

Prophecies of Promise

Ezekiel 40-48

Why is it important to understand the final 8 chapters of Ezekiel today?

This is how we understand God.

Biblical history and prophecy provides proof God.

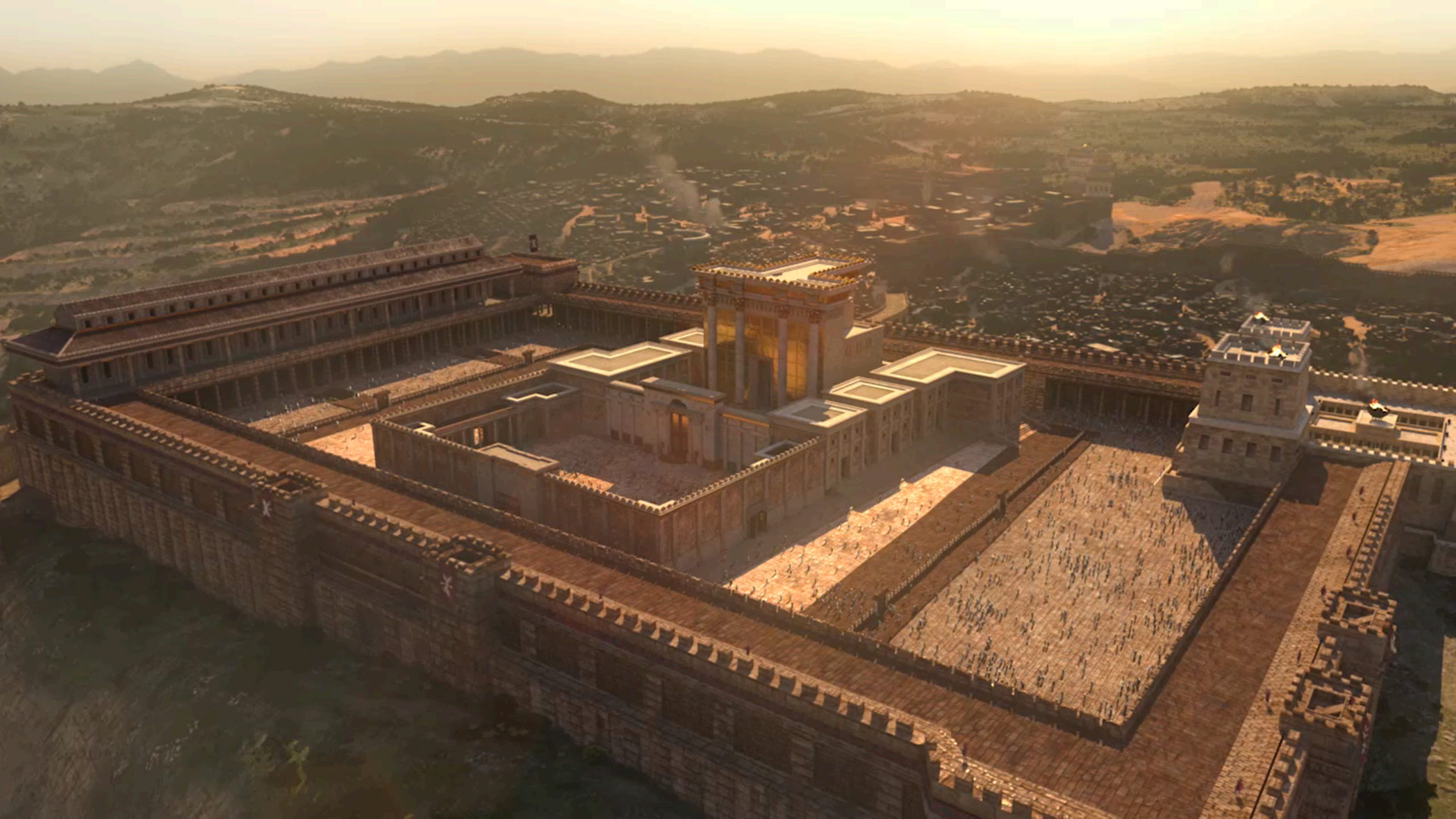
Why was the Bible written by men?

