

# A BETTER COVENANT

*Deuteronomy 5:23-27; Hebrews 10*

Series: Deuteronomy-  
A Call to Faithfulness  
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Celebrating the relationship with God Jesus bought for us with His blood

## LET'S GET STARTED

God's old covenant with the Israelites under Moses provided them salvation, but it cannot compare to His covenant with believers in Christ. In this message, we will spotlight key blessings Christians receive by way of Jesus' death on the Cross.

## LET'S HEAR THE WORD

Deuteronomy 5:23-27—<sup>23</sup>When you heard the voice out of the darkness, while the mountain was ablaze with fire, all the leading men of your tribes and your elders came to me. <sup>24</sup>And you said, "The LORD our God has shown us his glory and his majesty, and we have heard his voice from the fire. Today we have seen that a man can live even if God speaks with him. <sup>25</sup>But now, why should we die? This great fire will consume us, and we will die if we hear the voice of the LORD our God any longer. <sup>26</sup>For what mortal man has ever heard the voice of the living God speaking out of fire, as we have, and survived? <sup>27</sup>Go near and listen to all that the LORD our God says. Then tell us whatever the LORD our God tells you. We will listen and obey."

God, as He appeared to the Israelites at Sinai:

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## Quotable

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*We can begin each day  
with the deeply  
encouraging realization,  
I'm accepted by God, not on  
the basis of my personal  
performance, but on the  
basis of the infinitely  
perfect righteousness  
of Jesus Christ.*

—John Owen

*So, the question is, "Where  
are you living?" Are you  
living on Mount Sinai,  
trying to earn acceptance  
with a holy God by keeping  
His law? If so, you should  
be in terror, because it is  
impossible to meet the  
demands of His holiness.*

— Steven J. Cole

**If you would like to know more**

*Law or Grace*, by M. R. DeHaan, (Zondervan, 1965)

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## WELCOME TO MT. ZION

Hebrews 12:18-24—<sup>18</sup> You have not come to a mountain that can be touched and that is burning with fire; to darkness, gloom and storm; <sup>19</sup> to a trumpet blast or to such a voice speaking words that those who heard it begged that no further word be spoken to them, <sup>20</sup> because they could not bear what was commanded: “If even an animal touches the mountain, it must be stoned.” <sup>21</sup> The sight was so terrifying that Moses said, “I am trembling with fear.” <sup>22</sup> But you have come to Mount Zion, to the heavenly Jerusalem, the city of the living God. You have come to thousands upon thousands of angels in joyful assembly, <sup>23</sup> to the church of the firstborn, whose names are written in heaven. You have come to God, the judge of all men, to the spirits of righteous men made perfect, <sup>24</sup> to Jesus the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

## Gifts you’ve received through faith in Christ (Hebrews 10)

- \_\_\_\_\_ . God accepts me because of Jesus (10:1-10).
- \_\_\_\_\_ . I please God because I want to (10:15-16)
- \_\_\_\_\_ . I can approach God at any time (10:19-22).
- \_\_\_\_\_ . I enjoy my relationship with all of God’s people (10:24-25).

## LET’S LIVE IT

We can put today’s truth into practice by thanking Christ for the gifts He bought for us on the Cross, and by enjoying them every day.

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