# THE WHOLE COUNSEL OF GOD

A Journey Through the Old Testament

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Leviticus 26

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7 And the priest shall put some of the blood on the horns of the altar of fragrant incense before the LORD that is in the tent of meeting, and all the rest of the blood of the bull he shall pour out at the base of the altar of burnt offering that is at the entrance of the tent of meeting.

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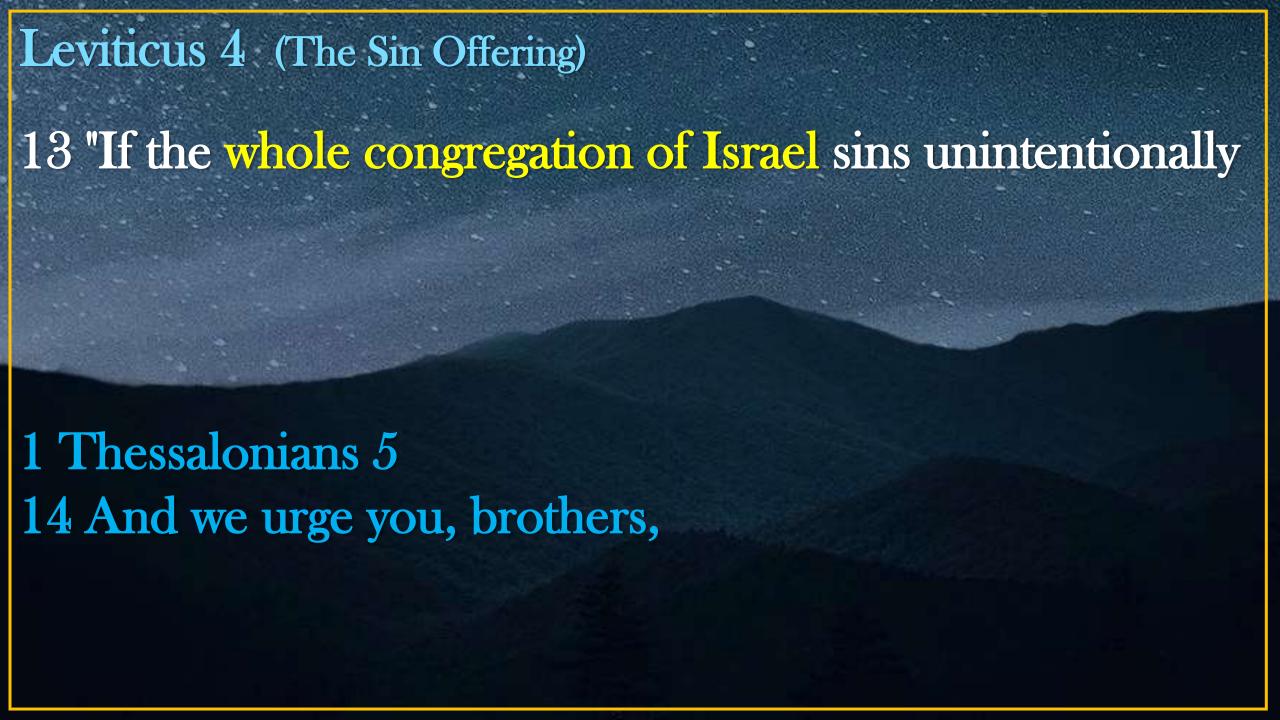
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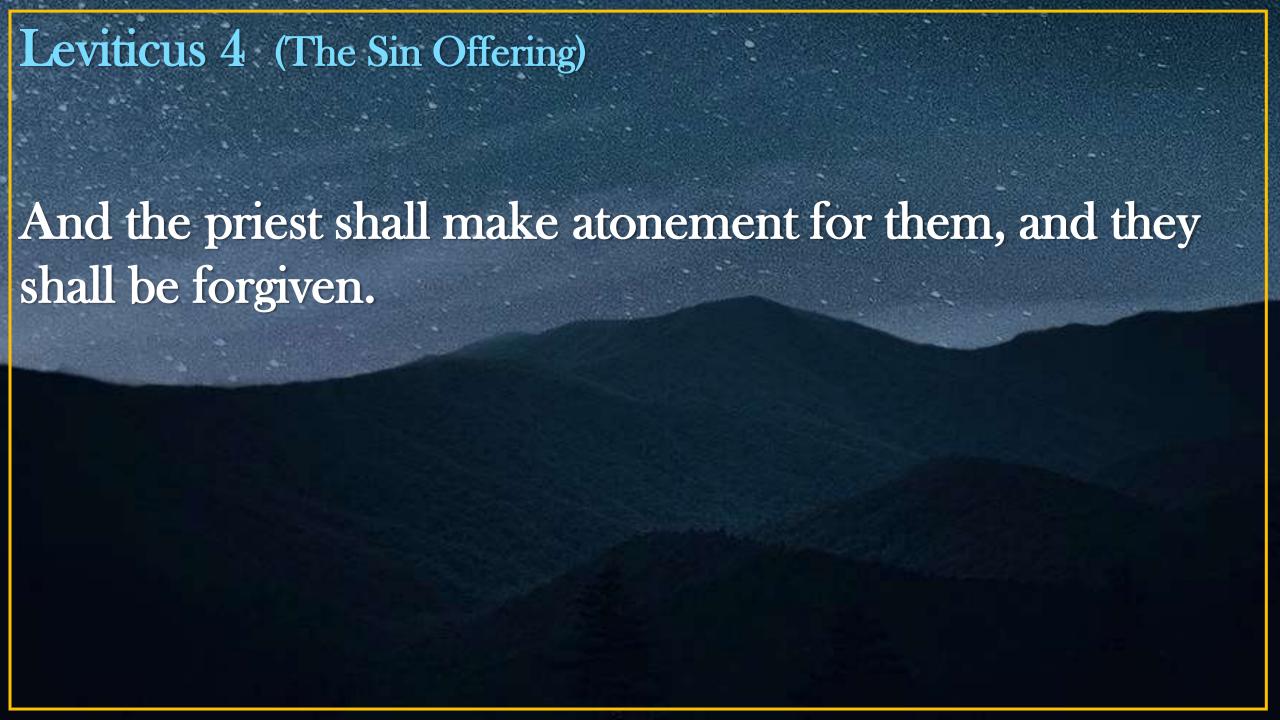
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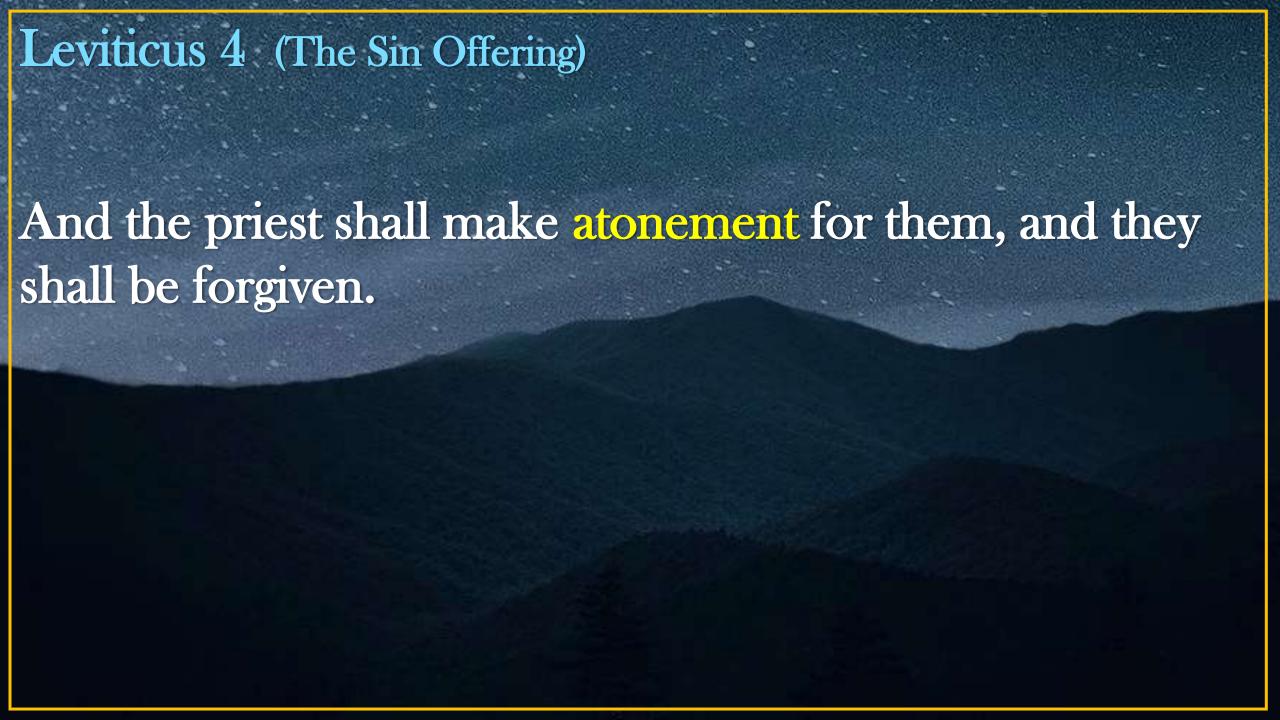
17 If someone sins and violates any of the LORD's commandments even though he was unaware, he is guilty and shall bear his punishment.

