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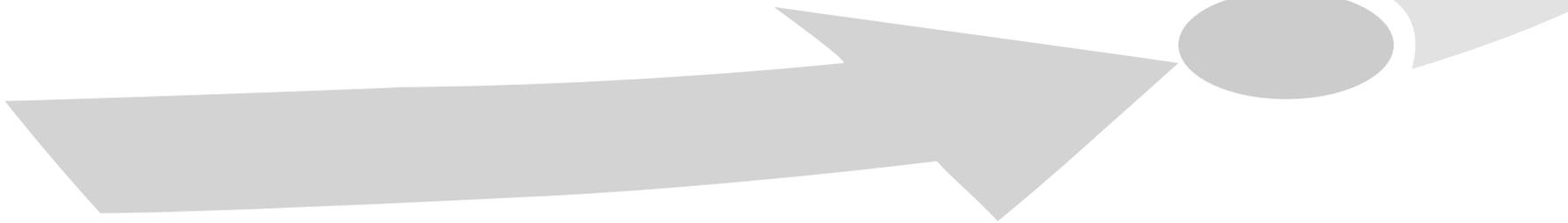


FACTS  HOPE

His Place – My Peace



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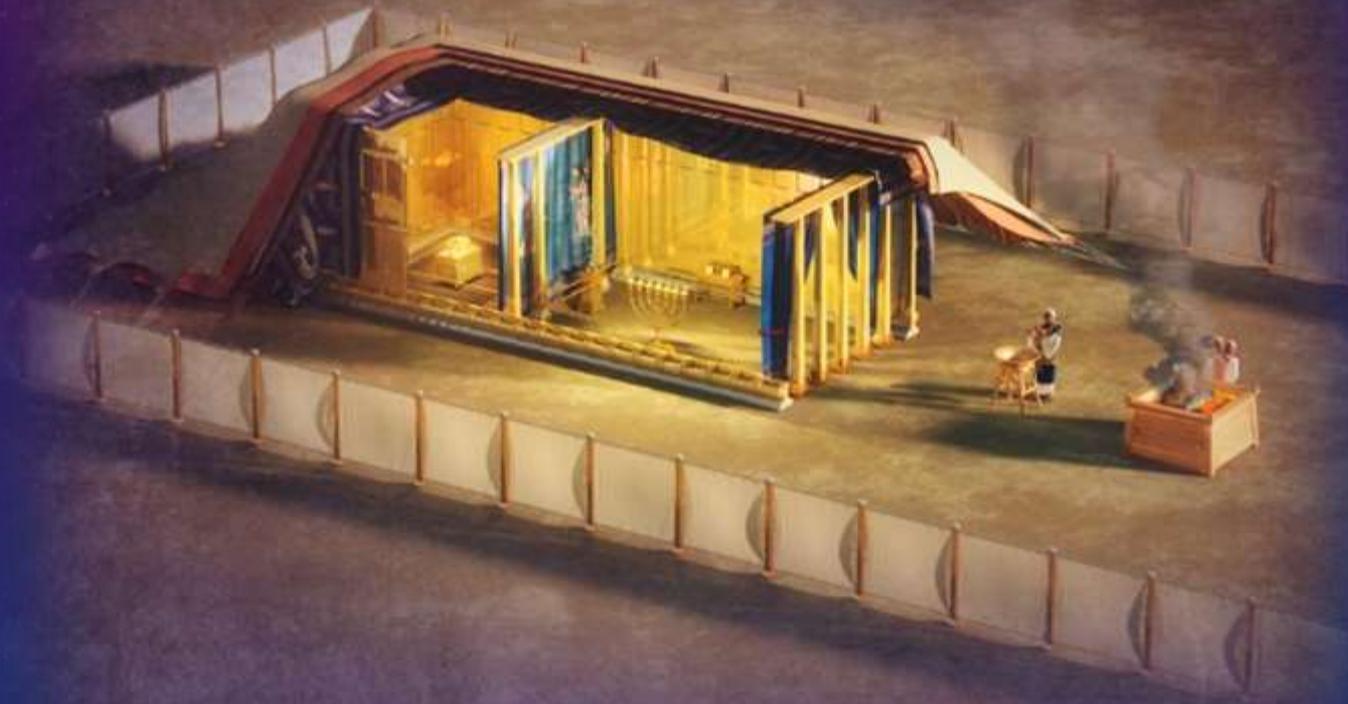


THE GARDEN OF EDEN

PRESENCE – PLACE - PURPOSE



“And let them make me a sanctuary;
that I may dwell among them”
(Exodus 25:8)



“I was glad when they said to me, ‘Let us go into the house of the LORD’” (Psalm 122:1).



