- page research paper rich with Scriptures and Scripture references on The Blood Covenant of Jesus Christ. The student may include the eight covenants, especially the New Covenant, and can elaborate richly upon the blood of the sacrificial animals in the Old Testament and the Blood of the "Sacrificial Lamb" in the New Testament. The student should list references used, including Bibles, Concordances, articles, books, etc. as the student contrasts and compares the use, purpose, significance, and power of the Blood in the Old Testament with that in the New Testament. The student should explain the foreshadowing of the blood covenants in the Old Testament with the heavenly Substitution in the New Testament, and conclude with the application of the Blood of Jesus Christ as a weapon against Satanic forces and as a Spiritual Covering and sword for today's saints.

This ten (10)- page research paper should include a cover page with: Student name, address, phone number, email address, and date along with the name of overseeing instructor, the course/degree program (RE301, RE501, RE701) and include a bibliography page at the end. The research essay is to be typed double spaced, in New Times Roman type font, 12 font size. The instructions for essay/assignment submission are also outlined in the Assignment section of the online course and are as follows: The research paper should be electronically uploaded into the Online Student Portal (if taking the course as an Online Student); submitted to the overseeing Instructor (if taking the course as part of a Distance Learning (DLC) Center); or electronically emailed to

- <u>Assignment@chesapeakebiblecollege.com</u>. The research paper will constitute one-half (50%) of your grade for the course. Neatness, grammar, spelling, content, context, and bibliography will be considered.
- 5. Successful completion of the Mid-term (25%) and Final (25%) Examinations will constitute the remainder of your grades for the course.

RE701 - (DOCTORS) - 4 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For students taking this course on a Doctor's level, the requirements are the same as the master's degree (see above) except the student must write a twenty (20)-page essay, instead of a ten (10)- page essay. This twenty (20)-page essay includes a cover page & bibliography page. The essay may be submitted as outlined in the RE301 Degree Requirement and the Master's Degree descriptions above.



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RE301 / RE501 / RE701 Apostolic Foundations Syllabus

COURSE INTRODUCTION

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Read the Forward & Introduction

For lessons or overall course requirements, students should:

- Read the accompanying lessons and topics outlined within the course work
- Read and reflect on accompanying Scriptures as relevant to the course work
- Review study materials as applicable for this lesson
- Reflect on the lesson reflection question and explore how your learning applies today in the church, in various marketplace settings, and/or to you personally
- Complete any supervision or supplemental readings applicable to course of study

Lesson 1 – The Blood Covenant

Section 1 – An Introduction to the Blood Covenant

Section 2 – Blood Covenants Worldwide

Section 3 – The Origin of the Blood Covenant

Lesson 2 – The Tabernacle, The Passover Lamb, and The Body of Jesus

- Section 1 The Wilderness Tabernacle Foreshadows Christ
- Section 2 The Passover Lamb Equals Our Lord Jesus Christ
- Section 3 Jesus' Body and Blood in Heaven For You and me
- Section 4 The Blood

Lesson 3 – Covenant Benefits

- Section 1 Benefits Received by Reason of the New Covenant Blood of Jesus Being in Heaven
- Section 2 The Tabernacle Represents the Lord Jesus Christ
- Section 3 Jesus' Body is in Heaven

Lesson 4 – The Messiah, The Tabernacle & Intro to the Eight Covenants

- Section 1 Proof Positive that the Lord Jesus Christ is the Messiah
- Section 2 The Tabernacle
- Section 3 An Introduction to the Eight Covenants

<u>Lesson 5</u> – The Eight Covenants & The Building of A Self-Image

- Section 1 The Eight Covenants
- Section 2 The Building of a Self-Image of Prosperity

Lesson 6 – Divine Health and The Power of our Words

- Section 1 Building a Self-Image of Divine Health
- Section 2 The Power of our Words

Lesson 7 – The Blood Covenant Review Statements

Students may desire to review these along with reviewing Appendixes 1 and 2 prior to taking the Mid and Final Exams.