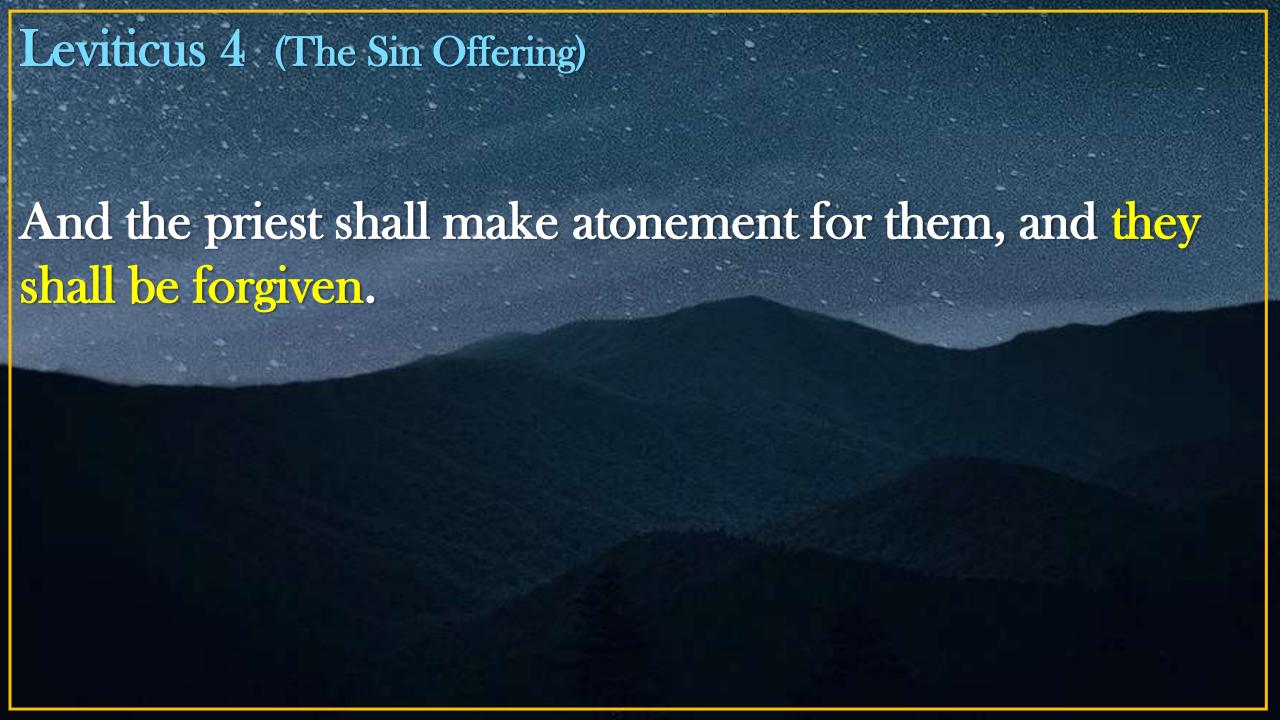
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- the assembly shall offer a young bull from the herd for a sin offering and bring it in front of the tent of meeting.

- 15 And the elders of the congregation shall lay their hands on the head of the bull before the LORD, and the bull shall be killed before the LORD.
- 16 Then the anointed priest shall bring some of the blood of the bull into the tent of meeting,
- 17 and the priest shall dip his finger in the blood and sprinkle it seven times before the LORD in front of the veil.

