

The Scheme Of Redemption From Moses to Cornelius  
Acts 10; 11:1-18.

1-In our previous lesson we traced the scheme of redemption from the creation to the giving of the law on Mt. Sinai.

In this lesson we will trace the same from the giving of the law through Moses to the admission of Cornelius and his household into the church.

3-With the admission of the Gentiles into the household of faith, the plan of the ages was completed. Soon afterwards the complete written word was given to man.

1-The Jewish dispensation-The giving of the law upon Mount Sinia:  
Deuteration 5:22;

These word the Lord spake unto all your assembly in the mount out of the midst of the fire, of the cloud, and of the thick darkness, with a great voice: and he added no more. And he wrote them on two tables of stone, and delivered them unto me.

2-Why was the law added:

1-It was added because of the transgressions of the people: Gal.3:19;

It, the law, was added because of transgressions, till the seed should come to whom the promise was made.

2-As a schoolmaster, the law was added to bring us to Christ: Gal.3:24;

Wherefore the law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith  
(25)-But after that faith is come we are no longer under a schoolmaster.

This scheme of law made by the Almighty and given to Israel through Moses, came to an end with the establishment of the new institution on Pentecost.

**Colossians 2:14;**

Blotting out the handwriting of ordinances that was against us, which was contrary to us, and took it out of the way, nailing it to his cross.

**3-During the Jewish dispensation:**

- 1-The tabernacle was the institution of worship.
- 2-While the Jews were a wandering people, they needed a portable institution of worship. The tabernacle served this purpose.
- 3-When they became firmly settled in Canaan, the temple was built during Solomon's reign.
- 4-After the captivity, synagogues were erected for places of worship.

**4-We pass through:**

- 1-The reigns of Saul, David and Solomon as we come to the "gospel in prophecy."
- 2-The prophets began to point forward to the advent of the Messiah and to the establishment of His kingdom.

**5-Among the important facts prophesied are these:**

- 1-The character and power of the Messiah.  
**Isa. 9:6-7.**
- 2-That his power and dominion are to be unlimited-**Psalms 110:1.**
- 3-That His coming is to be heralded by a special messenger, referring to John the Baptizer-**Isa.40:3; Mal.3:1.**
- 4-He is to be born in Bethlehem. **Mic. 5:2**
- 5-He is to be born of a virgin-**Isa.7:14.**
- 6-He is to be rejected by the Jews-**Isa.53:2-3**

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- 5-Among the important facts prophesied are these
- 7-That His missions is to also include the Gentiles-Isaiah 49:6;  
I will also give the for a light to the Gentiles, that thou mayest be my salvation unto the end of the world.
- 8-The preaching of the gospel is also prophesied and that the gospel should go forth from Jerusalem-Isaiah 2:2-3.

- 9-The establishment of His kingdom is prophesied-Daniel 2:44;  
And in the days of these kings shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed.

- 6-We turn to the New Testament and John the Baptizer appears on the scene:  
1-Matthew 3:1+2;  
In those days came John the Baptist preaching in the wilderness of Judea. Saying (2)-Repent ye for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

- 7-The Birth of Christ in Bethlehem:  
1-Luke 2:13-14;  
And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, (14)-Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.
- 2-We witness:  
1-His baptism in Jordan.  
2-His personal ministry on earth.  
3-The transfiguration and his crucifixion.  
4-His resurrection, the forty-day period, ending with the ascension.

- 8-During the forty-day period Jesus commanded the apostle to tarry in Jerusalem until endued with power from on high. Luke 24:49

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9-We move into the city of Jerusalem:

Acts 2:1;

And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

1-Things that occurred on Pentecost:

1-Devout men from every nation were there

2-Peter preached to these men.

2-The themes of Peter's sermon:

1-"Jesus is Lord and Christ."

2-His resurrection proves that He is Lord and Christ.

3-The Pentecostians ask, Men and brethren what must we do?

Acts 2:38;

Then, Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of your sins.

4-The gospel to Cornelius, Why?

1-Cornelius a Gentile

2-Isaiah 62:2;

And the Gentiles shall see thy righteousness, and all things thy glory: and thou shalt be called by a new name, which the mouth of the Lord shall name.

3-Cornelius heard Peter preach the gospel:

1-Acts 10:48;

And he (Peter) commanded them to be baptized in the name of the Lord.