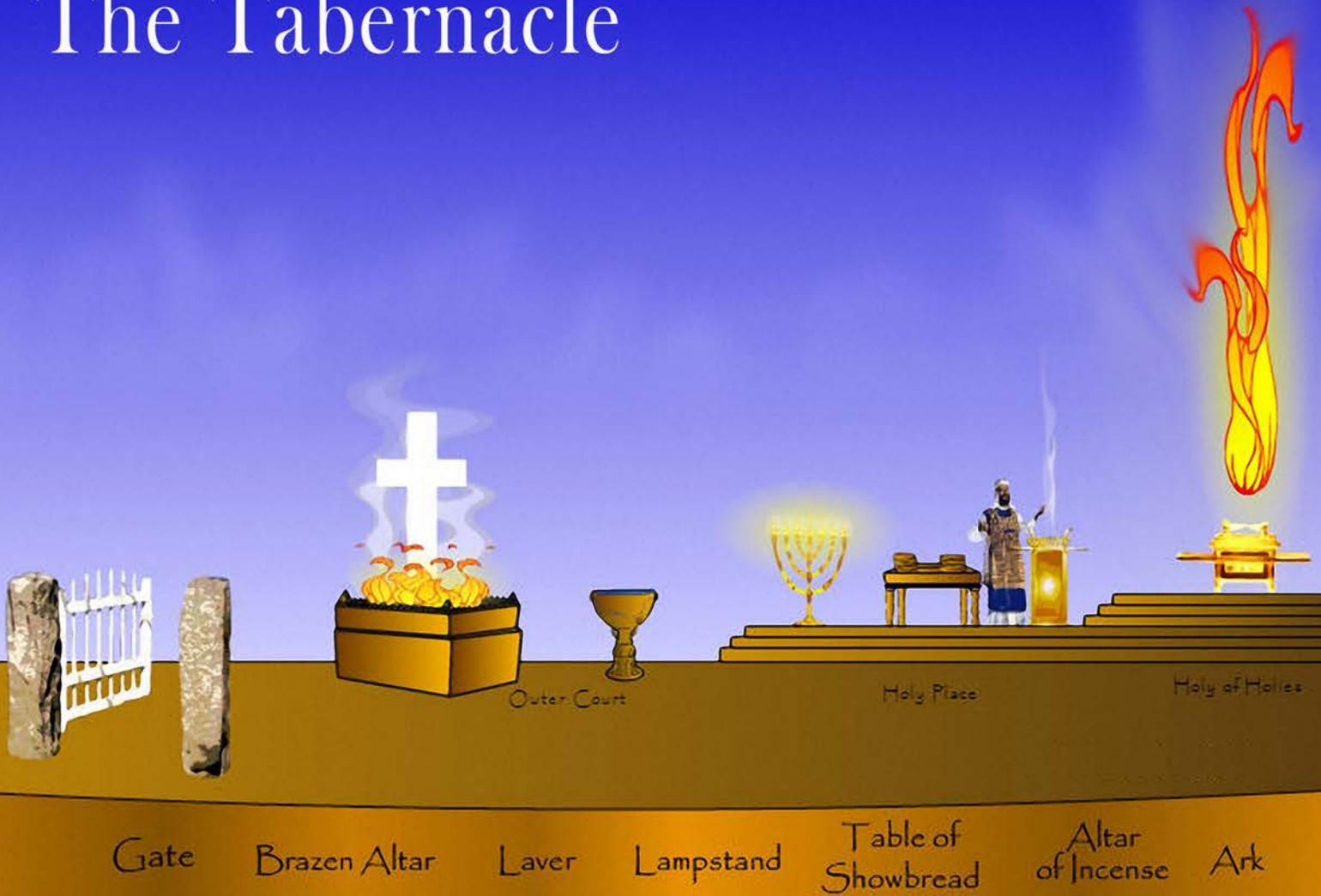


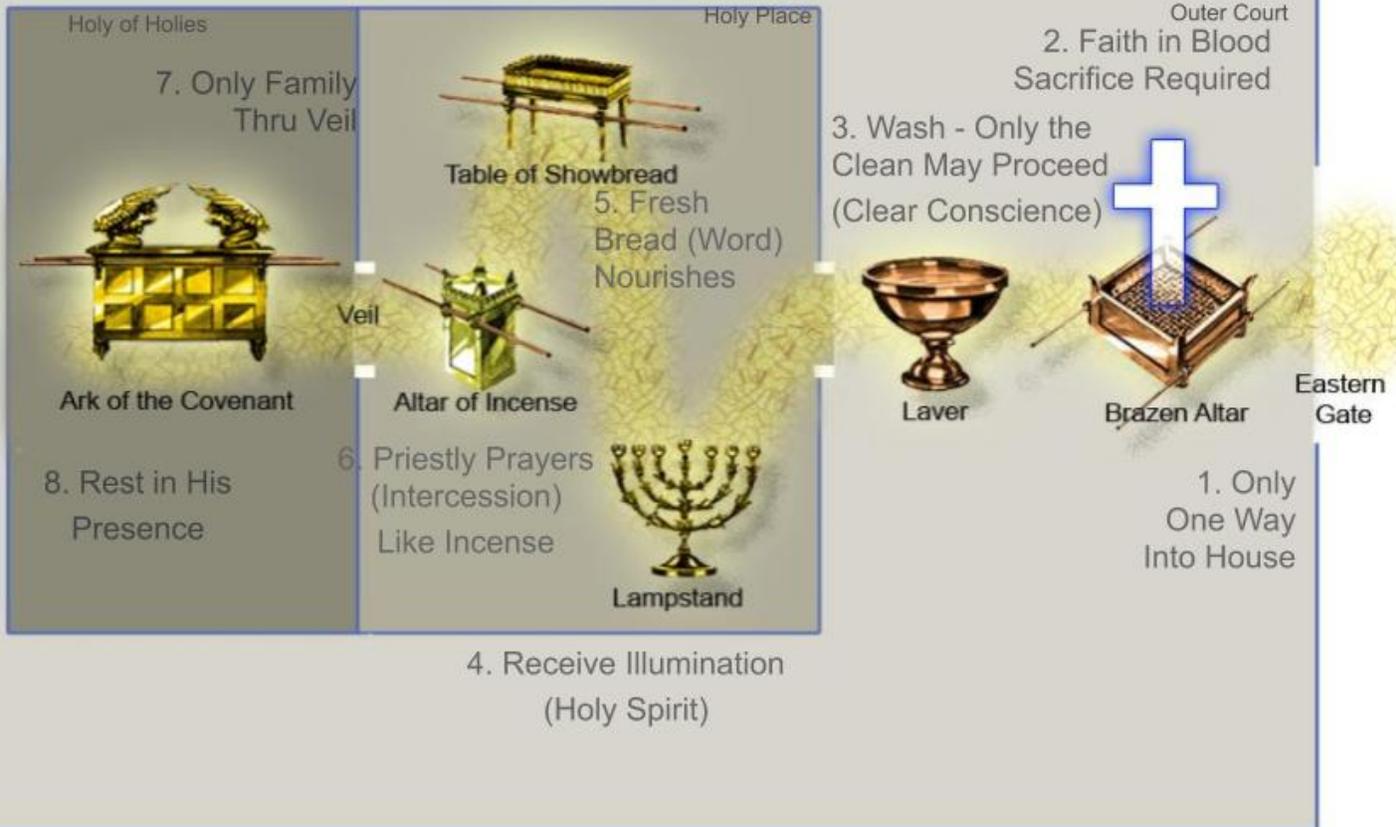
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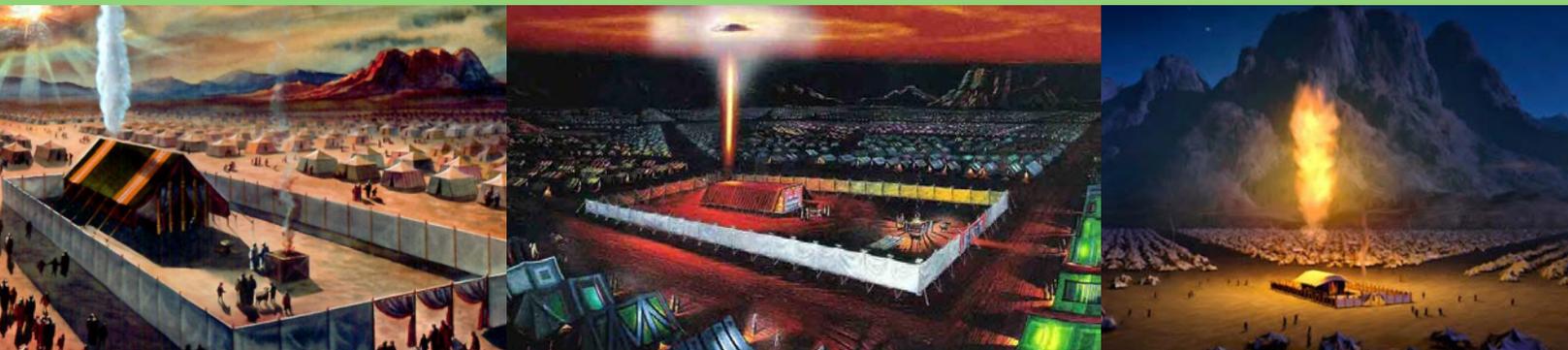


Worship & Prayer in Our Father's House

Exo 25:9 You must build this Tabernacle and its furnishings exactly according to the pattern I will show you.



Lessons from The Tabernacle



1

OLD TESTAMENT A PATTERN OF WORSHIP

Ex 25:8 Then have them make a sanctuary for me, and I will dwell among them.

Isa 56:7 These I will bring to my holy mountain and give them joy in my house of prayer... for my house will be called a house of prayer for all nations."

Heb 8:5 For when Moses was getting ready to build the Tabernacle, God gave him this warning: "Be sure that you make everything according to the pattern I have shown you here on the mountain."

1Chr 28:19 "All this," said David, "the Lord made me understand in writing by His hand upon me, all the details of this pattern."

2

JESUS CHRIST ZEAL FOR HIS FATHERS HOUSE

John 2:17-21 "Get these out of here! Stop turning my Father's house into a market!" 17 His disciples remembered that it is written: "Zeal for your house will consume me."

Heb 8:1 "We do have such a high priest, who sat down at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in heaven, and who serves in the sanctuary, the true tabernacle set up by the Lord, not by a mere human being."

Heb 9:11-12 "...He has entered that greater, more perfect Tabernacle in heaven, which was not made by human hands and is not part of this created world.

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE THE ORIGINAL TEMPLE IS IN HEAVEN

Rev 11:19 Then God's temple in heaven was opened, and within his temple was seen the ark of his covenant.

Rev 15:5 After this I looked, and I saw in heaven the temple—that is, the tabernacle of the covenant law—and it was opened.

ISA 2:2 In the last days the mountain where the Lord's temple is located will be famous. It will be the highest mountain of all. It will be raised above the hills. All the nations will go to it.

ISA 4:5 Then the Lord will create over Jerusalem a cloud of smoke by day. He will also create a glow of flaming fire at night.

4

OUR BODY OUR BODIES ARE TEMPLES

1Cor 3:16 Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?

17 If anyone defiles the temple of God, God will destroy him. For the temple of God is holy, which temple you are.

Eph 2:21-22 In whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord. 22 In him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit.