- 18 And he shall put some of the blood on the horns of the altar that is in the tent of meeting before the LORD, and the rest of the blood he shall pour out at the base of the altar of burnt offering that is at the entrance of the tent of meeting.
- 19 And all its fat he shall take from it and burn on the altar.
- 20 Thus shall he do with the bull. As he did with the bull of the sin offering, so shall he do with this.

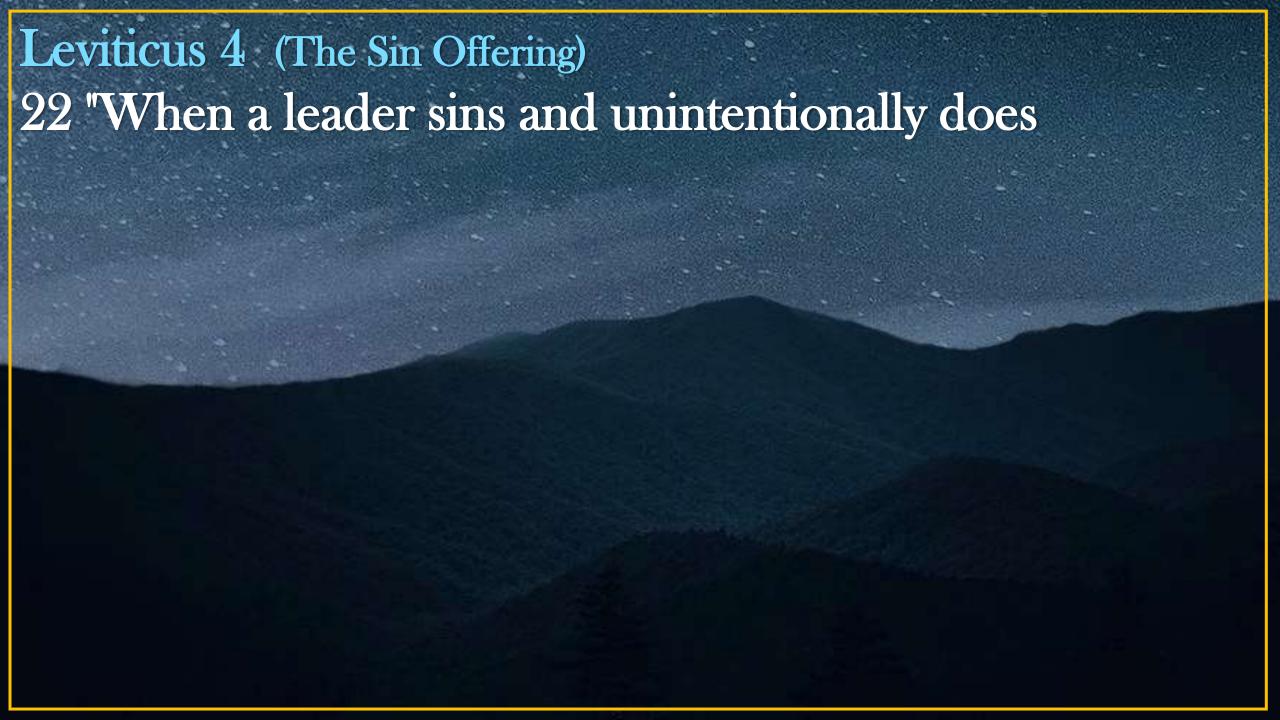


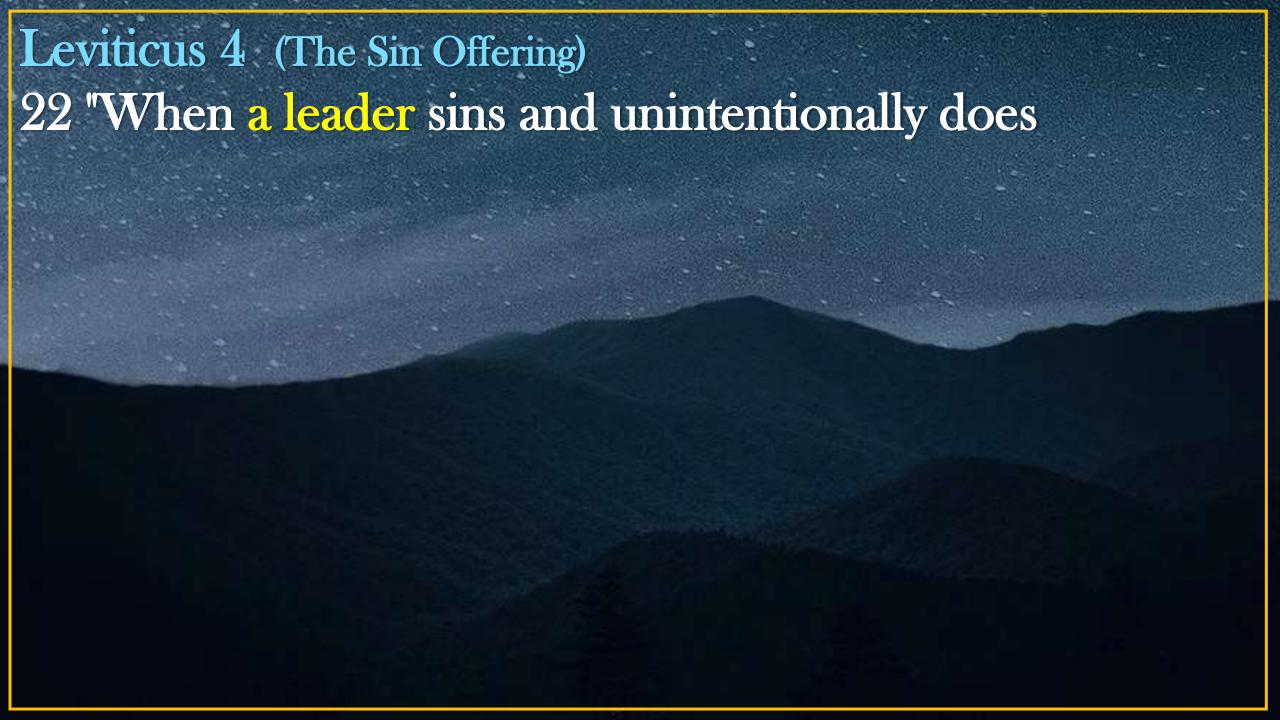




- And the priest shall make atonement for them, and they shall be forgiven.
- 21 And he shall carry the bull outside the camp and burn it up as he burned the first bull; it is the sin offering for the assembly.







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- 24 and shall lay his hand on the head of the goat and kill it in the place where they kill the burnt offering before the LORD; it is a sin offering.

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- 26 And all its fat he shall burn on the altar, like the fat of the sacrifice of peace offerings.
- So the priest shall make atonement for him for his sin, and he shall be forgiven.



27 "If anyone of the common people sins unintentionally in doing any of the things which the LORD has commanded not to be done, and becomes guilty, 28 if the sin which he has committed is made known to him, he shall bring for his offering a goat, a female without blemish, for his sin which he has committed.

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32 "If he brings a lamb as his offering for a sin offering, he shall bring a female without blemish