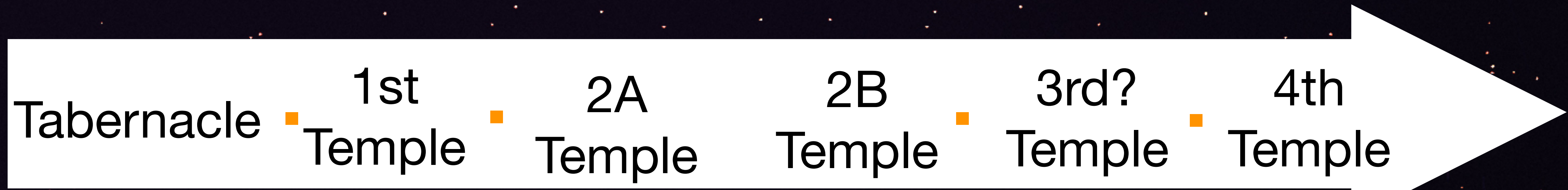
40 different men over a period of 1,500 years, living in different places, write 66 books with each book writing about the teachings, prophecies and miracles of one God named YHWH that are still true even today.

How could that be? Unless it was the One True God moving in each man to write a testimony about Himself as a gift to all people.

Ezekiel 33:1 The word of the Lord came to me: 2 “Son of man, speak to your people and say to them, If I bring the sword upon a land, and the people of the land take a man from among them, and make him their watchman, 3 and if he sees the sword coming upon the land and blows the trumpet and warns the people, 4 then if anyone who hears the sound of the trumpet does not take warning, and the sword comes and takes him away, his blood shall be upon his own head.







Moses - David Solomon's Temple Ezra/ Nehemiah Herod's Temple Tribulation Temple Millennial Temple

Destroyed
Babylonians
586 BC

Destroyed
Romans
70 AD

God will fulfill the covenant He has made with Israel both physically and spiritually.

The Great Tribulation will occur to reveal God's glory to the world.

The Church and the Nation of Israel will bear the testimonies.