Joh 14:23 Jesus answered him, "If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him.

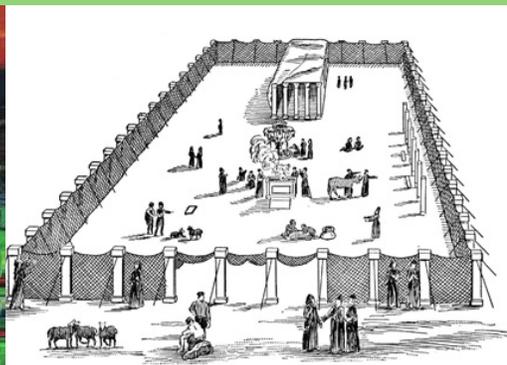
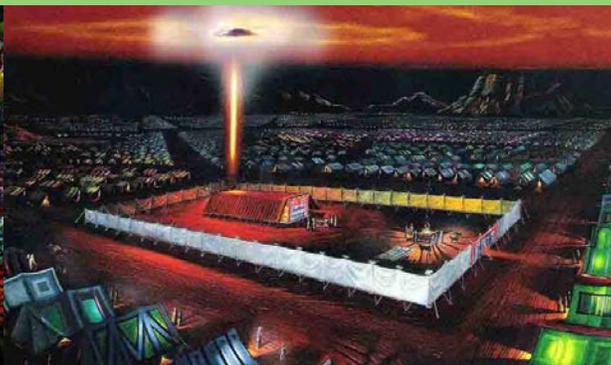
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SONS & PRIESTS WE MINISTER TO THE LORD IN HIS TEMPLE

Psa 27:4 One thing I ask from the Lord, this only do I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze on the beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his temple.

1Pe 2:5,9 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. 9 But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

Eastern Gate - Thanksgiving



1

OLD TESTAMENT THANKS & PRAISE

Ps 100:4 Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise. Give thanks to him and praise his name. For the Lord is good. His unfailing love continues forever, and his faithfulness continues to each generation.

2Chr 31:2 Hezekiah assigned the priests and Levites to divisions—each of them according to their duties as priests or Levites—to offer burnt offerings and fellowship offerings, to minister, to give thanks and to sing praises at the gates of the Lord's dwelling.

2

JESUS CHRIST HE IS THE GATE, THE ONLY WAY

John 10:7 "I tell you the truth, I am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me were thieves and robbers. But the true sheep did not listen to them. Yes, I am the gate.

Those who come in through me will be saved. They will come and go freely and will find good pastures. The thief's purpose is to steal and kill and destroy. My purpose is to give them a rich and satisfying life.

John 14:6 "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me."

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE DOOR STANDING OPEN IN HEAVEN—INVITATION

Rev 4:1-3 Then as I looked, I saw a door standing open in heaven, and the same voice I had heard before spoke to me like a trumpet blast. The voice said, "Come up here, and I will show you what must happen after this." And instantly I was in the Spirit, and I saw a throne in heaven and someone sitting on it. The one sitting on the throne was as brilliant as gemstones—like jasper and carnelian.

4

OUR BODY IS A TEMPLE ENTER THROUGH THE NARROW GATE

Mat 7:13 Enter through the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads away to destruction, and many enter through it. But the gate is narrow (contracted by pressure) and the way is straitened and compressed that leads away to life, and few are those who find it.

Ps 118:19 Open for me the temple gates of righteousness, and I will go in and thank the Lord. These gates lead to the presence of the Lord, and the godly enter there. I thank you for answering my prayer and giving me victory!

5

SONS & PRIESTS WE MINISTER TO HIM EXTOL HIS NAME

Psalm 9:1-2 I will give thanks and praise the Lord, with all my heart; I will tell aloud all Your wonders and marvelous deeds. I will rejoice and exult in you; I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High.

Eph 5:20 "always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Brazen Altar - Christ's Blood



1

OLD TESTAMENT BLOOD COVENANT

Exo 29:39 One lamb you shall offer in the morning and the other lamb in the evening.

Heb 9:22 In fact, the law requires that nearly everything be cleansed with blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness.

That is why the Tabernacle and everything in it, which were copies of things in heaven, had to be purified by the blood of animals. But the real things in heaven had to be purified with far better sacrifices than the blood of animals.

2

JESUS CHRIST FAITH IN BLOOD, TRUST JESUS CHRIST

Eph 1:7 In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our sins, according to the riches of his grace,

Rom 3:25 For God presented Jesus as the sacrifice for sin. People are made right with God when they believe that Jesus sacrificed his life, shedding his blood.

1Pet 2:24 He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed.

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE THE LAMB

Joh 1:29 Look! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.

Rev 5:6 I saw a Lamb standing, as though it had been slain, with seven horns and with seven eyes, which are the seven Spirits of God..."

Heb 9:24 For Christ did not enter into a holy place made with human hands, which was only a copy of the true one in heaven. He entered into heaven itself to appear now before God on our behalf.

Rev 12:11 And they have conquered him (satan) by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death.

4

OUR BODY IS A TEMPLE OUR RANSOM PAID

1Pe1:18-19 knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, 19 but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot.

Gal 3:13 Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us... 14 so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.

Eph 1:7 He is so rich in kindness and grace that he purchased our freedom with the blood of his Son and forgave our sins.

