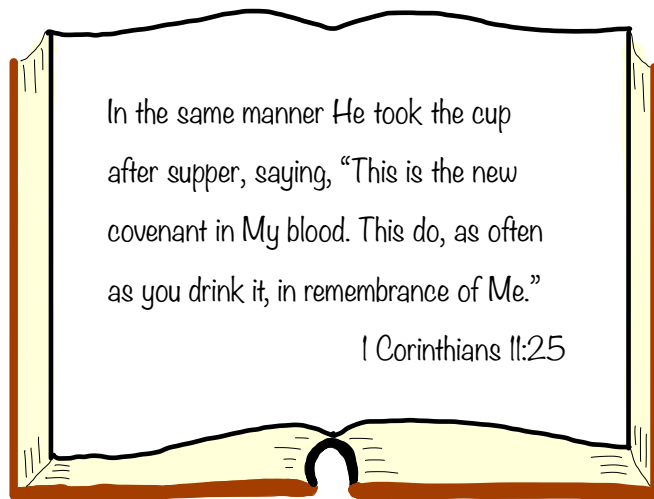


~ New Testament: 1 Corinthians 11:20-34 ~

In this week's New Testament portion the Apostle Paul instructed the people of Corinth in the significance and importance of the last supper that Yeshua (Jesus), the Lamb of God, shared with His disciples. Yeshua met with His disciples on the evening, or the beginning of the fourteenth day, Preparation Day. He took unleavened bread and shared it with them, explaining its new meaning. The unleavened bread now symbolized His body that would be broken for them. Yeshua took the cup and shared it with His disciples, explaining that from now on it would symbolize His blood that would be shed for them. He instructed His disciples that participating in this meal would be done in remembrance of His sacrifice and work of redemption as the innocent Lamb of God. Paul explained to the people of Corinth that they should not come together to participate in this meal called the LORD's Supper or the Last Supper in an unworthy manner.

Yeshua is the Son of God who left His throne in heaven to become the Passover Lamb of God. All those who submit to this provision of God for the redemption from sin are seen as blameless by God and live. Only those who are covered by the innocent blood of Messiah Yeshua should participate in the LORD's Supper. They should participate for the remembrance of Him and His work of redemption for their souls.

Anyone who participates in this meal proclaims the death of Yeshua until He comes again. If someone participates for any other reason, that one is guilty of the body and blood of Yeshua and will be judged accordingly. For this reason many are weak, sick and die.



Pray First

Father God,

We praise You that while we were still sinners You sent Your Son as the Lamb of Redemption. Although we remain sinful, You consider us blameless when we are covered with the innocent blood of Your only begotten Son, Yeshua. Help us live in a way that brings honor to You as our Lord and God.

In Yeshua's name we pray. Amen.

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