

THE LANDMARK OF CHRIST'S ATONEMENT
Romans 5:1-11

INTRODUCTION:

A. A landmark served as a property line or boundary. A landmark could not be removed without incurring the severe displeasure of God. To move a landmark, was considered stealing from one's neighbor – sinning against God.

- “Thou shalt not remove thy neighbour's landmark, which they of old time have set in thine inheritance, which thou shalt inherit in the land that the Lord thy God giveth thee to possess it (Deut 19:14).

I. THE DEATH OF CHRIST PURCHASED OUR JUSTIFICATION (Rom 3:21-26)

- A. Believers are “Justified Freely” (v. 24)**
- B. Believers are Justified by “God’s Grace” (v. 24)**
- C. Believers are “Justified by Faith” (Rom 5:1)**
- D. Believers are “Justified by His Blood” (Rom 5:9)**
- E. Believers are “Justified by Power” (Rom 4:24-25; 2 Cor 5:21)**

II. THE DEATH OF CHRIST PURCHASED OUR REDEMPTION (Eph 1:3-7)

- A. Christ Paid the Price for Our Salvation (1 Cor 6:20)**
- B. Redemption Refers to Jesus Purchasing us from Sin, Death and Satan by His Blood**
- C. “Forgiveness of Sin” (v. 7) – The result or Fruit of Redemption (Ps 32:1; Col 1:14)**
- D. “Redemption Through His Blood”**
- E. J. Vernon McGee (John 8:36)**

III. THE DEATH OF JESUS PURCHASED OUR RECONCILIATION (Rom 5:10; Eph 2:11-13)

- A. We Were at War with God and Needed Reconciliation (Rom 5:6, 8, 10)**
- B. We Are Reconciled To God (Eph 2:3, 11-15; 1 John 1:3; Rom 5:10-11; Isa 59:2; 2 Cor 5:18).**

IV. THE DEATH OF JESUS PURCHASED OUR SUBSTITUTION (Rom 5:18)

- A. Christ Died in Our Place When He Was Crucified on the Cross (2 Cor 5:21)**
- B. Jesus is our Substitute (John 10:17-18; 15:13)**
- C. Isaiah 53:5**
- D. Christ became our Substitute by dying, not by living.**

CONCLUSION:

- A. In Jesus Christ, We are Justified, We are Redeemed, We are Reconciled and He is Our Substitute.**
- B. “The Atonement in Jesus Christ’s Blood is Perfect**
- C. “Christ Died For Sin. - Believers Die To Sin. - Unbelievers Die In Sin.” – Unknown**
- D. Christ is the Believer’s Substitute – He Changes us and Saves us for Heaven.**
- E. ABC’s of Salvation**

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“... the word of our God shall stand for ever” (Isa 40:8).