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SONS & PRIESTS ADOPTION PAPERS SIGNED

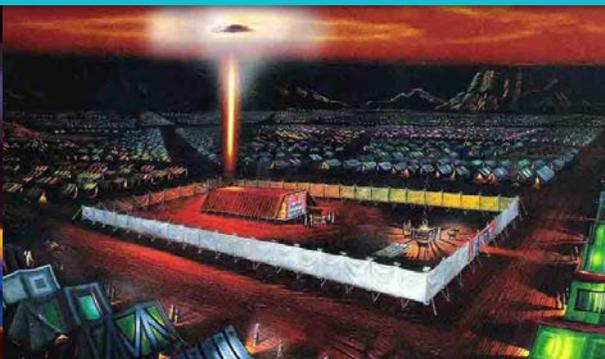
Eph 1:5 God decided in advance to adopt us into his own family by bringing us to himself through Jesus Christ. This is what he wanted to do, and it gave him great pleasure.

Heb 4:16 Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

Eph 4:32 "Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you."

Eph 5:2 "and walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God."

Laver - Repentance



1

OLD TESTAMENT PRIESTS WASH OR DIE

Exo 29:4 Present Aaron and his sons at the entrance of the Tabernacle, and wash them with water.

Exo 30:20 They must wash with water whenever they go into the Tabernacle to appear before the Lord and when they approach the altar to burn up their special gifts to the Lord—or they will die!

Psa 51:2 Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness and guilt And cleanse me from my sin.

Jer 2:13 For My people have committed two evils: They have abandoned (rejected) Me, The fountain of living water, And they have carved out their own cisterns, Broken cisterns that cannot hold water.

2

JESUS CHRIST LIVING WATER THAT CLEANSES

1John 1:9 But if we confess our sins to him, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to CLEANSE US from all wickedness.

Tit 2:11-14 For the grace of God has been revealed, bringing salvation to all people. And we are instructed to turn from godless living and sinful pleasures...He gave his life to free us from every kind of sin, TO CLEANSE US, and to make us his very own people, totally committed to doing good deeds.

Galatians 3:27
27 And all who have been united with Christ in baptism have put on Christ, like putting on new clothes.

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE RIVER OF LIFE FLOWS FROM HIS THRONE

Rev 4:6 ...and before the throne there was a sea of glass, clear as crystal..

Rev 22:1-2 Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, as clear as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb down the middle of the great street of the city. On each side of the river stood the tree of life.

Rev 7:17 For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd; 'he will lead them to springs of living water.' 'And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.'"

4

OUR BODY IS A TEMPLE REPENT - PRAY TEN COMMANDMENTS

Rom 3:20b AMP For through the Law we become conscious of sin and the recognition of sin directs us toward repentance..

Psa 26:6 I wash my hands to declare my innocence. I come to your altar, O Lord,
Jam 4:6b God opposes the proud but favors the humble. Come close to God, and God will come close to you. Wash your hands, you sinners; purify your hearts, for your loyalty is divided between God and the world.

Eph 5:25 Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her 26 that he might sanctify her having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word,

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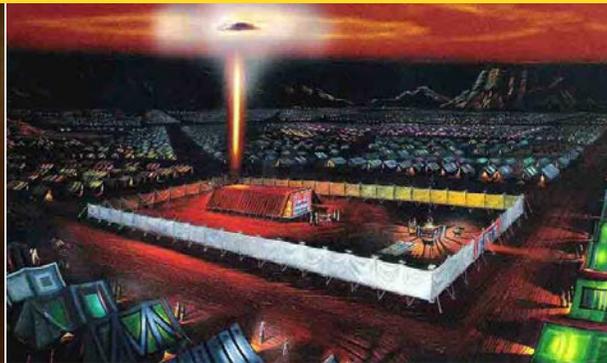
SONS & PRIESTS WATER BRINGS NEW LIFE

Heb 10:22 let us go right into the presence of God with sincere hearts fully trusting him. For our guilty consciences have been sprinkled with Christ's blood to make us clean, and our bodies have been washed with pure water.

Joh 4:14 ..but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life.

Joh 7:38 ..and let the one who believes in me drink. As the scripture has said, 'Out of the believer's heart shall flow rivers of living water.'

Lampstand - Holy Spirit



1

OLD TESTAMENT TEND THE LAMPSTAND

Num 8:3 Aaron did so; he set up the lamps so that they faced forward on the lampstand, just as the Lord commanded Moses.

Lev 24:2-3 "Command the children of Israel to bring to you clear oil from beaten olives for the light [of the golden lampstand], to make a lamp burn continually.

Aaron is to tend the lamps before the LORD from evening till morning, continually.

Psa 18:28 You, Yahweh, keep my lamp burning;

Isa 11:2 And the Spirit of the Lord will rest on Him—
The Spirit of wisdom and understanding,
The Spirit of counsel and strength,
The Spirit of knowledge and of the [reverential and obedient] fear of the Lord—

2

JESUS CHRIST LIGHT OF THE WORLD

John 8:12 "I am the light of the world. If you follow me, you won't have to walk in darkness, because you will have the light that leads to life."

Mat 3:11 "I baptize you with water for repentance. But after me comes one who is more powerful than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.

John 16:7 But I tell you the truth, it is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper (Comforter, Advocate, Intercessor—Counselor, Strengthener, Standby) will not come to you; but if I go, I will send Him (the Holy Spirit) to you [to be in close fellowship with you].

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE SEVEN LAMPSTANDS

Rev 1:12 I turned around to see the voice that was speaking to me. And when I turned I saw seven golden Lampstands, and among the Lampstands was someone like a son of man, dressed in a robe reaching down to his feet.

Rev 2:5 Consider how far you have fallen! Repent and do the things you did at first. If you do not repent, I will come to you and remove your lampstand from its place.

Rev 4:5 From the throne came flashes of lightning, and rumblings and peals of thunder, and before the throne were burning seven torches of fire, which are the seven spirits of God.

4

OUR BODY IS A TEMPLE YOU WILL RECEIVE POWER

1Co 12:7 But to each one is given the manifestation of the Spirit [the evidence, the spiritual illumination of the Spirit] for good and profit.

