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Advocate	Propitiation
parakletos one called to one's side one who gives legal aid or pleads the cause of another Intercessor Comforter  Advocate is Jesus Christ (2:1) He is with the Father pleading our cause (2:1-2) (Rev 12:10)	hilasmos - means by which sin is covered and remitted - satisfied the sin debt - for the whole world (2:2) - for those who believe are justified (Ro 3:21-26) Satisfied the righteousness of a holy God Heb 2:17 Jesus needed to become a man He became the merciful and faithful High Priest He made propitiation for the sins of the people
Helper (Comforter) is the Holy Spirit - Spirit will be with forever, Spirit of truth (John 14:1-17) - He will teach all things and bring to mind all things (John 14:26)	Mercy Seat (Heb 9)  - lid that covered the ark of the covenant  - ark held rod, commandments, manna  - in the Holy of Holies  Tabernacle
	<ul> <li>place where God met with His people</li> <li>place of worship (I Chron 22)</li> </ul> Day of Atonement <ul> <li>high priest entered behind the veil (covering) for himself by the blood of a sacrificed goat (Heb 9:7)</li> <li>another goat sacrificed for a covering for the sins of the people - blood applied to mercy seat (Lev 16)</li> <li>Scapegoat symbolized the removal of sin</li> </ul> Jesus is the covering for our sin (Heb 10:10)