Ezekiel's Vision of Israel's Boundaries

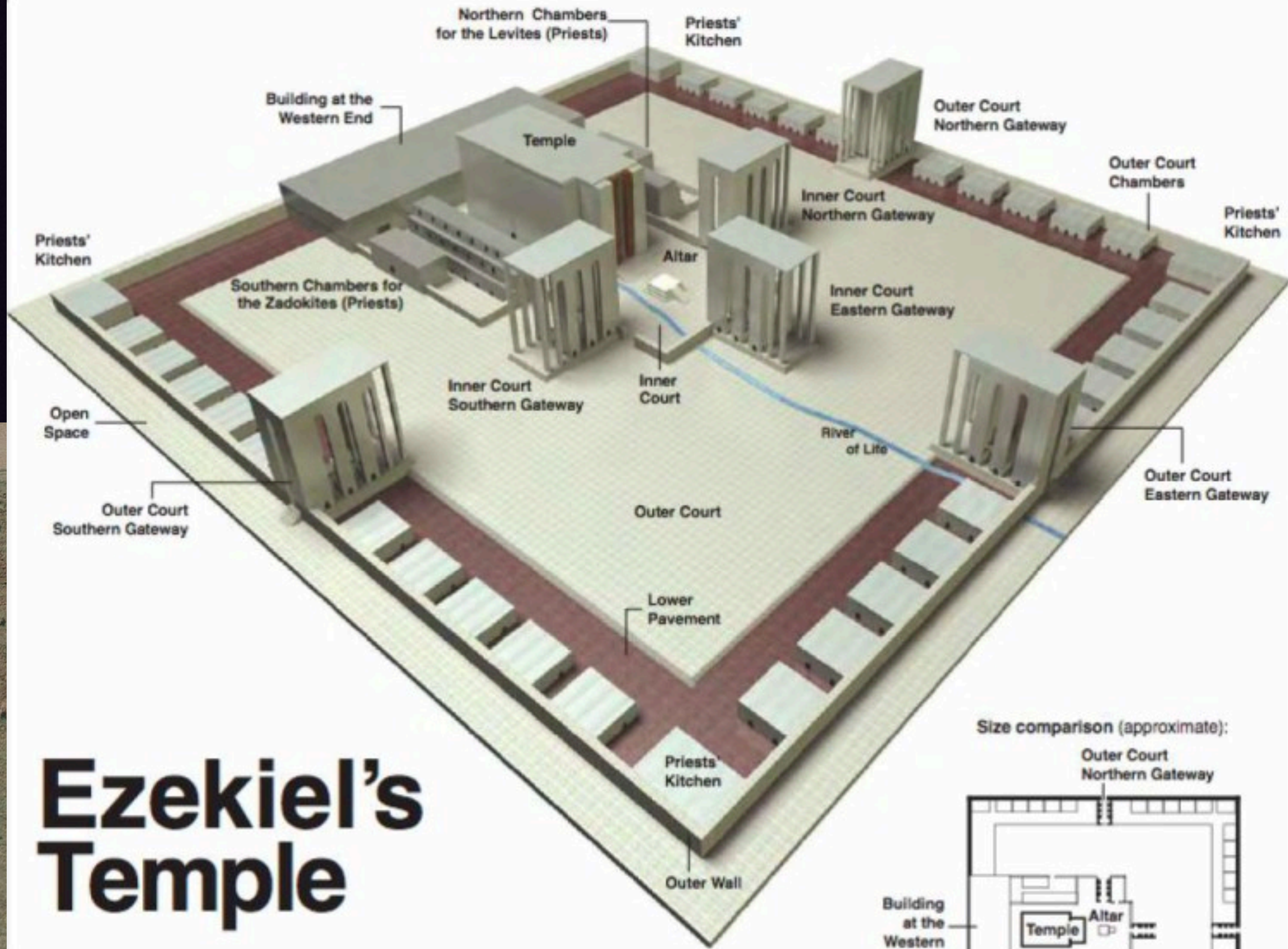
During the Millennium



1 Peter 3:8 But do not overlook this one fact, beloved, that with the Lord one day is as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

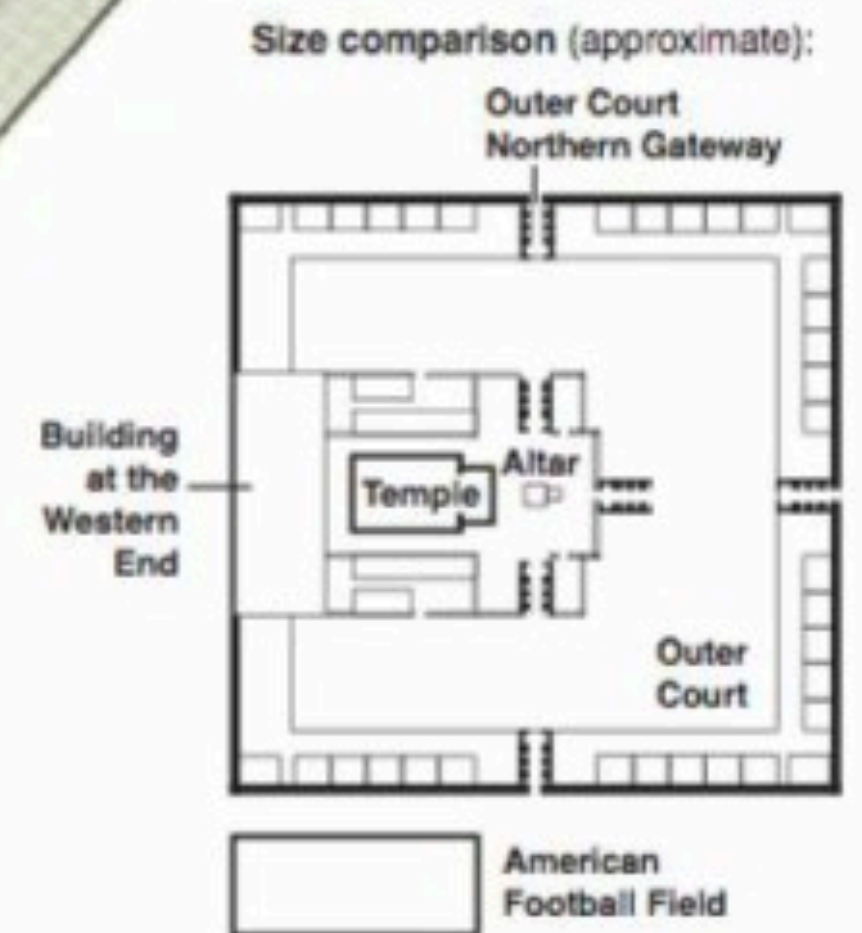
Paradox meaning time is irrelevant to the Lord.

