

Malachi 3:13 – 4:6 THE HOPE OF A NEW COVENANT



Malachi 3:13 – 15

Breaking Faith with God's Covenant

- Arrogant words
- Pointless to serve God
 - No benefits
- Corrupted view of God's character

Malachi 3:16 – 18

Keeping Faith in God's Covenant

- Fear God
- Esteem His name
- God pays attention and remembers
- Being God's possession and children

Malachi 4:1 – 6

Judgment and Hope of a New Covenant

- The Judgement of God
 - The day of the Lord (Joel 2:1; Zephaniah 1:7)
 - For the wicked
 - For those who fear the Lord
- The Hope of a New Covenant
 - The testimony of Moses (Galatians 3:19; 21 – 26)
 - The testimony of Elijah (Matthew 11:10 – 15)
 - Matthew 17:1 – 8

Think and pray...

1. From the book of Malachi, share one lesson you have gleaned about being in a covenant relationship with God.
2. How does a life lived in covenant relationship with God look like? How does that become a testimony to others around us?