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- 7 "But if he cannot afford a lamb, then he shall bring to the LORD as his compensation for the sin that he has committed two turtledoves or two pigeons,
- 11 "But if he cannot afford two turtledoves or two pigeons, then he shall bring as his offering for the sin that he has committed a tenth of an ephah of fine flour for a sin offering.

1"If someone sins by failing to testify when he hears a public charge about something he has witnessed, whether he has seen it or learned of it, he shall bear the iniquity.

4 Or if someone swears thoughtlessly with his lips (rash oath) to do anything good or evil— in whatever matter a man may rashly pronounce an oath— even if he is unaware of it, when he realizes it, he is guilty in the matter.

#### Matthew 5

33 Again, you have heard that it was said to the ancients, 'Do not break your oath, but fulfill your vows to the Lord.'

[Numbers 30:2]

- 34 But I tell you not to swear at all: either by heaven, for it is God's throne;
- 35 or by the earth, for it is His footstool; or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King.
- 36 Nor should you swear by your head, for you cannot make a single hair white or black.
- 37 Simply let your 'Yes' be 'Yes,' and your 'No,' 'No.' Anything more comes from the evil one.

4 Or if someone swears thoughtlessly with his lips (rash oath) to do anything good or evil— in whatever matter a man may rashly pronounce an oath— even if he is unaware of it, when he realizes it, he is guilty in the matter.

- 5 If someone incurs guilt in one of these ways, he must confess the sin he has committed, 6 and he must bring his guilt offering to the LORD for the sin he has committed:
- a female lamb or goat from the flock as a sin offering.

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