

COVENANT OF THE PEOPLE
(Nehemiah 9:38 – 10:39)

I. Introduction (Neh. 9:38)

- A. They are making a _____ in _____
- B. It will be _____ by their official _____
- C. They are doing this “because of _____”
 - 1. “You _____ are the LORD” (9:6a)
 - 2. “For You are a _____ and _____
God” (9:31b)
 - 3. “So we are in _____” (9:37b)

II. The _____ of Those Who _____ the Pledge (Neh. 10:1-27)

- A. The _____ leaders and the _____ (10:1-8)
 - 1. “Nehemiah ... and Zedekiah” represented _____
 - 2. The rest are names of priestly _____
- B. The _____ (10:9-13)
- C. The leaders of the _____ (10:14-27)

III. The _____ of the Covenant they _____ (Neh. 10:28-39)

- A. The _____ (10:28-29)

1. Included "all who separated themselves" from the _____ to the "_____ of God"
 2. Vowed to _____ by God's _____
- B. The vow to _____ from the _____ (10:30-31)
1. Forbade _____ with _____
 2. Forbade doing _____ with foreigners on the _____
 3. Pledge to honor sabbatical years for _____ and for _____
- C. The vow to _____ the _____ (10:32-33)
1. Promised an _____ per capita _____ donation
 2. Intended to finance "_____ the _____" of the _____
- D. The vow to contribute their _____ and _____ (10:34-39)
1. Included a pledge to provide _____ to burn on the _____
 2. Included "_____ " offerings
 3. Included annual _____ of all their land _____
 4. Included vow that the _____ would tithe

IV. Lessons

- A. We must _____ to the authority of _____
- B. We must remain _____ from the _____
- C. We must faithfully _____ the _____ in both _____ and _____