



## Getting Past Guilt

### Hebrews 9:1-14

#### 1. You must get past \_\_\_\_\_ religion.

##### **Hebrews 9:9 (New International Version)**

<sup>9</sup>This is an illustration for the present time, indicating that the gifts and sacrifices being offered were not able to clear the conscience of the worshiper.

##### **Hebrews 9:8 (New International Version)**

<sup>8</sup>The Holy Spirit was showing by this that the way into the Most Holy Place had not yet been disclosed as long as the first tabernacle was still standing.

#### 2. Guilt continues until I come to grips with the \_\_\_\_\_.

##### **Leviticus 17:11 (New International Version)**

<sup>11</sup>For the life of a creature is in the blood, and I have given it to you to make atonement for yourselves on the altar; it is the blood that makes atonement for one's life.

##### **Hebrews 10:4 (New International Version)**

<sup>4</sup>because it is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sins.

#### 3. Guilt continues until \_\_\_\_\_ empowers.

##### **Luke 4:1 (New American Standard)**

<sup>1</sup>Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led around by the Spirit in the wilderness.

##### **1 Peter 3:18 (New American Standard Bible)**

For Christ also died for sins once for all, the just for the unjust, so that He might bring us to God, having been put to death in the flesh

##### **Hebrews 9:27-28 (New International Version)**

<sup>27</sup>Just as man is destined to die once, and after that to face judgment, <sup>28</sup>so Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many people; and he will appear a second time, not to bear sin, but to bring salvation to those who are waiting for him.

#### Two Signs of Freedom from Guilt

1. I am leaving dead works and moving on to passionate service for Christ: "serve the living God" (v. 14).
2. I am eagerly awaiting His return.