

God Wants To Dwell With Us!

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**Big Idea: The Lord God wants to dwell with us.
Our job is to make a dwelling place suitable and honorable for Him!**

¹The Lord said to Moses, ²“Speak to the people of Israel, that they take for me a contribution. From every man whose heart moves him you shall receive the contribution for me. ³And this is the contribution that you shall receive from them: gold, silver, and bronze, ⁴blue and purple and scarlet yarns and fine twined linen, goats’ hair, ⁵tanned rams’ skins, goatskins, acacia wood, ⁶oil for the lamps, spices for the anointing oil and for the fragrant incense, ⁷onyx stones, and stones for setting, for the ephod and for the breastpiece. ⁸And let them make me a sanctuary, that I may dwell in their midst. ⁹Exactly as I show you concerning the pattern of the tabernacle, and of all its furniture, so you shall make it.”

Exodus 25:1–9

God wishes to _____, has specific requirements, and He _____ our help.

- Contributions were _____
- God wants a _____
- God’s dwelling place is _____
- God _____ us!

¹⁴And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth. ¹⁵(John bore witness about him, and cried out, “This was he of whom I said, ‘He who comes after me ranks before me, because he was before me.’”) ¹⁶For from his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace. ¹⁷For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.”

John 1:14–17

God wishes to dwell with us. Through _____, He dwelt with us and provided more instruction.

- Jesus came down from Heaven to dwell among us.
- Showed us _____ and _____
- Jesus Christ is the True and Living Temple.

³if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. ⁴As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, ⁵you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.”

1 Peter 2:3–5

God wishes to dwell with us. Through the _____, He dwells with US.

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Truth into Action:

