

SPIRITUAL CHAMPION | SACRIFICE

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION:

- Share prayer requests.
- In the Old Testament, there are numerous forms of sacrifice. Name one sacrifice that stands out to you and describe it from memory.
- What is the point of Old Testament sacrifice? Why do you think God taught us this system?
- What does contemporary sacrifice look like?
- Read the text below out loud and discuss.

¹⁸ On that day Gad went to David and said to him, "Go up and build an altar to the Lord on the threshing floor of Araunah the Jebusite." ¹⁹ So David went up, as the Lord had commanded through Gad. ²⁰ When Araunah looked and saw the king and his officials coming toward him, he went out and bowed down before the king with his face to the ground. ²¹ Araunah said, "Why has my lord the king come to his servant?" "To buy your threshing floor," David answered, "so I can build an altar to the Lord, that the plague on the people may be stopped." ²² Araunah said to David, "Let my lord the king take whatever he wishes and offer it up. Here are oxen for the burnt offering, and here are threshing sledges and ox yokes for the wood. ²³ Your Majesty, Araunah gives all this to the king." Araunah also said to him, "May the Lord your God accept you." ²⁴ But the king replied to Araunah, "No, I insist on paying you for it. I will not sacrifice to the Lord my God burnt offerings that cost me nothing." So David bought the threshing floor and the oxen and paid fifty shekels of silver for them. ²⁵ David built an altar to the Lord there and sacrificed burnt offerings and fellowship offerings. Then the Lord answered his prayer in behalf of the land, and the plague on Israel was stopped."

2 SAMUEL 24:18-25

THREE COMPONENTS OF SACRIFICE:



MY ACTION ITEMS:

Issues to Address. Steps to Take.

- Are you willing to deny yourself of your personal identity?
- Are you willing to fully commit to Jesus Christ even to death?
- Are you willing to follow Christ's truth over your own?
- What steps are you going to take today?