No furnishings in the Temple except the altar.



Ezekiel's Temple

The prophet Ezekiel was shown a vision of the Third Temple in 572 BC, just years after the First Temple was destroyed and before the Second Temple was built. Though the destruction of the Second Temple occurred in AD 70, a third temple has not yet been constructed.



THE TABERNACLE TENT

The entire tent was 45 feet (13.7 m) long, 15 feet (4.6 m) wide, and 15 feet (4.6 m) high. It was a wooden skeletal structure, overlaid with gold, with no solid roof or front wall (Ex. 26:15–29). Five wooden bars (overlaid with gold) passed through rings attached to each frame (Ex. 26:26–30).

The Most Holy Place was a 15-foot (4.6-m) cube, containing only the ark of the covenant (Ex. 25:10–22; 37:1–9). It was here that Yahweh would descend to meet with his people in a cloud theophany (divine appearance). The high priest could enter only once a year, on the Day of Atonement (see note on Heb. 9:7).

The framed structure was covered by four layers of cloth and skin (Ex. 26:1–14).

The table for the bread of the Presence (Ex. 25:23–30)

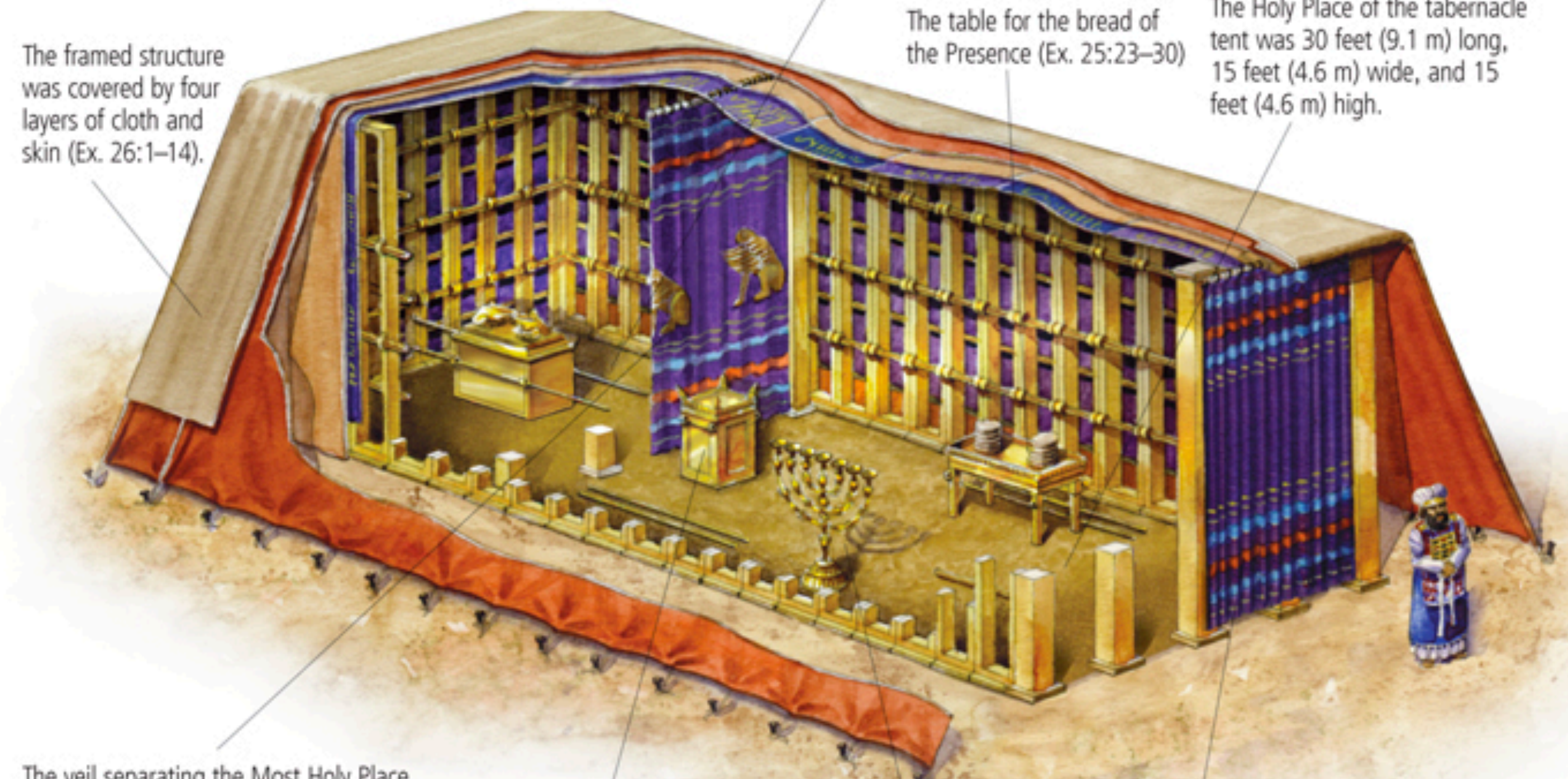
The Holy Place of the tabernacle tent was 30 feet (9.1 m) long, 15 feet (4.6 m) wide, and 15 feet (4.6 m) high.