Most Holy Place

Holy Place

Courtyard



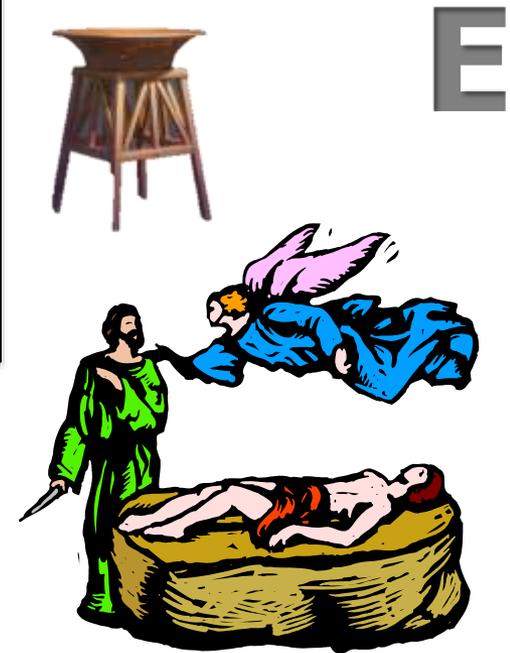
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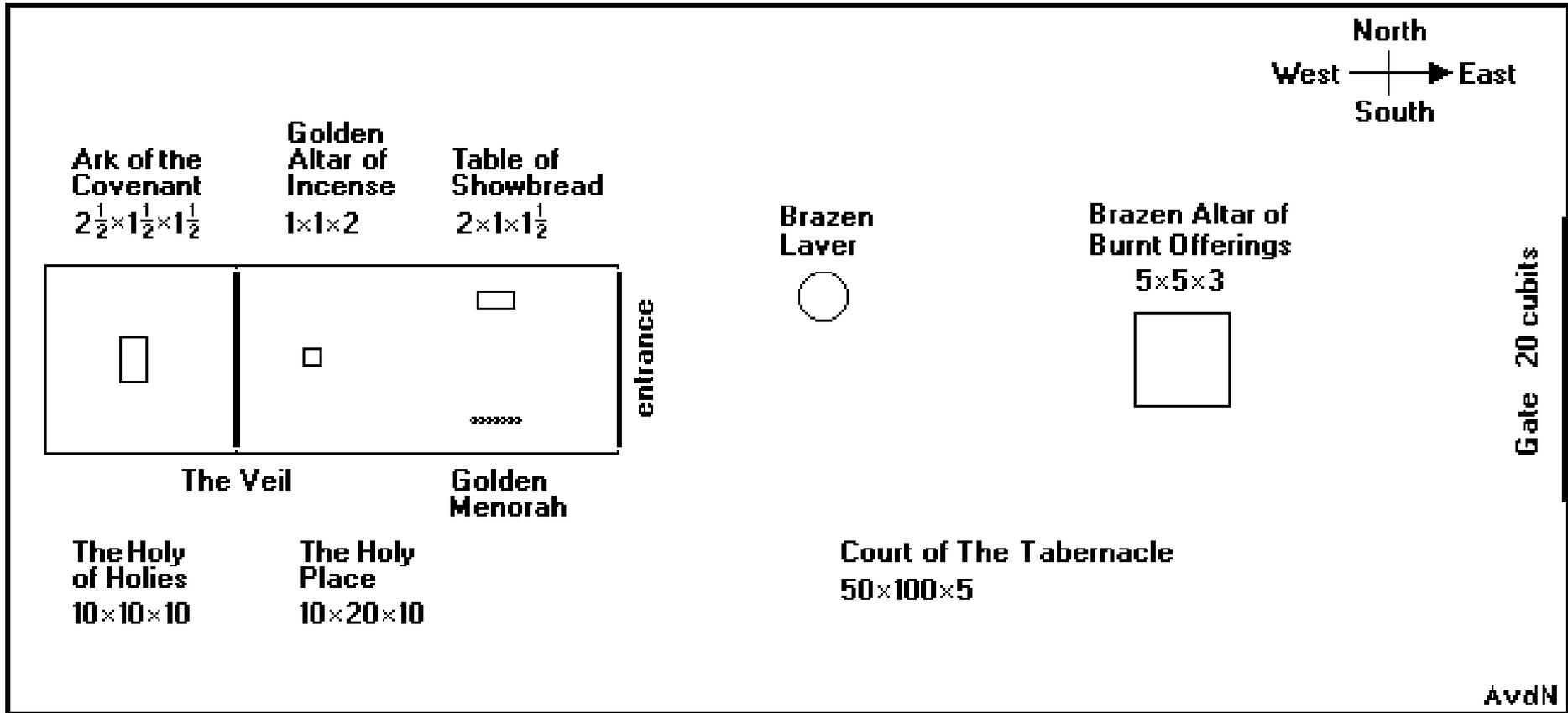
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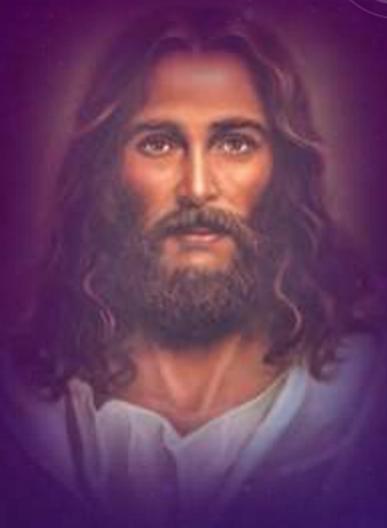
Judgment

Righteousness

Salvation







JOHN 1:14

“And the Word was made flesh,
and dwelt among us, (and we
beheld his glory, the glory as of
the only begotten of the Father,)
full of grace and truth.”



