

THE TABERNACLE: AN INTRODUCTION AND OVERVIEW

I. ISRAEL'S REDEMPTION FROM EGYPT (Exodus 1-18)

II. ISRAEL'S REVELATION FROM GOD AT SINAI (Exodus 19-40)

A. The Value of Studying the Tabernacle

1. Consider that the Lord only inspired _____ in Genesis on the creation of the world, but here in Exodus and elsewhere He took _____ on explaining the details and service of the Tabernacle.
2. The Tabernacle (and/or the permanent structure of the Temple) occupies such a _____ place throughout the rest of the OT and the four Gospels, that one _____ the flow of God's redemptive program for man without it.
3. You must understand the Tabernacle/Temple in order to understand over _____ the NT book of _____.
4. The Tabernacle sets forth basic foundational lessons on man's _____, God's _____, and the needed atoning _____ of the innocent in order to be able to approach God.
5. There are countless "_____" of the Messiah, which help us better understand who _____ is.

B. Interpreting the Tabernacle Typology

1. In order for something to truly be a biblical "*type*," it must have the elements of...
 - a. ...resemblance
 - b. ...prefiguring
 - c. ...heightening
 - d. ...divine design as declared by the New Testament

* How does this apply to the Tabernacle? (Heb. 8:5; 9:23-24; 10:19-20)

C. An Introduction and Overview of the Tabernacle

1. The Purposes of the Tabernacle

- a. It served as a place for God to _____ in _____ among His people. (Ex. 25:8; John 1:14)
- b. It was a constant lesson to Israel about their _____ and God's _____ and the need for a _____ atonement.

2. The Pattern of the Tabernacle

- a. THE OUTER COURT- Approaching God
 - 1) On the **Brazen Altar** were offered _____ for the _____ of the people. (Ex. 27:1-8; 29:38-42)
 - 2) The **Brazen Laver** was a place of _____ for the priests. (Ex. 30:18-21)
- b. THE HOLY PLACE- Fellowship with God
 - 1) On the **Table of Showbread** were placed _____ loaves of _____. (Ex. 25:23-30)
 - 2) The **Golden Lampstand** provided the _____ in the Tabernacle. (Ex. 25:31-40)
 - 3) On the **Altar of Incense** burned _____ to God. (Ex. 30:1-10)
- c. THE HOLIEST OF HOLIES- The Revealed Presence of God
 - 1) The **Veil** _____ the Holy Place from the Most Holy Place. (Ex. 26:31-33)
 - 2) The **Ark** was in the very revealed _____ of _____. (Ex. 25:10-22)