

# GOD AS WITNESS Pt. 2

## (MAL. 2:14)

Intro. Review of this morning lesson.

- A. God searches and knows me. (Psalm 139: 1-6)
- B. Cannot flee from God's presence. Ps. 139:7-12)
- C. God sees, hears, and knows.

I. God said in Mal. 2:14, "Because the Lord has been witness..."

A. To the priests

- 1. Despise God's name. (Mal. 1:6)
  - a. Saying it is contemptible! (vss. 7, 12)
  - b. Say, "Oh, what a weariness!" (vs. 13)
- 2. Offered defiled food on the altar. (vs. 7)
- 3. Offered the blind, stolen, lame, and sick.  
(vss. 8, 13)

B. The priests departed out of the way. (Mal. 2:8)

- 1. Their lips should keep knowledge. (Mal. 2:7)
- 2. They were the messengers of God. (Mal. 2:7)
- 3. Caused many to stumble at the law. (Mal. 2:8)

C. Between you and the wife of thy youth (Mal 2:14-16)

D. Robbing God. (Mal 3:8)

1. They asked, "In what way?"

2. In tithes and offerings.

3. God's challenge. (Mal. 3:10)

II. God's name will be great (Mal. 1:11)

A. Send my messenger to prepare the way before Me. (Mal. 3:1)

B. Sun of Righteousness shall arise (Mal 4: 2)

Conclusion: God's word, the Bible, is God's testimony.

The Holy Spirit moved men to write the words of this testimony. (2nd. Peter 2:19-21) The same Holy Spirit bears witness to Jesus Christ coming by water and blood.

(1st John 5:6) If we receive the witness of men, the witness of God is greater. (1st John 5:9)

Inv. Will you not believe the testimony of God?