The Altar of Sacrifice



God would rather have
your sins in His house
than in your heart.





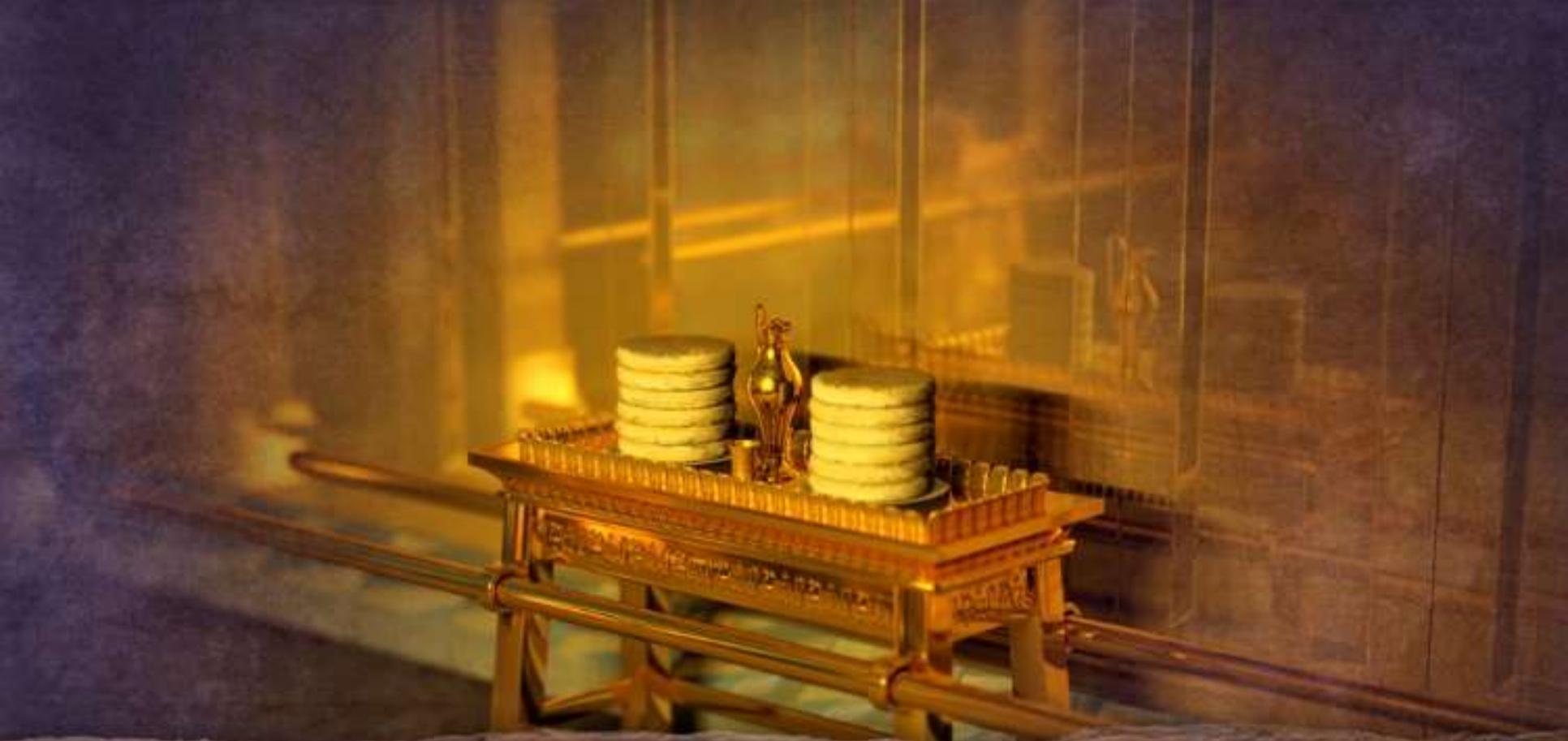
The Laver



The Holy Place



The Golden Lampstand
Menorah



The Table of Showbread “Bread of the Presence”

A close-up photograph of a golden incense burner. The burner has a tiered, ornate top with a central opening where a small amount of incense is burning, producing a thin wisp of white smoke that rises into the air. The burner is supported by a central stem and two horizontal bars that extend outwards. The background is a dark, textured blue surface, possibly a curtain or wall, with some faint, colorful patterns visible. The lighting is warm and focused on the burner, creating a sense of reverence and atmosphere.

The Altar of Incense
Revelation 5:8 = Prayer!



