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**HEBREWS 10**  
**Our Sufficiency In Christ**

**PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICAL APPLICATION**

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“Here is the whole summary of Hebrews in one sentence. Ours is the High Priest of high priests, and He is seated. His work is done, completely finished for all time and for us.” AUTHOR: JOHN MACARTHUR

Christ’s sacrifice is effective because it removes sin. This New Covenant, **Jeremiah 31:31**, foretells of the coming One who takes away the sin of the world. The Old Covenant could never do this, the sacrifices were given over and over again only to cover sin. This old system was totally ineffective for removing sin. The Levitical priest were continually standing because their ministry was never finished. Not so with Jesus, after His sacrifice of Himself, He sat down at the right hand of God because His work was finished.

Jesus is now waiting until His enemies are made a footstool for His feet, that is, they all acknowledge His lordship over them by bowing at His feet as is described in **Philippians 2:9-11**. All of this was accomplished upon the cross. “The last enemy that will be abolished is death.” (**I Corinthians 15:25-26** NASB)

This offering of Jesus for the removal of our sins gives us eternal life. This is eternal salvation, Jesus removed the sin of those who believe in Him forever. Once saved, always saved!

As believers we still sin but can never lose our salvation. Jesus’ sacrifice sanctified and perfected us. This is why He had to sacrifice Himself only once. The forgiveness is permanent because the sacrifice is permanent.

Jesus’ sacrifice paid for all sin: past, present, and future. Forgiveness is provided for those who trust in Him alone.

Believers have confidence that they can, by faith in Christ, go directly into the presence of God. (see **Hebrews 4:11-16**) This was only made possible by the shed blood of Jesus.

**APPLICATION:**

The family of God, what does that look like? Just take a look around. Families can be messy at times. Things may need to be overlooked, others, worked through. Sometimes that can prove to be painful, but when God’s Word sets the standard, it is always profitable. More times than not, the church family is one of the sweetest blessing those in Christ can experience. So, draw near, hold fast, and consider one another as you walk in newness of life. (**Romans 6:4**)

Jesus paid much too high a price for us for us to neglect so great a salvation as believers have. (**Hebrews 2:3** “how will we escape if we neglect so great a salvation? After it was at first spoken through the Lord, it was confirmed to us by those who heard,”