

Dear Nadeem,

Thank you for writing us at Christian Questions Radio. You asked if the blood of Jesus could be applied to material things.

No, the blood of Jesus cannot be applied to material things. Jesus' blood was applied for Adam and all his progeny. Through Jesus' death and resurrection the entire human race has been redeemed. "This is the blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins." (Matthew 26:28) To make the blood of Jesus applicable to material items such as homes, cars, etc. is a frivolity and definitely a misapplication of its intention and function.

When Jesus died on the cross, his blood was spilled upon the earth. Not only was His blood applied for humanity, but it also redeemed the earth, which will be brought to perfection as it is cleansed of impurities during the thousand-year reign of Christ. "The desert and the parched land will be glad; the wilderness will rejoice and blossom. Like the crocus, it will burst into bloom; it will rejoice greatly and shout for joy." (Isaiah 35:1) "The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them." (Isaiah 11:6) Because of Jesus' incredible sacrifice every human who has ever lived will have an opportunity for life and to rejoice either on a perfected earth or in the heavenly realms. We should never take Jesus' sacrifice lightly. To make casual reference to the blood that Jesus shed to redeem the fallen race of humankind and bring perfection to the earth as well would be irreverent.

We hope we have shed some light on the magnitude of Jesus' sacrifice. Please write us again.

Sincerely,

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