Acts 1:8 But you will receive power and ability when the Holy Spirit comes upon you; and you will be My witnesses ..."

Eph 3:16-17,19 I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

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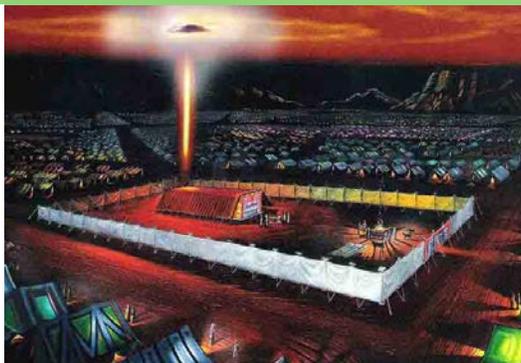
SONS & PRIESTS BE FILLED WITH SPIRIT

John 4:24 God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth."

Eph 5:8-9 "For you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Live as children of light (for the fruit of the light consists in all goodness, righteousness and truth)"

Eph 5:18-19 "Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit, speaking to one another with psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit. Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord,"

Table of Showbread - Word



1

OLD TESTAMENT BREAD IS PRESENCE

Exo 25:30 And you shall set the showbread (the bread of the Presence) on the table before Me always.

Deu 8:3 So He humbled you, allowed you to hunger, and fed you with manna which you did not know nor did your fathers know, that He might make you know that man shall not live by bread alone; but man lives by every word that proceeds from the mouth of the Lord.

Job 23:12 I have not departed from the commands of his lips; I have treasured the words of his mouth more than my daily bread.

2

JESUS CHRIST JESUS IS THE WORD

John 1:1,14 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God... And 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.

Mat 4:4 Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every (rehma) word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

Mark 14:22 [Jesus Institutes the Lord's Supper] And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them and said, "Take, eat; this is My body."

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE BREAD FROM HEAVEN

Joh 6:33 For the bread of God is HE who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."

John 6:51 I am the Living Bread that came down out of heaven. If anyone eats of this Bread [believes in Jesus, accepts Jesus as Savior], he will live forever. And the Bread that I will give for the life of the world is My flesh (body)."

Mat 6:11 Give us this day our daily bread.

Heb 4:12 For the word of God is living and active.

Sharper than any double-edged sword,

Eph 6:17 Take the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

4

OUR BODY IS A TEMPLE WORD IS TRUTH

Joh 17:17 Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth.

Rom 10:17 So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the (rehma) word of God. The entirety of Your word is truth, And every one of Your righteous judgments endures forever.

Jos 1:8 This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall read [and meditate on] it day and night, so that you may be careful to do [everything] in accordance with all that is written in it; for then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will be successful.

Psa 119:60 The sum of your word is truth, and every one of your righteous rules endures forever.

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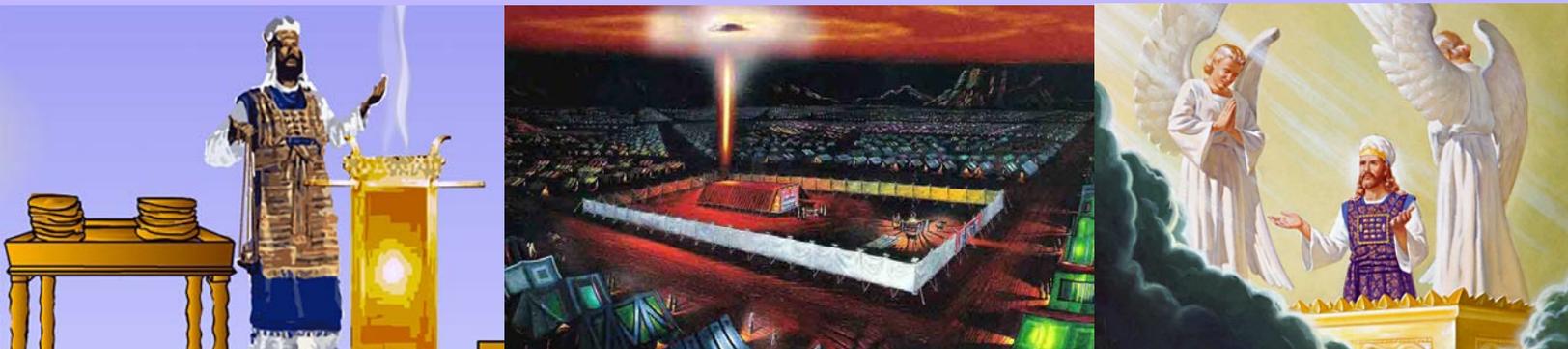
SONS & PRIESTS DELIGHT IN THE LAW

Psa 1:2 But his delight is in the law of the Lord, And on His law [His precepts and teachings] he [habitually] meditates day and night.

Psa 19:7,8 The law of the Lord is perfect (flawless), restoring and refreshing the soul; The statutes of the Lord are reliable and trustworthy, making wise the simple. The precepts of the Lord are right, bringing joy to the heart; The commandment of the Lord is pure, enlightening the eyes.

Psa 119:9 How can a young man keep his way pure? By keeping watch [on himself] according to Your word [conforming his life to Your precepts].

Altar of Incense - Intercession



1

OLD TESTAMENT

FRAGRANT INCENSE

Ex 30:7-8 Aaron shall burn sweet and fragrant incense on it; he shall burn it every morning...a perpetual incense before the Lord throughout your generations..

Psa 141:2 May my prayer be set before you like incense; may the lifting up of my hands be like the evening sacrifice.

2Sam 22:7 In my distress I called upon Jehovah; Yea, I called unto my God: And he heard my voice out of his temple, And my cry came into his ears.

Psa 55:1 LISTEN TO my prayer, O God, and hide not Yourself from my supplication!

