



Today the Jewish people still have a "Day of Atonement".

They call it Yom Kippur.

They do not -

Have an animal sacrifice.

The priest does not go into the Holy of Holies.

One goat is not sent away into the wilderness.

The Jew who loves God -

Thinks of the wrong he has done all year.

Does something to correct the wrong.

Perhaps a boy has broken his friend's baseball glove. Before he would not admit it. Now, he tries to give his friend a new baseball glove.

Perhaps a girl has been unkind to someone. She take some flowers or invites this person to play with her.

Tells God he is sorry for this wrong. He prays.

He promises to obey God's laws more carefully.

Does not eat or drink on this special day.

He really is sorry for his sins.

Goes to special services.

Gives a special gift to God or to the poor.

TURN CARD OVER

At the end of the day, the family has a happy meal together. This is like a new beginning with God. It is something like our New Year's Day.

This special day comes in late September or early October each year.