The Inner Veil

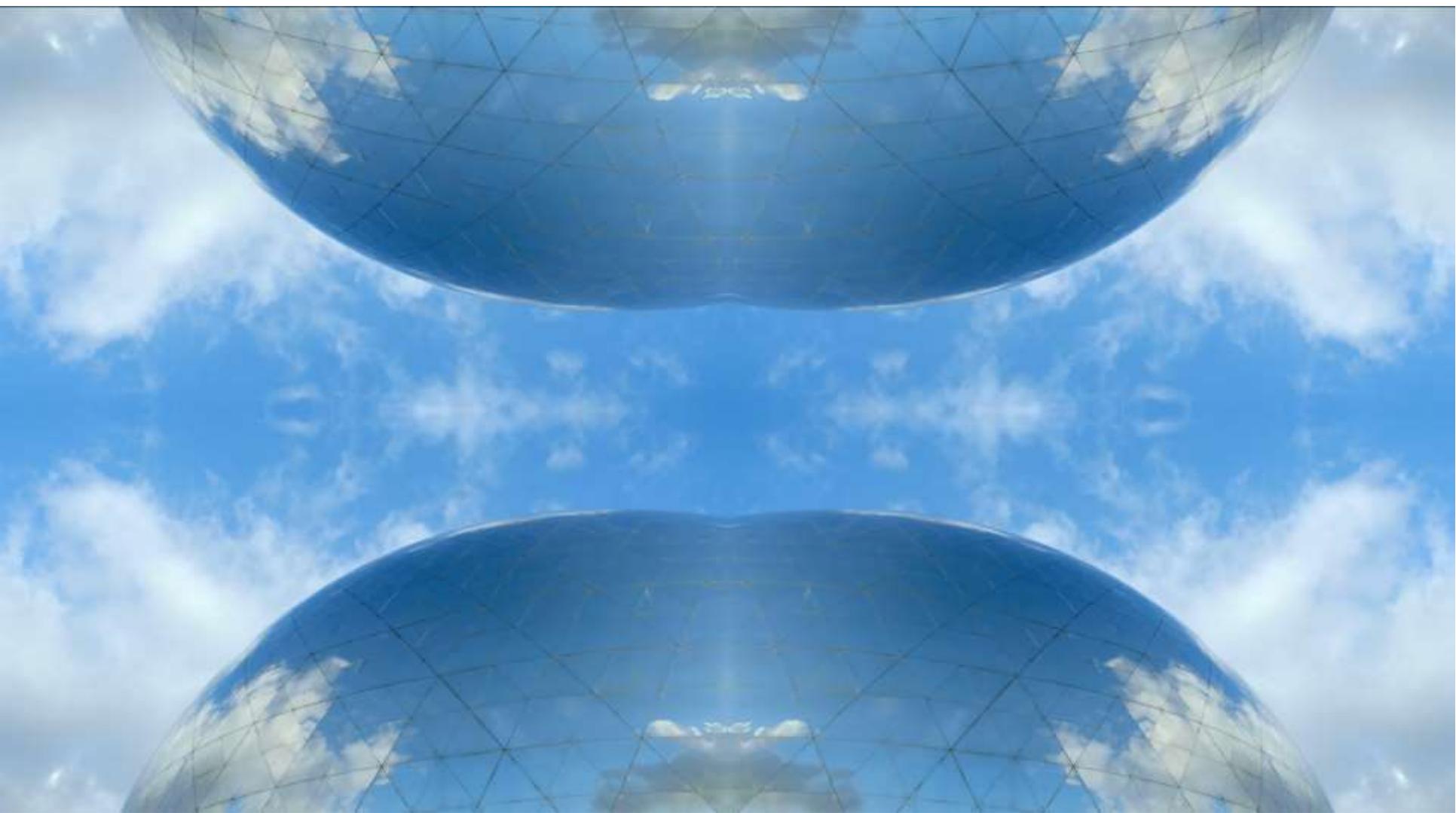


The Ark of the Covenant



The Law of God

God	Attribute	Law
Lk 18:19	Good	1 Tim 1:8
Isa 5:16	Holy	Rom 7:12
Matt 5:48	Perfect	Ps 19:7
1 Jn 3:2-3	Pure	Ps 19:8
Deut 32:4	Just	Rom 7:12
Jn 3:33	True	Ps 19:9
1 Cor 10:4	Spiritual	Rom 7:14
Jer 23:6	Righteousness	Ps 119:172
1 Cor 1:9	Faithful	Ps 119:86
1 Jn 4:8	Love	Rom 13:10
Jas 1:17	Unchangeable	Matt 5:18
Gen 21:33	Eternal	Ps 111:7-8



The Law Reflects the Law-Giver

The Law: The Character of God



Ex 33:21-23: “And the LORD said, “Here is a place by Me, and you shall stand on the rock. ²² “So it shall be, while My glory passes by, that I will put you in the cleft of the rock, and will cover you with My hand while I pass by. ²³ “Then I will take away My hand, and you shall see My back; but My face shall not be seen.”



Ex 34:1: “And the LORD said to Moses, “Cut two tablets of stone like the first ones, and I will write on *these* tablets the words that were on the first tablets which you broke.”

The Ten Commandments

Written by God (Exodus 31:18)

10: Exodus 34:28

2 tablets: Deut 4:13 (Mt 22:37-40)

1-3 Thou shalt not

4-5 Thou shalt *Father -- father*

6-10 Thou shalt not

Grace in the Law: Exodus 20:1-2

“And God spoke all these words, saying:

“I am the LORD your God, **RELATIONSHIP**

who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.” **RESCUE**

“Do not . . .”

RULES

You and the Law . . .