2

JESUS CHRIST

OUR GREAT HIGH PRIEST

Heb 5:7 In the days of His earthly life, Jesus offered up both [specific] petitions and [urgent] supplications with fervent crying and tears to the One who was able to save Him from death, and He was heard because of His reverent submission toward God.

Heb 7:24 ...Jesus holds His priesthood permanently... Therefore He is able also to save forever those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to intercede and intervene on their behalf.

Heb 8:1...we have such a High Priest, who is seated at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in heaven, a Minister in the holy places and in the true tabernacle, which is erected not by man, but by the Lord.

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE

BEFORE THE THRONE

Rev 5:8 ...the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders fell down before the Lamb, each one holding a harp and golden bowls full of fragrant incense, which are the prayers of the saints.

Rev 8:4 Another angel came and stood at the altar. He had a golden censer, and much incense was given to him, so that he might add it to the prayers of all the saints on the golden altar in front of the throne. And the smoke and fragrant aroma of the incense, with the prayers of the saints, ascended before God from the angel's hand.

4

OUR BODY IS A TEMPLE

CALL, CRY, WAIT

Psa 116:13 I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord,
Psa 28:2 Hear the voice of my supplication as I cry to You for help, as I lift up my hands toward Your innermost sanctuary (the Holy of Holies).

Luk 18:7 And will not God bring about justice for his chosen ones, who cry out to him day and night? Will he keep putting them off?

Psa 119:172 May my tongue sing of your word, for all your commands are righteous.

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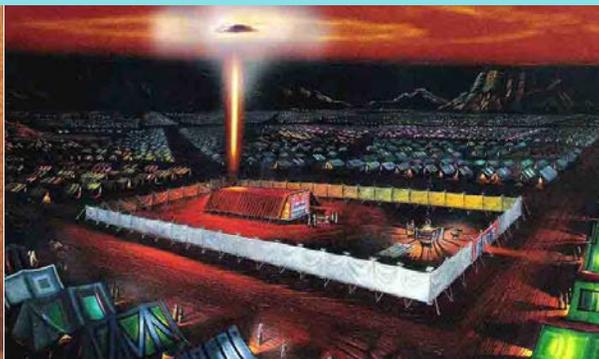
SONS & PRIESTS

WE ARE PRIESTS

1Pet 2:5,9 You also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ...for you are a chosen people. You are royal priests, a holy nation, God's very own possession.

1Jo 3:21 Dear friends, if we don't feel guilty, we can come to God with bold confidence. And we will receive from him whatever we ask because we obey him and do the things that please him.

Veil - Christ's Body



1

OLD TESTAMENT SEPARATION FROM THE PRESENCE

Ex 26:33 and the veil shall divide unto you between the holy place and the most holy.

Ex 30:6 Place the incense altar just outside the inner curtain that shields the Ark of the Covenant, in front of the Ark's cover—the place of atonement—that covers the tablets inscribed with the terms of the covenant. I will meet with you there.

Lev 16:2 The Lord said to Moses, "Tell Aaron your brother that he must not enter at any time into the Holy Place inside the veil (the Holy of Holies), before the mercy seat which is on the ark, or he will die, for I will appear in the cloud over the mercy seat.

2

JESUS CHRIST HIS BODY IS THE CURTAIN

Heb 10:19 Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.

Eph 3:6 This mystery is that through the gospel the Gentiles are heirs together with Israel, members together of one body, and sharers together in the promise in Christ Jesus.

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE WE HAVE ACCESS FOREVER

Rev 4:1 ... And the voice I had first heard speaking to me like a trumpet said, "Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this."

Heb 10:19 So, friends, we can now--without hesitation--walk right up to God, into "the Holy Place." Jesus has cleared the way by the blood of his sacrifice, acting as our priest before God. The "curtain" into God's presence is his body.

Eph 3:10 His intent was that now, through the church, the manifold wisdom of God should be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly realms,

4

OUR BODY IS A TEMPLE WE COME BOLDLY

2Cor 4:18 While we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal.

2Cor 4:3 If the Good News we preach is hidden behind a veil, it is hidden only from people who are perishing. Satan, who is the god of this world, has blinded the minds of those who don't believe. They are unable to see the glorious light of the Good News. They don't understand this message about the glory of Christ, who is the exact likeness of God.

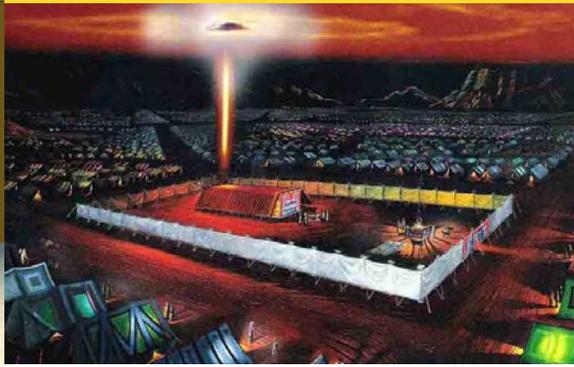
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SONS & PRIESTS NEW LIVING WAY

Matt 27:51 And [at once] the veil [of the Holy of Holies] of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom; the earth shook and the rocks were split apart.

Eph 3:6,10,12 This mystery is that through the gospel the Gentiles are heirs together with Israel, members together of one body, and sharers together in the promise in Christ Jesus. His intent was that now, through the church, the manifold wisdom of God should be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly realms, In him and through faith in him we may approach God with freedom and confidence.

Holy of Holies



1

OLD TESTAMENT THE MERCY SEAT

Num 7:89

And when Moses went into the tent of meeting to speak with the Lord, he heard the voice speaking to him from above the mercy seat that was on the ark of the testimony, from between the two cherubim; and it spoke to him.