The veil separating the Most Holy Place from the Holy Place was made from blue, purple, and scarlet dyed yarns woven with fine twined linen and embroidered with cherubim (Ex. 26:31–33). It hung on four golden pillars.

The altar of incense (Ex. 30:1–5; 37:25–29)

The golden lampstand (Ex. 25:31–40; 37:17–24)

The veil that formed the entrance to the tabernacle was similar to the veil separating the Holy Place from the Most Holy Place, except that cherubim were not embroidered on it. It was suspended on five golden pillars (Ex. 26:36–37).



Jesus is present.

Ezekiel 47: Then he led me back to the bank of the river.
7 As I went back, I saw on the bank of the river very many trees on the one side and on the other. 8 And he said to me, "This water flows toward the eastern region and goes down into the Arabah, and enters the sea; when the water flows into the sea, the water will become fresh. 9 And wherever the river goes, every living creature that swarms will live, and there will be very many fish. For this water goes there, that the waters of the sea may become fresh; so everything will live where the river goes.

10 Fishermen will stand beside the sea. From Engedi to Eneglaim it will be a place for the spreading of nets. Its fish will be of very many kinds, like the fish of the Great Sea.

11 But its swamps and marshes will not become fresh; they are to be left for salt.

12 And on the banks, on both sides of the river, there will grow all kinds of trees for food. Their leaves will not wither, nor their fruit fail, but they will bear fresh fruit every month, because the water for them flows from the sanctuary. Their fruit will be for food, and their leaves for healing.”

Isaiah

The Lord will make a new heaven and earth for the
millennial reign.

Long lifespan

Peace

No sickness

Jesus will rule.



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Return of Jesus as King ■ 1,000 yr. Reign ■ Eternity

45 days

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Revelation 1:19 Write therefore the things that you have seen, those that are and those that are to take place after this.

HIV/AIDS (1976 -Today) 36M

Flu (1968) 1M

Asian Flu (1956-58) 2M

Flu (1918) 20-50M

6th Cholera (1889-90) 800,000+

Flu (1889-90) 1M

Black Death (1346-53) 75-200M

Bubonic Plague (541-542) 25M

Small Pox 300-500M



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REVELATION 22:12

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