- ▶ Other gods?
- ▶ Graven images?
- ▶ His name?
- ▶ Sabbath?
- ▶ Father and Mother?
- ▶ Murder?
- ▶ Adultery?
- ▶ Theft?
- ▶ Lying?
- ▶ Covet?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

True or False?

“Christians are under grace, not under the law.”

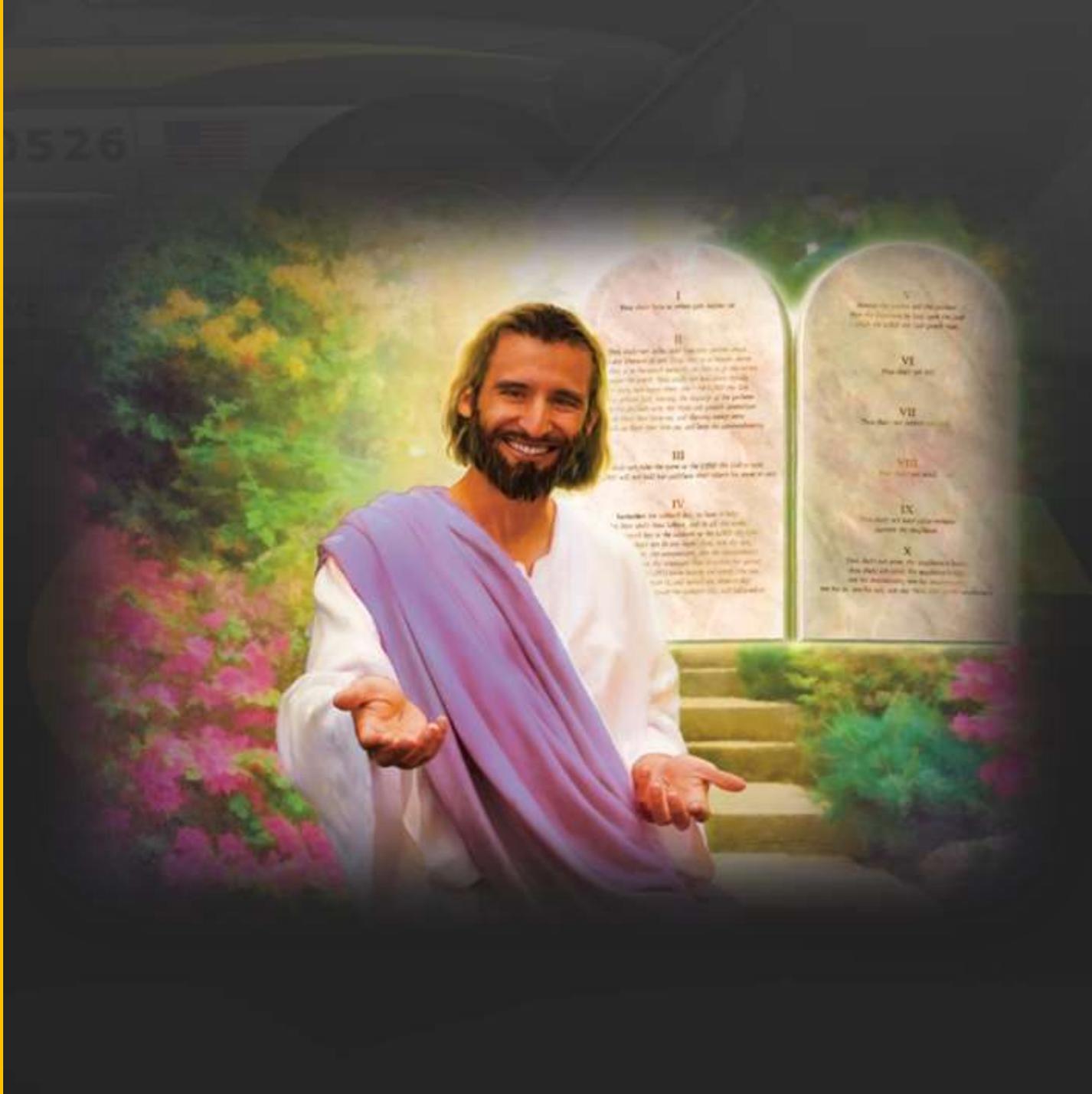
“As a Christian, do I still have to keep the law?”



Matthew 5:17-18



"Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets. I have not come to abolish these things but to fulfill them. 18 I tell you the truth, until heaven and earth pass away not the smallest letter or stroke of a letter will pass from the law until everything takes place."



Romans 3:31

“Do we then make void the law through faith? Certainly not! On the contrary, we establish the law.”