2Chr 6:41

“And now arise, O Lord God, and enter your resting place, along with the Ark, the symbol of your power. May your priests...be clothed with salvation; may your loyal servants rejoice in your goodness.

2 Chr 7:1,2

When Solomon finished praying, fire came down from heaven and consumed the burnt offering and the sacrifices, and the glory of the Lord filled the temple. The priests could not enter the temple of the Lord because the glory of the Lord filled it.

2

JESUS CHRIST SON OF MAN

Heb 9:11

When Christ came as high priest of the good things that are already here, he went through the greater and more perfect tabernacle that is not man-made...not a part of this creation.

Heb 9:24

24 For Christ did not enter a sanctuary made with human hands that was only a copy of the true one; he entered heaven itself, now to appear for us in God's presence.

Rom 8:34

Who then is the one who condemns? No one. Christ Jesus who died—more than that, who was raised to life—is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us.

3

HEAVENLY TEMPLE YAHWEH IN HIS TEMPLE

Psalms 11:4

The Lord is in his holy Temple; the Lord sits on his throne in heaven. He sees what people do. His eyes watch he keeps his eye on them his gaze examines people.

Rev 15:8

And the temple was filled with smoke from the glory of God and from his power, and no one could enter the temple until the seven plagues of the seven angels were completed.

Heb 12:28

You have come to Mount Zion, to the heavenly Jerusalem, the city of the living God...let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.

4

OUR BODY IS A TEMPLE SEATED WITH CHRIST

Eph 2:6

And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus,

Col 3:1

Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God.

Heb 12:22

But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering,

Heb 4:16

Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

5

SONS & PRIESTS TOGETHER FOREVER

Rev 21:1-4

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away...

And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, ... “See! The tabernacle of God is among men, and He will live among them, and they will be His people, and God Himself will be with them ...

Mat 28:19

19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.

The Ten Commandments

Commandment 1	REPENT OF HAVING ANY OTHER GODS
HE IS THE ONE TRUE LIVING GOD.	<p>Deu 5:6 "I am YHWH your God, who brought you out of... the land of slavery. You shall have no other gods before me."</p> <p>Ps. 100:3 Know that the YHWH Himself is God; It is He who has made us, and not we ourselves; We are His people and the sheep of His pasture.</p> <p>Deut. 4:39 ...know therefore today, and lay it to your heart, that YHWH is God in heaven above and on the earth beneath; there is no other.</p>
JESUS IS LORD	<p>1Co 8:6 ...yet for us there is but one God, the Father, from whom are all things and we exist for Him; and one Lord, Jesus Christ, by whom are all things, and we exist through Him.</p> <p>1Pet. 3:15 but sanctify Christ as Lord in your hearts, always being ready to make a defense to everyone who asks you to give an account for the hope that is in you</p> <p>John 8:58 Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I AM."</p>
(How we live) OBEY HIS COMMANDS	<p>Mat 5:19 Anyone who breaks one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever practices and teaches these commands will be called great in the kingdom of heaven.</p>
Commandment 2	REPENT OF IDOLATRY
DON'T MAKE IDOLS	<p>Ex 20:4-6 You shall not make for yourself an idol...</p> <p>Act 7:41 they made an idol in the form of a calf. They brought sacrifices and reveled in what their own hands had made.</p> <p>1Sam 15:23 Rebellion is as sinful as witchcraft, and stubbornness as bad as worshipping idols.</p> <p>Ps 78:58 For they provoked Him with their high places and aroused His jealousy with their graven images.</p> <p>2Cor 6:16 And what agreement has the temple of God with idols? For you are the temple of the living God.</p>
JESUS IS THE ONLY IMAGE WORTH WORSHIPPING	<p>Col 1:15 He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation.</p> <p>Heb 1:3 The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word.</p>
(How we live) WORSHIP THE WORTHY ONE	<p>Ps 145:1 I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever. Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever. Great is the YHWH, and greatly to be praised...</p> <p>Isa 4:2 In that day the Branch of the YHWH will be beautiful and glorious...</p> <p>Rev. 1:14 His head and His hair were white like white wool, like snow; and His eyes were like a flame of fire. His feet were like burnished bronze, when it has been made to glow in a furnace, and His voice was like the sound of many waters. In His right hand He held seven stars, and out of His mouth came a sharp two-edged sword; and His face was like the sun shining in its strength.</p>

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Commandment 3	REPENT OF TAKING HIS NAME IN VAIN
DON'T TREAT NAMES LIGHTLY	<p>Deu 5:11 "You must not misuse the name of the Lord your God. The Lord will not let you go unpunished if you misuse his name.</p> <p>Psa 83:18 That they may know that You alone, whose name is YHWH, are the Most High over all the earth.</p> <p>Psa 116:4 Then I called upon the name of the YHWH: "O YHWH, I beseech You, save my life!" Gracious is the YHWH, and righteous; Yes, our God is compassionate.</p>
JESUS IS THE NAME ABOVE EVERY NAME	<p>Phil 2:9-10 Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,</p>
(How we live) DEMONSTRATE BELIEF IN HIS NAMES	<p>Luk 11:2 "When you pray, say: " 'Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come.</p> <p>Mar 16:17,18 And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons..they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well.</p> <p>Zech 14:9 And YHWH shall be King over all the earth: in that day shall YHWH be one, and his name one.</p>
Commandment 4	REPENT OF NOT KEEPING SABBATH HOLY
OBSERVE THE SABBATH	<p>Deu 5:12 12 "Observe the Sabbath day by keeping it holy, as the Lord your God has commanded you.</p> <p>Isa 58:13 Don't pursue your own interests on that day, but enjoy the Sabbath and speak of it with delight as the Lord's holy day.</p>
JESUS IS LORD OF THE SABBATH	<p>Mar 2:28 So the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath.</p> <p>Heb 4:1-3 God's promise of entering his rest still stands, so we ought to tremble with fear that some of you might fail to experience it..For only we who believe can enter his rest.</p>
(How we live) REPENT OF NOT KEEPING THE SABBATH	<p>Isa 56:6-7 all who keep the Sabbath without desecrating it and who hold fast to my covenant these I will bring to my holy mountain and give them joy in my house of prayer.</p>