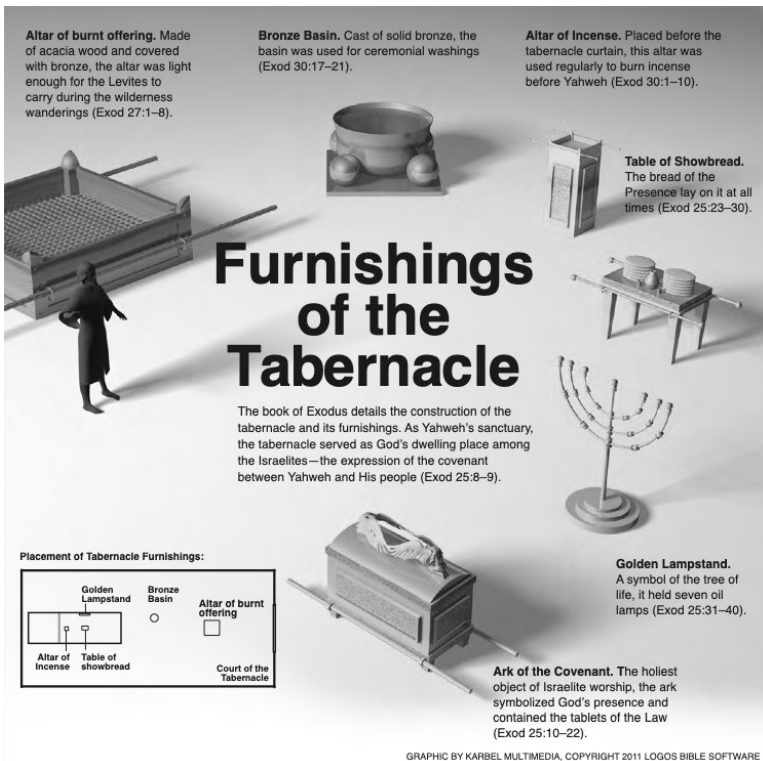
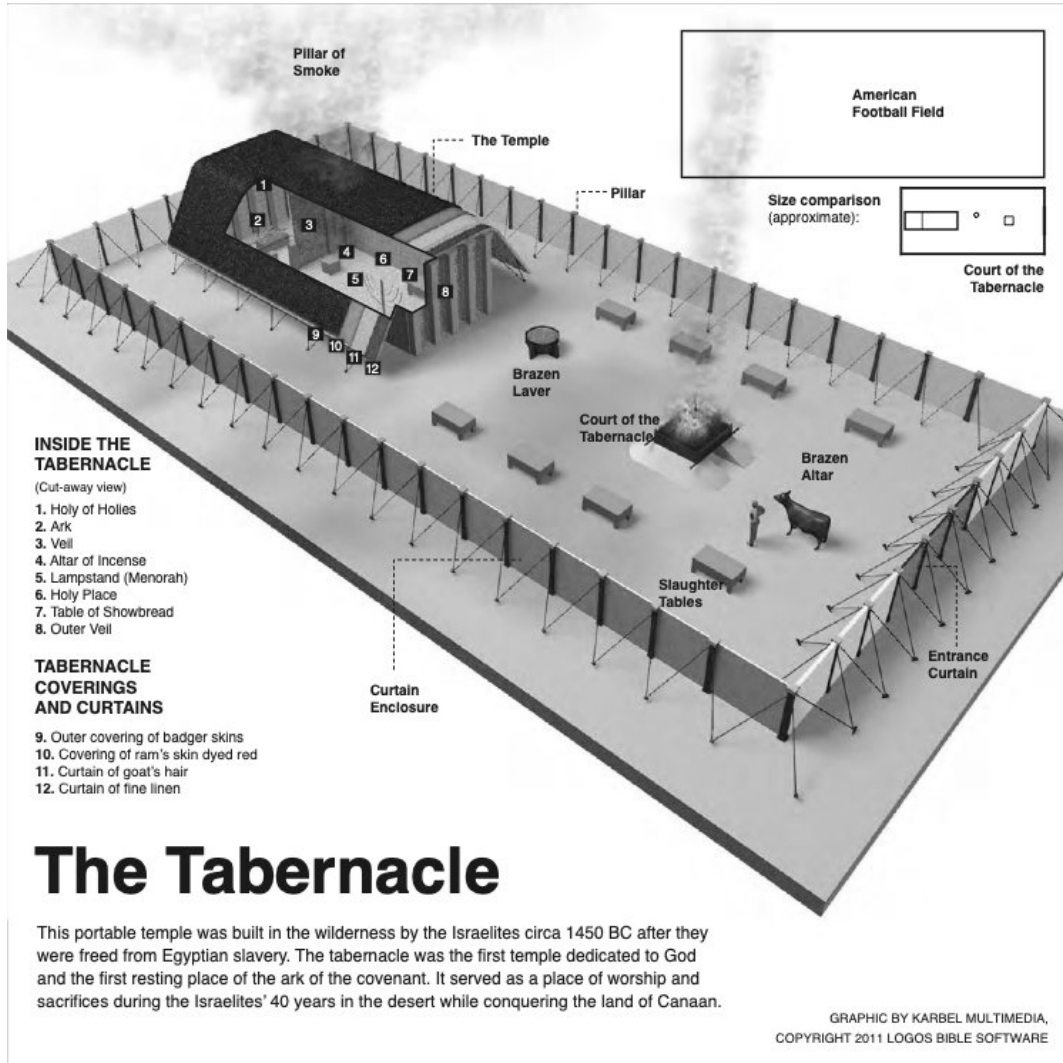
- The Lord God invites us to prepare a place for Him to dwell with us. Do you contribute your time, treasure and talent for His Glory?
- The Lord God dwelt with us in Jesus Christ to be a model and guide for us. Do you allow His Word to dwell in your hearts and homes? Are you in God’s Word regularly?
- The Lord God dwells within each believer as a Temple of the Living God. Do we conduct ourselves with this mindset?

Pray first



Please understand we want to help you know Jesus personally and journey with you in taking fresh steps of obedience daily. We would love to pray with you and for you. Join us at the end of the service for prayer or send us your request on the Connect Card and we will lift them up throughout the week.

Table Talk



- As a Family or Group, go through the components and purpose of each detail of the Tabernacle and furniture and discuss the purpose of each component in that image.

- BONUS IDEA: Maybe as a family make a LEGO or Craft construction of the tabernacle and furniture.

- Discuss ways that we can honor God as He dwells with us through the Holy Spirit.