GOD

- 1: Do not worship any other gods
- 2: Do not make any idols
- 3: Do not misuse the name of God
- 4: Keep the Sabbath holy

MAN

- 5: Honour your father & mother
- 6: Do not murder
- 7: Do not commit adultery
- 8: Do not steal
- 9: Do not lie
- 10: Do not covet



WAL*MART

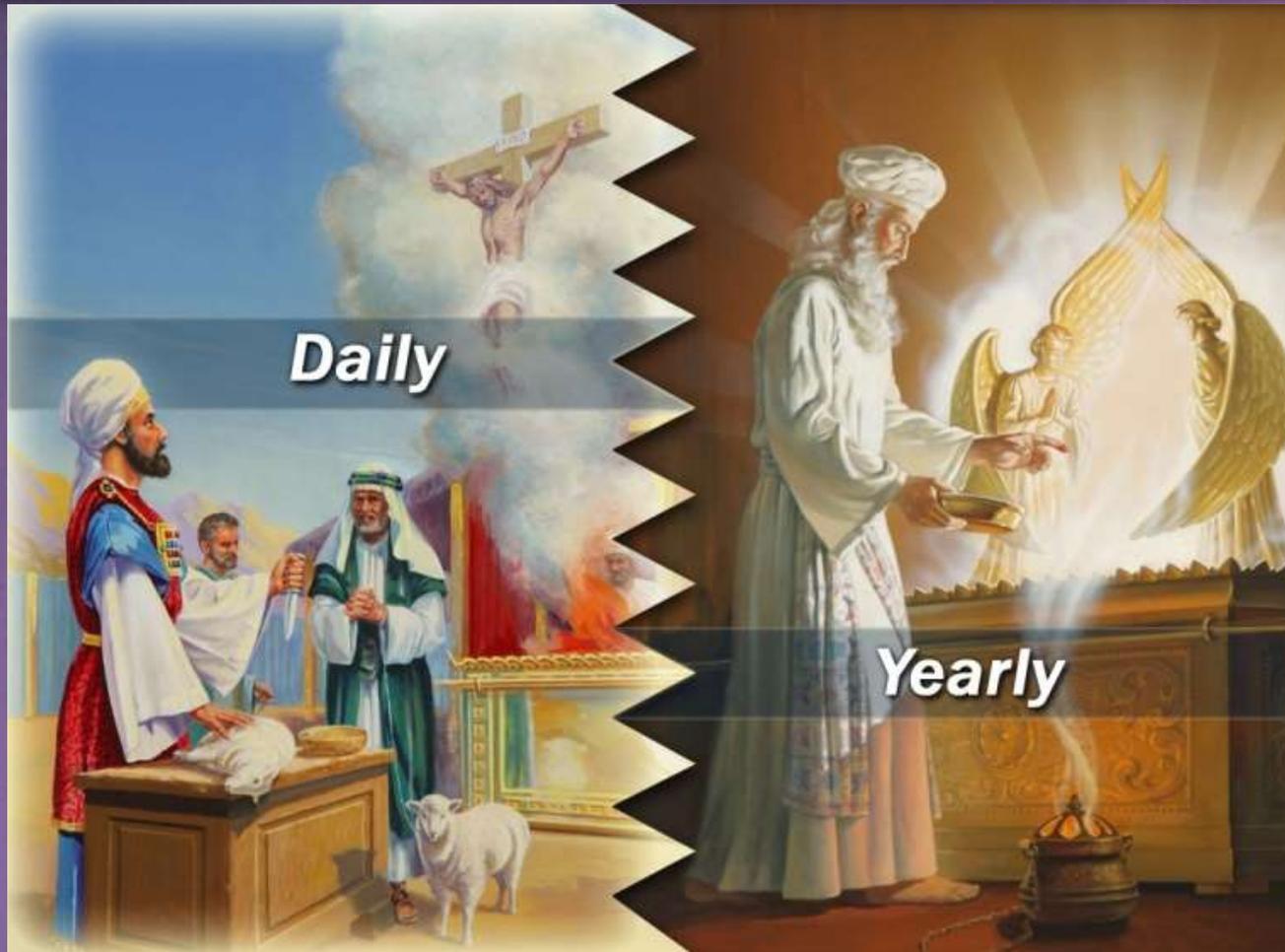


Real Question?

Is the Law in your heart? Is it?



2-phase ministry



LEVITICUS 16:31

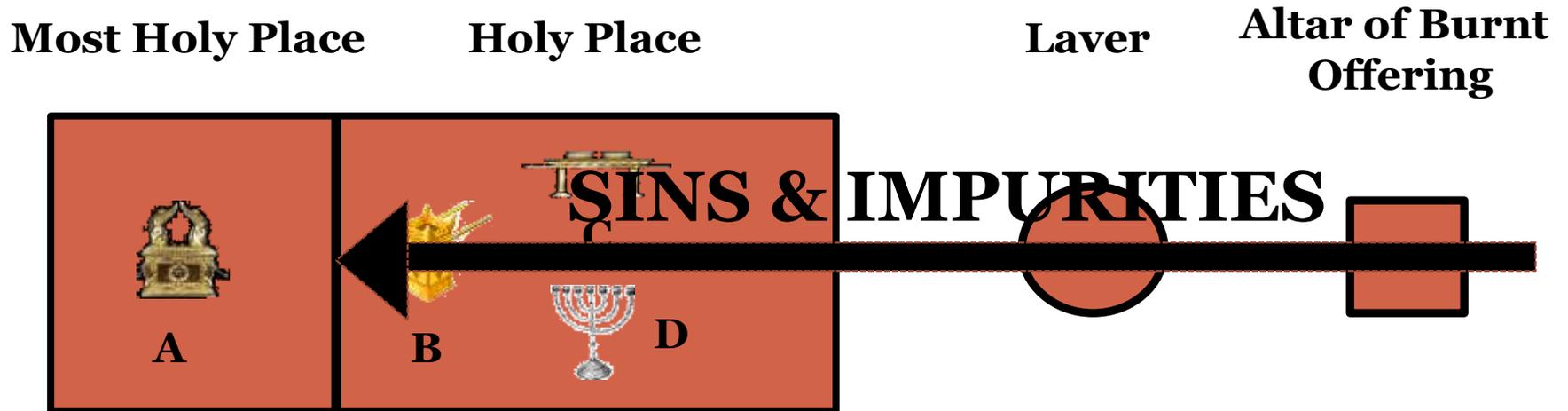
“It *shall be* a sabbath of rest unto you, and ye shall afflict your souls, by a statute for ever.”