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Commandment 5	REPENT OF DISHONORING PARENTS & AUTHORITY FIGURES
HONOR YOUR FATHER & MOTHER	Deu 5:16 Honor your father and mother, as the Lord your God commanded you. Then you will live a long, full life in the land the Lord your God is giving you. Col 3:20 Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord.
JESUS OBEYED HIS FATHER	Joh 5:19 Jesus gave them this answer: "I tell you the truth, the Son can do nothing by himself; he can do only what he sees his Father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does.
(How we live) RENOUNCE DISOBEYING AUTHORITY	Heb 13:17 Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. Rev 2:26 To all who are victorious, who obey me to the very end, To them I will give authority over all the nations.
Commandment 6	REPENT OF MURDER & ANGER
SOW SEEDS OF LIFE NOT DEATH	Deu 5:17 You shall not murder. Mal 2:16 I hate a man's covering himself with violence as well as with his garment," says the LORD Almighty. James 1:20 because human anger does not produce the righteousness that God desires.
JESUS DIED IN OUR PLACE	1John 3:16 This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. We ought to lay down our lives for our brothers. Rom 12:9 ..Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. Be devoted to one another in brotherly love..
(How we live) HATE ANGER, LOVE SELF-CONTROL	Mat 5:21 You have heard that it was said .., Do not murder, and anyone who murders will be subject to judgment. But I tell you that anyone who is angry with his brother will be subject to judgment. 1John 3:15 Anyone who hates another brother or sister is really a murderer at heart. And you know that murderers don't have eternal life within them.

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Commandment 7	REPENT OF UNFAITHFULNESS
<p>GOD LOVES FAITHFULNESS</p>	<p>Deu 5:18 You shall not commit adultery.. Rom 1:24 God gave them over in the sinful desires of their hearts to sexual impurity for the degrading of their bodies with one another. They exchanged the truth about God for a lie...</p>
<p>JESUS IS FAITHFUL</p>	<p>Eph 5:25 Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word. Psa 97:10 Let those who love the LORD hate evil</p>
<p>(How we live) HATE SEXUAL SIN, LOVE PURITY</p>	<p>Mat 5:28 But I tell you that anyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart. 1Thes 4:7 For God did not call us to be impure, but to live a holy life.</p>
Commandment 8	REPENT OF STEALING & SQUANDERING, POOR STEWARDSHIP
<p>STEALING VS STEWARDSHIP</p>	<p>Deu 5:19 You shall not steal. Isa 61:8 For I, the LORD, love justice; I hate robbery and iniquity. Luke 16:10 "He who is faithful in a very little thing is also faithful in much; and he who is dishonest in a very little thing is also dishonest in much.</p>
<p>JESUS OWNS IT ALL</p>	<p>Mat 6:33 But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Mat 25:34 Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world.</p>
<p>(How we live) HATE STEALING, LOVE GIVING</p>	<p>Luk 6:38 Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you." Mat 25:29 To those who use well what they are given, even more will be given, and they will have an abundance. But from those who do nothing, even what little they have will be taken away. Now throw this useless servant into outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'</p>

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Commandment 9	REPENT OF LYING, FALSE WITNESS, GOSSIP
TRUTH VS. LIES	<p>Deu 5:20 You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.</p> <p>Psa 101:7 I will not allow deceivers to serve in my house, and liars will not stay in my presence.</p> <p>Pro 12:17 A truthful witness gives honest testimony, but a false witness tells lies.</p> <p>Joh 8:44 For you are the children of your father the devil, and you love to do the evil things he does. He was a murderer from the beginning. He has always hated the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he lies, it is consistent with his character; for he is a liar and the father of lies.</p>
JESUS TESTIFIES TO THE TRUTH	<p>Joh 18:37 You are right in saying I am a king. In fact, for this reason I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone on the side of truth listens to me.</p> <p>John 17:17 Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth.</p> <p>Psa 119:60 The sum of Your word is truth, And every one of Your righteous ordinances endures forever.</p> <p>John 8:31 Jesus said to the people who believed in him, "You are truly my disciples if you remain faithful to my teachings. And you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."</p>
(How we live) HATE LYING, BEARING FALSE WITNESS	<p>1John 4:20 If someone says, "I love God," but hates a fellow believer, that person is a liar; for if we don't love people we can see, how can we love God, whom we cannot see? And he has given us this command: Those who love God must also love their fellow believers.</p> <p>Eph 4:25 "Therefore each of you must put off falsehood and speak truthfully to your neighbor, for we are all members of one body."</p> <p>Rev 21:8 "But cowards, unbelievers, the corrupt, murderers, the immoral, those who practice witchcraft, idol worshipers, and all liars—their fate is in the fiery lake of burning sulfur. This is the second death."</p>
Commandment 10	REPENT OF COVETING
LUST & COVETING	<p>Deu 5:21 You must not covet your neighbor's wife. You must not covet your neighbor's house or land, male or female servant, ox or donkey, or anything else that belongs to your neighbor.</p>
JESUS IS OUR HEARTS DESIRE	<p>Luk 10:27 Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind'; and, Love your neighbor as yourself.</p>
(How we live) HATE COVETING, LOVE CONTENTMENT	<p>Jam 4:2 You want something but don't get it. You kill and covet, but you cannot have what you want. You quarrel and fight.</p> <p>1Tim 6:6 But godliness with contentment is great gain</p>