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5-3-1 Assignment (Chapter 6)

5 Questions:

- 1) Was the Old Testament relevant to the first century Believers only?
- 2) Typology is a legitimate way to express the relationship between the Testaments. **T** or **F**?
- 3) Typology should not be confused with _____, _____ or _____.
- 4) How did God reaffirm the unchanging nature of His purpose to the heirs of His promise?
- 5) Name at least three Old Testament scriptures that was referenced in the New Testament.

5 Answers:

- 1) No. A lot of what is written in the Old Testament, such as God's promises and Oath to His people is a source of encouragement to Believers today.
- 2) True.
- 3) Symbolism, allegory or prophecy.
- 4) He confirmed it with an oath.
- 5) a) Isaiah 7:14 referenced in Matt. 1:23; b) Isaiah 61:1-3 referenced in Luke 4:18-20; Amos 9:11-14 referenced in Acts 15: 16-18

Terms:

1. Qumran: Dead Sea Scrolls.
2. Nag Hammadi: Gnostic texts.
3. Metanarrative: A story about a story.

Summary:

In this chapter, the author wants his readers to see the connection between the Old Testament and the New Testament. According to the author, "The events of the Old Testament are not to be viewed as a succession of incidental happenings; instead, they are to be seen as a sequence of occurrences that exhibit a strong sense of connectivity, purpose, and a divine plan orchestrated by the providence of the living God."