

Tabernacle Instructions - Exodus 25-31

Chapter 25:1-9	Chapter 25:10-22
<p>1-9</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - bring contributions - Heart is to be moved to be part of this - These materials were most likely what have been given to them from the Egyptians - Ex 35:21-29; 36:3-7 - Moses issued command for people to stop bring the contribution - had to be refrained from bringing more - Blue, scarlet, purple material - signs of royalty - Blue = shellfish - Purple = secretions of the murex snail - Crimson (scarlet) = powdered egg and bodies of certain worms that feed on the holly plant - Fine linen - Egypt was well known for - Goat hair - livestock they kept - they would know how the process works - Skins - porpoise, badger, dugong, dolphin, sheep, antelope, something extinct - Acacia - strong, hard tree found in the wilderness areas in that part of the world - Spices - balsams that come from Arabia - Construct a sanctuary for God to dwell among His people 	<p>Ark of the Covenant (10-16)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 45" x 27" x 27" size - Overlaid in pure gold - Purity, holiness, godliness of gold - Poles stayed in the ark at all times - to carry the ark - Num 4:15 - don't touch holy object or you will die - II Sam 6:7 - Uzzah is struck dead for not treating God as holy - To put the laws into the ark (He 9:4) - golden pot of manna, Aaron's rod that budded - Laws - people rejected these - God's provision for their needs - rejected God's provision - Miracle, God's authority - people rejected this - Reminder of their sins which deserved judgment <p>Mercy Seat</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pure gold - 45" x 27" - One single piece of hammered work - Cherubim faced each other but faces were turned down to the mercy seat - Gen 3:24; Ez 10:1-22; Is 37:16 - Cherubim are the place where God's throne is, and they are the protectors to keep sinful man in his place - Day of Atonement - Yom Kippur - the high priest would sprinkle blood on the mercy seat - James 2:13; He 9:22; He10:1-7; He 9:11-28; He 8:1-13

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Exodus 25:23-40	Exodus 26
<p>Table of Showbread (23-30)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 36" x 18" x 27" - made of Achaia and covered in gold - 4 rings on its legs for the poles - to carry the table - Utensils that went with it - gold - Set the Bread of Presence on the table (12 loaves) - changed out each week - Represented God's continual provision for His people - the priests would eat it on the Sabbath - Bread was the substance of life - John 6:32-35, 51-58; Mt 26:26-29 - I AM the Bread of Life <p>Golden Lampstand (31-40)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - hammered work and it is one piece - 7 lights - 6 branches on one main branch - Menorah - can refer to the golden lamp stand but mostly represents the 8 days of Hanukkah - Talent of gold - 75-100 pounds - Make it after the pattern which you saw (He 8:5) - 7 = number of perfection, completion - Rev 21:22-23 - God/Lamb is the only light we will need - John 1:9-13; 8:12; 9:5 - Jesus is the Light of the World - whose who follow Him will never walk in darkness - Light of Life 	<p>Curtains of Linen (1-6)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - purple, scarlet, blue with gold rings - royalty, majesty, sovereignty, heavenly realm - Rings of gold - purity, divine nature <p>Curtains of Goat Hair (7-10)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - next layer (some say white others say brown - represented the sacrifice of the animal to atone for sin and bring salvation) - 11 curtains - Joined with bronze clasps - represents judgment <p>Final Curtains (11-14)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ram skin dyed red - blood sacrifice - judgment, death - Last covering was brown - water proof skin <p>Boards and sockets (15-25)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 15 feet tall, 27" wide for each board (48 boards) - they were to be covered with gold - 2 tenons holding the boards together - Gold - holiness of God - Sockets were of silver (2 for each board) - redemption - He 4:14, Col 1:17; Eph 4:15-16 - Jesus holds the church together - He fits it together <p>Bars (26-30)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - bars braced everything together (Phil 4:13) - strength <p>Veil (31-35)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - pillars of gold, sockets of silver, royal colors, Cherubim - Separated sinful man from a holy God (He 10:20; Mt 27:51) <p>Screen (36-37) - royal colors, pillars of gold, sockets were bronze</p>

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<p>Bronze Altar (1-8)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - altar, grating, utensils all made of bronze - Horns at each corner - represent salvation (Lk 1:69) - 7.5 feet square by 4.5 feet high - Ram caught by its horns became a substitute for the sacrifice of Isaac - animal substitute - John 1:29 - behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world - He 9:26 - Jesus sacrificed Himself to put away sin <p>Courtyard (9-19)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 150 feet (N & S) by 75 feet (E & W) - East there were curtains of blue, purple, scarlet - Pillars were bronze, sockets were bronze, hooks on top were silver (redemption) - Curtains were white (purity) - Curtains were there to separate man from God - They entered through the door (curtain) - Had to come with a perfect sacrifice - There was only one way (door) - God's plan - Jn 10:7-9 - Jesus is the Door - Jn 14:6 - no one comes to the Father but through Jesus - He 10:12 - He was the perfect sacrifice <p>Clear Oil (20-21)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - light was to shine continually - Clear beaten oil - unripe olives - provided smoke-free light 	<p>Priests Garments (1-5)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Aaron and his sons! Many times God stressed their appointment - Garments are to be for glory and beauty (2) - God gave the workmen the skill and wisdom (3) - Breastpiece, ephod, robe, tunic (checkered), turban, sash (4) <p>Ephod (6-14)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - gold, purple, scarlet, blue - 2 shoulder pieces - 2 onyx stones with 6 names on each - they are on Aaron's shoulders - Woven band that goes around - Chains of gold that will hold something in the front - High priest bears all the sons of Israel before God on his shoulders <p>Breastpiece of Judgment (15-30)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - square - about a span (thumb to pinky of a spread hand) - 12 precious stones representing the 12 tribes over Aaron's heart - Carry the judgment of Israel over his heart - Urim and Thummim are inside the breast piece (white and black - Urim = "Lights", Thummim = perfection, complete truth - somehow used for judgment - to find divine answer - Dt 33:8-11 - I Tim 2:5 - Jesus is our intercession - Phil 2:6-8 - High Priest - humble Himself to become the sacrifice - I Pet 2:4-10 - we are living stones - royal priesthood <p>Other garments (31-43)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - robe - all blue (31-35) - pomegranates and bells - people could hear the priest ministering - Gold plate that said Holy to the Lord on the turban (36-38) - Tunic - of checkered work, linen breeches over loins and thighs

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