

## What is Our Best Offering to God?

If our eyes could look deeply into our being, penetrating our flesh, we would see our spirit. Elohim put it there when he created Adam in God's image (Genesis 1:26-28, NKJV). When Eve came from Adam, her spirit, the same as Adam's, was in her body (Genesis 2:21-25). We are more than the bodies we see. Before Adam disobeyed God's instruction not to eat fruit from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, he was sinless like God. Adam and God were equal as God desired them to be (Philippians 2:5-6, 1 John 4:17). When Adam disobeyed, it was a sin that removed God's Spirit from his body, allowing it to decay (Genesis 3:7).

Beloved, God came as Jesus to pay for our restoration to him (1 Timothy 3:16). Each person must offer themselves to God by accepting Jesus as payment for their inherited sin (John 5:24, 6:47, 12:44). Then we no longer have a spirit of sin. We become one with God through Jesus Christ, having an indissoluble union (Romans 8:38-39). To complete our union with God, we must offer our minds and bodies to him (Romans 12:1-2). God does not want our money, work, or service. He wants our spirit, mind, and body (Jeremiah 31:3). It is through offering all we are that God can reveal all his love toward us and provide all our needs (Philippians 4:19). When we reject God's payment for our sin, we are a pawn in Satan's hands. (John 3:18, Ephesians 2:2-3).

## Shalom

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