Azazel ~ the Scapegoat

Two Phases of the Atonement

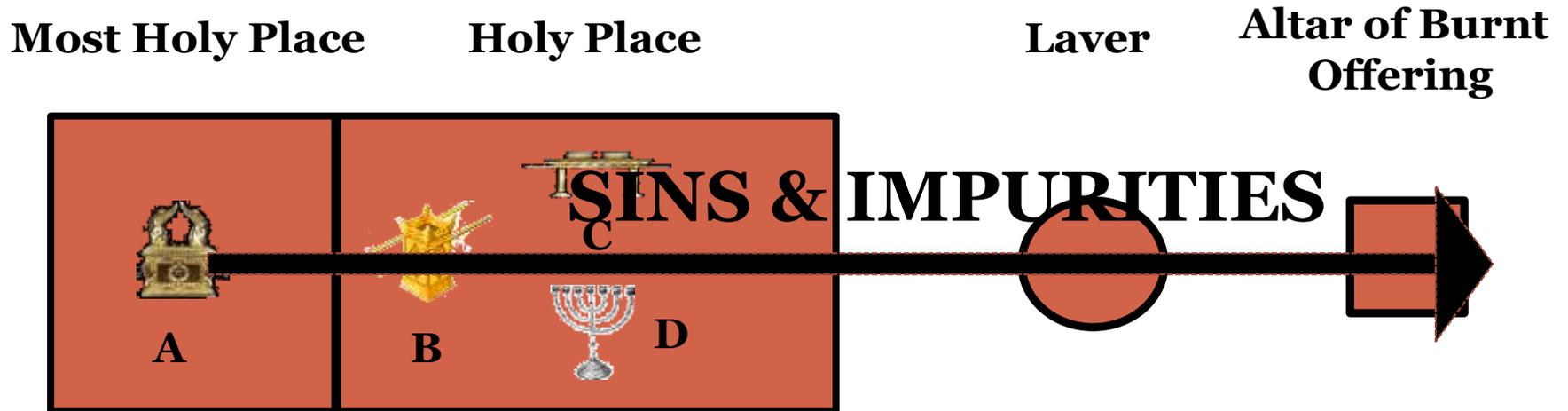
Phase 1: Daily Sacrifices, Etc.



- A – Ark of the Covenant
- B – Altar of Incense
- C – Table of Shewbread
- D – Lamp (Menorah)

Two Phases of the Atonement

Phase 2: Day of Atonement

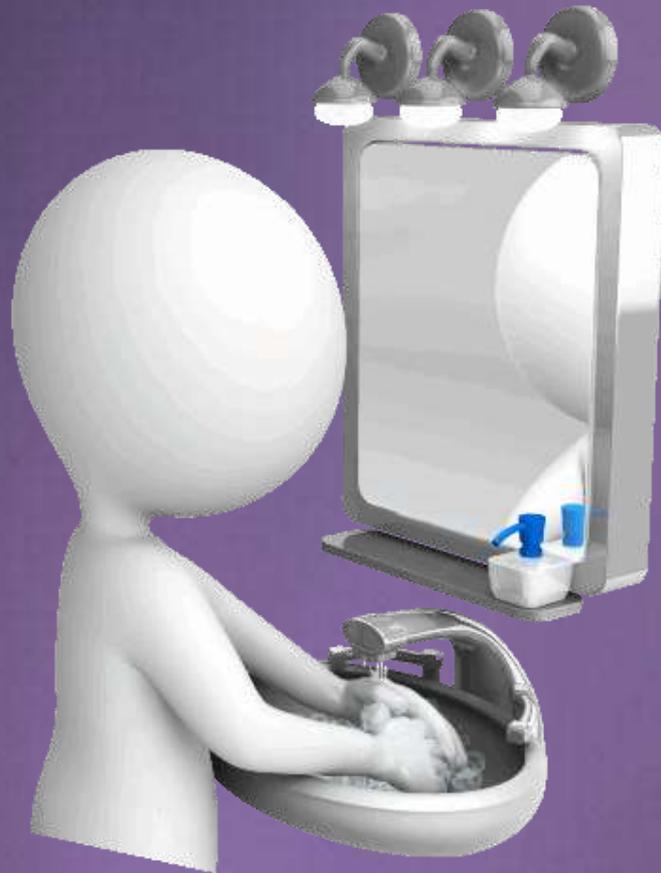


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Jesus cleansing the temple

Clean Place ~ Clean People



Cleansed.

