

## Contrasts between Mount Sinai and Mount Zion.

from Hebrews 12-D

1- Mount Sinai was marked by fear and terror. Mount Zion is a place of love and forgiveness.

2- Mount Sinai is in the wilderness. Mount Zion is the city of the Living God. (Hebrew adjectives: “beautiful; habitable; magnificent”)

3- Mount Sinai spoke of earthly things. Mount Zion speaks of heavenly things.

4 - At Mount Sinai, only Moses was allowed to draw near to God. At Mount Zion, an **innumerable company**, a **general assembly** is invited to draw near.

5 - Mount Sinai was all about keeping people away from the mountain & God’s holiness. Mount Zion is all about invitation to draw near to Him.

6 - At Mount Sinai, Moses was the mediator. At Mount Zion, Jesus is the mediator.

7- Mount Sinai brings an Old Covenant, which was ratified by the blood of animals. Mount Zion brings a New Covenant, which is ratified by the blood of God’s precious Son.

8- Mount Sinai was characterized by guilty people in fear. Mount Zion features **righteous people made perfect by God**.

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9- Mount Sinai is all about Law. Mount Zion is all about grace.

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