

## THAT ONE PERFECT SACRIFICE

### Notes for the Instructor

Purpose of Lesson 4: In lesson 2, we studied briefly about the Bible, its inspiration, its authority. In lesson 3, we focused on the Bible's central figure--Jesus Christ. One of the great proofs of the inspiration of Scripture is found in the exact fulfillment of its prophetic content. You may have included this as one of your external evidences in lesson 2. The purpose of lesson 4 is to utilize Old Testament illustrations of the sacrificial system and several Messianic prophecies to show fulfillment in the life of Christ. Thus, we add to conviction about the accuracy of Scripture, and focus the lesson on the Bible's central figure--Christ Himself. The need for relationship with Christ is further emphasized as well as the need for a Physician in order to be restored. (Daniel 2 will be used in a later lesson. It focuses more on Christ's second coming which does not come until lesson 10.) The point of focus in lesson 4 is His first coming.

During the study itself: You will notice in question 1 that the simple analysis of a text takes place. Let the student assist you in doing this, so that he is quietly introduced to "exposition" of Scripture. This will occur in future lessons more and more as the student becomes more acquainted with his Bible and your teaching. We want not only to teach truth, but mature people in their study habits. Keep the two points of the lesson simple--shed blood, and Messianic prophecy.

Appeal: The point of question 5 is that we enter into salvation by one Door, by faith in and acceptance of Jesus Christ, Who shed His own innocent blood, Who was predicted for centuries by the prophets and writers of the Old Testament.

Additional material: You might reproduce the additional page of Old Testament predictions and New Testament fulfillments of the Messiah for the added study of the student at home. Give it to them for their notebook at the close.

Illustration: Let the student see, by the use of the arrows, the centrality of Christ. If using an overhead transparency, use your colored pen and color the lines with the arrows. Also color in the cross.

