

# ✠ Unsheathing the SWORD ✠



## Malachi

**MEMORIZATION – Malachi 4:2 – “But for you who revere My name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings. And you will go out and leap like calves released from the stall.”**

### Chapter 1

1. In chapter one of Malachi the Lord says the Israelites have (circle one):
  - a) improperly sacrificed defective animals
  - b) abandoned the temple
  - c) murdered the prophets

Extra credit: Read the words of the Lord through Moses regarding sacrifices in Leviticus 22:17-22.

### Chapter 2

1. True or false: In chapter two the Levite priests have set their hearts to honor God.
2. True or false: In chapter two Judah has desecrated the sanctuary the Lord loves, by marrying the daughter of a foreign god.
3. Good words for all of us. “So guard yourself in your spirit, and do not \_\_\_\_\_ with the wife (or husband) of your youth.”

### Chapter 3

1. “See, I will send \_\_\_\_\_, who will prepare the way for Me. Then suddenly \_\_\_\_\_ you are seeking \_\_\_\_\_; the messenger of the covenant, whom you desire, will come,’ says the Lord Almighty.”

Extra credit: Who do you think is the messenger? See Matthew 11:7-15.

2. “Bring the \_\_\_\_\_ into the storehouse, that there may be food in My house. \_\_\_\_\_,’ says the Lord Almighty, ‘and see if I will not throw open the \_\_\_\_\_ and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.”

## **Chapter 4**

1. The Old Testament ends with writing about the “great and dreadful day of the Lord.” Write out the first sentence of verse two.

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