

**Look Back:** What are you expecting from God right now? How have you called out to Him and seek His will for your life this week?

**Look Up:**

Read [Exodus 12:1-8](#)

1. What instructions for selecting a sacrificial lamb did God give Moses in verses 1-5?
2. What did God instruct them to do with the sacrificial lamb in verses 6-8?

Read [Exodus 12:12-14](#) & [12:24-28](#)

3. What purpose does the lamb's blood have in these verses?
4. What else did God tell the people to do in these verses? How did the people respond?

Read [Matthew 26:19-20](#) & [26:26-28](#)

5. How do these verses show Jesus' respect for the "lasting ordinance" of the Passover ceremony?
6. How is the "covenant" that Jesus mentioned different from the "lasting ordinance" that God has with the people of Israel?

Read [John 1:29](#) and [Revelation 5:11-13](#)

7. What does John say about the "lamb of God" in these verses?

**Overall (Discovery Bible Study)**

- What do these scriptures say about God?
- What do they say about people?
- How will I apply this to my life?

**Look Ahead:** What is your response to Jesus' sacrifice on the cross? How might you worship and honor His death and resurrection this week?

**Notes**

***Lambs play an important role in the history of Israel and for followers of Jesus today. Israel began as a nation of shepherds and was delivered from captivity in Egypt by the blood of a lamb. Jesus honored the lasting ordinance to celebrate God's deliverance at Passover just before He was taken to be crucified. In that Passover celebration with His disciples, Jesus promises a new covenant based on His personal sacrifice and shedding of blood. His death and resurrection offers forgiveness of sins and hope for all people. Worthy is the Lamb who was slain and now reigns forever.***