MID TERM EXAM

COURSE OUTLINES or ESSAY ASSIGNMENT DUE: Students should reference the above degree section as it relates to your degree program Assignment instructions.

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FINAL EXAM DUE

APPENDIX LISTING –

Appendix 1 – Diagram of the Atonement

Appendix 2 – Genealogy of Jesus Christ

Appendix 3 – The Blood Covenant Review Statements

- 1. We have a blood covenant through Jesus with God Almighty.
- 2. We have a whip which represents the Blood of the Lord Jesus, and with this whip we can whip the Devil unmercifully.
- 3. We have an arch (Jesus' atoning Blood) between God and us.
- 4. As God looks down through Jesus' Blood, He sees us holy, unblameable and perfect.
- 5. Under the Blood of Jesus, it is man and Satan only who see our sins, faults, and failings.
- 6. The blood covenant is the most solemn, binding agreement possible between two parties.
- 7. There are those who insist on the belief that there was a gradual development of the race from a barbarous beginning, but we know that man started on a higher plane and degenerated.
- 8. When two men enter into a covenant, they consider themselves as a possessor of a double life.
- 9. Marriage between a man and woman who have made a blood covenant (not a marriage covenant) is considered incest.
- 10. The fact that there are primitive blood covenants in every country in the world shows us there is a common origin.

- 11. Christ had to die so we could live. Christ had to shed His Blood to save us. Christ had to become naked so we could become clothed.
- 12. When you begin to understand the utter holiness of God, you marvel at the precious Blood of Christ, typified so gloriously in all the ancient Hebrew sacrifices.
- 13. In some churches, water baptism has replaced salvation through the Blood.
- 14. Just as the sacrificial lamb had to die and its shed blood be applied, so the Lamb of God, Jesus Christ, had to die on the cross, where His Blood became a separation between life and death, obedience and disobedience, sons of God and sons of Satan.
- 15. The exact month, the exact day of the month, and the exact time of day for the slaying of the Lamb was ordained before Christ our Passover was sacrificed for us.
- 16. The moment our Lord died on the cross, the veil of the temple was torn in two from the top to bottom. When this veil was torn, the glorious Holy of Holies was opened and the way was made for sinful man to come into the presence of a Holy God.
- 17. At the moment of our Lord's death, the terrible darkness which was over the face of the earth lifted and light came into the world.
- 18. The Body and Blood of Jesus did not perish at Jerusalem, nor did it see corruption. He is in heaven for us right now.
- 19. God made a covenant with Abram. Jesus, Who was in the loins of Abraham, fulfilled this covenant, and as we are in Jesus, we have fulfilled the covenant.
- 20. As Jesus has fulfilled the covenant, that covenant can never be broken. Therefore, we can claim every promise in the Bible.
- 21. The covenant between God and Jesus can never be broken. Therefore, the covenant between God and us can never be broken.
- 22. Because God sacrificed His only Begotten Son, He accepted His death and His Blood as more than sufficient compensation for the death due you and me, and for all sinners past, present, and future.
- 23. This Blood is now upon you and me, between God and us for a complete blotting out of all our sins, releasing us from all penalties.

- 24. The covenants God has made are agreements or contracts more solemn and binding than any legal contract.
- 25. Is the Blood important?

SUPPLEMENTAL STUDY TEXT: There is no textbook required for this course. Scripture passages, unless otherwise noted, are from the New King James Version of the Holy Bible.

For Independent Correspondent Students (ICS) or Distance Learning Center (DLC) students who are not utilizing the Online Student Portal for coursework materials and/or Quizzes. In lieu of the online Lesson engagement, the student must submit a one-page reflection response to each of the 25 Review Statement as outlined as part of Appendix 3 (The Blood Covenant Review Statements). This will constitute one-half (50%) of your grade for the course. Outlines submitted must have course title page and may be submitted as outlined in the RE-301 Degree Requirement description above.

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