



Reflection Questions

July 28, 2024

The Ark of the Covenant

Exodus 25:1-22

The command to construct God's meeting place with man shows us that He desires His people to actively participate in His grand story of salvation. Despite not needing them to fulfill His plans, God desires to fellowship with His people and involve them in His work. Through the Tabernacle, God teaches the way of salvation, where every detail points to the ultimate dwelling place with humankind in Jesus Christ.

Reflection Questions:

1. How does the concept of God allowing His people to participate in His work resonate with you personally?
2. In what ways do you see God's grace and mercy manifested in the fact that He desires fellowship with His people?
3. Reflecting on the Tabernacle as a symbol of God's presence, how does this teaching impact your understanding of God's dwelling place with humanity?
4. What significance do you find in the detail that the Tabernacle is the only building designed by God Himself from start to finish?
5. How does the concept of giving as a contribution to the Lord, rather than obligatory giving, influence your perspective on generosity and stewardship?
6. Consider the details of the Ark of the Covenant and the mercy seat. How do these components symbolize God's grace and provision for sinners?
7. Reflect on the idea that Jesus Christ entered the most holy place as the ultimate sacrifice. How does this reality impact your understanding of salvation?
8. How does the imagery of the Tabernacle and the concept of God's presence in the most holy place resonate with your own journey of faith and relationship with God?