

# LEVITICUS

Religion with an Outlook

*“Sharing and Showing Thanksgiving for God’s Provisions”*

**INTRO:** *Leviticus is ignored and/or avoided by many Christians, yet this Old Testament book was vitally important to God's people who needed a means of restoring fellowship with God lost through sin. Today we look at a showing of thanks for God’s provision and what it means for the Church.*

- I. God is the source of all \_\_\_\_\_.** *As Creator, God is the source of all things needed for life, physical and spiritual.*
- II. \_\_\_\_\_ is an inappropriate attitude for Believers.** *Believers are NOT like the “natural” Man who refuses to acknowledge God as the source of all provision because it conflicts with his self-glory.*
- III. To express their gratitude for God’s provisions, Believers must not only \_\_\_\_\_ their thanksgiving but \_\_\_\_\_ it with the less fortunate (23:15-22)..**
  - A.** *Show it by offering a \_\_\_\_\_ to God from His provisions and scheduling time to \_\_\_\_\_ in community. Next Sunday is our annual Thanksgiving Potluck, a scheduled time to express our gratitude to God.*
  - B.** *Share it by making provision for the \_\_\_\_\_. The original purpose of our church’s Thanksgiving Potluck was to ensure that those less fortunate in our church family had a community with which to celebrate.*