

**Consecrating Ourselves to the Lord and to His Economy  
According to the Revelation in the Book of Leviticus  
Message 1**

**Monday**

Lev. 1:1 – Footnote 1<sup>1</sup>

John 4:24 – Footnotes 24<sup>3</sup>, 24<sup>4</sup>, 24<sup>5</sup>

A brother bought a computer but it didn't work. Then he opened a manual to try to solve the problem, but he could not understand the manual. He did not know the patterns and the the language in the manual. Even the diagrams did not mean anything to him. The reason was that the manual was written in technical language. But then he knew someone who was an expert in modern technology. He said, "Praise the Lord, we have an expert in technology. This one will be able to decipher this technical language." We are all here to take care of the general subject of consecration. Consecration fire is like a flame in us. The general subject of the conference is Consecrating Ourselves to the Lord and to His Economy According to the Revelation in the Book of Leviticus. The subject is like an introduction. If the matter of consecration has not been enlightened into you, we hope that this weekend the fire will be burning in you. We pray that this weekend the fire will be more intensified that we consecrate ourselves more to the Lord and His economy according to the revelation that is shown in the book of Leviticus.

This general subject has three aspects. The first is that we should consecrate ourselves to the Lord. I don't know what your concept is concerning consecration but I would like to give a basic definition. To consecrate ourselves to the Lord is for us to realize or understand that the God of the universe has given Himself to us. He has given all that He is, all that He has, and all that He has accomplished to us. Even He has given Himself to us. He comes face to face with us and says, "I am giving Myself to you. I am here waiting for your answer." Consecration is our giving ourselves to the Lord. If you realize that all that God is is so available, He wants to give Himself to us, then you will answer, "Yes!" That is consecration. Your answer to Him is your consecration. He offers Himself and we respond; that is consecration.

We consecrate ourselves to the Lord and also to His economy. We can consider God's economy from different angles but I am going to but I am going to show you just one facet of the economy of God. God falls in love with us. So to consecrate to His economy is to realize what is in God's heart. We realize that He falls in love with us and that His heart desire is to find a bride. So we consecrate ourselves to fulfill God's desire to be a counterpart. We respond so that God's heart desire would be accomplished in order for Him to have His bride, His wife, and His counterpart.

We will see all these aspects in the book of Leviticus. Perhaps we skipped this book in our Bible reading because we didn't understand the language. We started reading about this and that and did not see anything. Let me start translating the language. Leviticus is a book of consecration. In the burnt offering we see Christ and the kind of life that He lived, a life of full consecration to God. We can become one with Him and live His burnt offering life together with Him. Our translating this burnt offering language is that we can have a more deep revelation and a total consecration to God. So Leviticus begins with consecration and ends with a vow of consecration. Then in chapter 8 we have the consecration of the priests to God. May the Lord use these messages so that we consecrate ourselves to Him more and more.