

Primary Covenants, Promises, and Their Symbols

Covenant	Promises	Symbols	Scripture
Eternal	Promises of Triune God	Scripture	Heb. 13:20-21
Creation	Promises New Creation	Tree	Gen. 1-3; Hos. 6:7
Noah	Promise of Place	Rainbow	Gen. 6-9
Abraham	Promise of People/Place	Circumcision	Gen. 12, 15, 17
Moses	Promise of Law	Sabbath	Exodus 19-24
David	Promise of Ruler/King	Throne	2 Samuel 7:12-17
New Covenant	Promises Consummated/Fulfilled in Christ	Cup	Jer. 31:31-34; Luke 22:20

Summary Truths to Remember in Approaching Covenant/Covenants

One Story, Two Epochs/Ages: (Present Age/Age to Come- Heb. 1:1-4, 6:4-5, 9:8-10 (cf. Matt. 12:32; Mark 10:30; Luke 18:30; 1 Tim. 6:17; Titus 2:12; cf. 1 Cor. 2:7, 10:11; Eph. 2:7; 1 Tim. 1:17; 2 Tim. 2:9; Heb. 9:26)

One Covenant of Grace: Luke 1:55-56, 72-73; Heb. 13:20-21

One People of God

Similarities between Old and New Covenant-Administrations: 1. Same Hope/Promises; 2. Same Salvation by grace in Christ alone through faith; 3. Same Mediator (Jesus Christ in type, shadow, promise → fulfillment/consummation).

Covenant and Eschatology: Purpose/Plan of God- No supplanting, but *supplementing and further realizing* God's great promises of the Eternal Covenant (Heb. 13:20-21).

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