

**Moses' Final Appeal for Covenant Faithfulness**  
**Veritas Class**  
**College Church**  
**December 11, 2016**

**The Structure of the Unit**

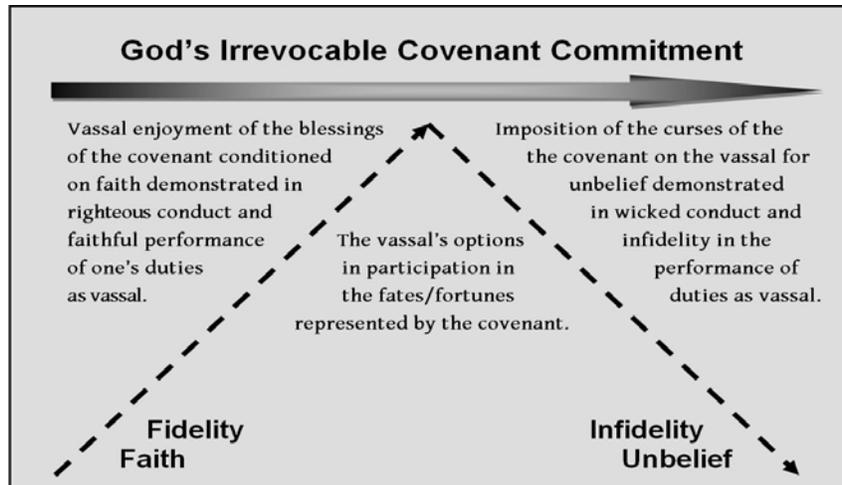
- A Today: Celebrating the Grace of Covenant (29:2–13)
- B Tomorrow: Despising the Grace of Covenant (29:14–28)
- C' Today: The Mystery of the Ways of YHWH and the Clarity of the Torah (29:29)
- B' Tomorrow: Experiencing the Grace of Covenant (30:1–10)
- A Today: Accepting the Grace of Covenant (30:11–20)

**A. Today: A Review of YHWH's Past Grace (29:2–9)**

Note the echoes of other texts.

Note the structure of vv. 2–9:

1. **The Opening (v. 2; cf. 5:1; and the "day of the assembly" in 4:10; 18:16)**
  
2. **The Review of YHWH's Past Graces (vv. 2c–8)**  
But what does verse 4 mean?  
Problems with the common interpretation:
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.
  
3. **The Call for Response (v. 9)**



**B. Today: A Liturgical Response to YHWH's Past and Present Grace (29:10–13)**

You are standing this day before YHWH your God

↑ that you may enter into the covenant of YHWH your God  
 and his sanctions  
 that he may confirm you as his people  
 and he may be your God.

The Event: An Audience with YHWH

Purpose A: Admission to the Covenant

Admission to the Sanctions

Purpose B: Confirmation of Israel as YHWH's People

Confirmation of YHWH as Israel's God

1. The Nature of the Event
2. The Participants in the Event
3. The Purpose of the Event
  - a. To "pass" into the covenant of YHWH your God.
  - b. To "pass" into his oath.
  - c. To "confirm Israel as his people.
  - d. To become Israel's God.
  - e. To fulfill his sworn oath to the ancestors.

Exodus 6:2–8  
 Genesis 17:7–8