Cured.

Matthew 21:12-14



1 John 1:9

“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and **just** to forgive us *our* sins, and to **cleanse** us from all unrighteousness.”



Hebrews 8:1-2



“Now of the things which we have spoken this is the sum: We have such an high priest, who is set on the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in the heavens; ² A minister of the sanctuary, and of the true tabernacle, which the Lord pitched, and not man.”

Κεφάλαιον *main thing, sum of money, head, main point*





From Daniel 7



**The Ancient of Days,
multitudes before Him**

Books



OT: Ex 32:32-33; Ps 56:8; 69:28;
109:14; 139:16; Neh 13:14; Isa 4:3;
Mal 3:16; Dan 12:1

NT: Phil 4:3; Revelation 7x: 3:5; 13:8;
17:8; 20:12, 15; 21:27; 22:19

2 Corinthians 5:10

“For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ; that every one may receive the things *done in his* body, according to that he hath done, whether *it be* good or bad.”

Psalm 1:5

“Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.”



Investigation





ORIGINS

“Adam, Where art thou?!”



Matthew 22:11

“And when the king came in to see the guests, he saw there a man which had not on a wedding garment.”



Tried and True

The Principle of
Investigation:

Job 23:10; Ps 7:9; 11:4-
5; 51:4; Prov 17:3; Eccl
12:14; Jer 17:10; Zech
13:9





What kind of metal are you made of?

Search & Rescue

1 Chron 28:9: “And thou, Solomon my son, know thou the God of thy father, and serve him with a perfect heart and with a willing mind: for the LORD searcheth all hearts, and understandeth all the imaginations of the thoughts: if thou seek him, he will be found of thee; but if thou forsake him, he will cast thee off for ever.”

Heart-wrenching

1 Chron 29:17: “I know also, my God, that thou triest the heart, and hast pleasure in uprightness. As for me, in the uprightness of mine heart I have willingly offered all these things: and now have I seen with joy thy people, which are present here, to offer willingly unto thee.”

X-RAY



- Job 23:10: “But he knoweth the way that I take: *when* he hath tried me, I shall come forth as gold.”
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- Ps 7:9: “Oh let the wickedness of the wicked come to an end; but establish the just: for the righteous God trieth the hearts and reins.”

Secret.



Secret

- “For he knoweth the secrets of the heart”
(Ps 44:21)
- Ps 51:4: “Against thee, thee only, have I sinned, and done *this* evil in thy sight: that thou mightest be justified when thou speakest, *and* be clear when thou judgest” (see Rom 3:4).



Heart Check

Prov 17:3: “The fining pot *is* for silver, and the furnace for gold: but the LORD trieth the hearts.”

Ecc 12:14: “For God shall bring every work into judgment, with every secret thing, whether *it be* good, or whether *it be* evil.”

Jer 17:10: “I the LORD search the heart, *I* try the reins, even to give every man according to his ways, *and* according to the fruit of his doings.”

Zech 13:9: “And I will bring the third part through the fire, and will refine them as silver is refined, and will try them as gold is tried: they shall call on my name, and I will hear them: I will say, *It is* my people: and they shall say, The LORD *is* my God.”

Matthew 25 – The Ten Virgins

“and the door was shut”



**Heb 10:30: “The Lord shall judge his people”
(Deut 32:36)**

2 Tim 4:1, 8: “I charge *thee* therefore before God, and the Lord Jesus Christ, who shall judge the quick and the dead at his appearing and his kingdom; . . . Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.”

Abraham – Isaac (Heb 11:17!)

“By faith Abraham, when he was tried, offered up Isaac: and he that had received the promises offered up his only begotten *son*. ”

Tried with Fire



1 Peter 1:6-7: “Wherein ye greatly rejoice, though now for a season, if need be, ye are in heaviness through manifold temptations: ⁷ That the trial of your faith, being much more precious than of gold that perisheth, though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ.”

1 Peter 4:12-17

¹⁷ For the time *is come* that judgment must begin at the house of God: and if *it* first *begin* at us, what shall the end *be* of them that obey not the gospel of God?”



Jude 15

“To execute judgment upon all, and to convince all that are ungodly among them of all their ungodly deeds which they have ungodly committed, and of all their hard *speeches* which ungodly sinners have spoken against him.”

Revelation 20:4-6

“And I saw
thrones, and they
sat upon them,
and judgment was
given unto them.”



Daniel 1 – Daniel Won!

- 1:4! „Children in whom was no blemish” = investigated!
- 1:5! “that at the end thereof they might stand before the king” = to be investigated “at the end”!
- 1:6! „Now among these were . . . “ = some passed, some didn't

Daniel 1 ~ Daniel Won!

1:12-15, 18, 19-20



Investigation in Daniel

- Dan 2:2, 25, 35!
- Dan 3:3, 8, 13, 27
- Dan 4:30, 31, 37!
- Dan 5: “drink” 4x in vv 1-4, 23
- Dan 5-6: 12x “found”! Dan 5:11, 12, 27; 6:4, 4, 5, 5, 11, 22, 23
- Dan 6:25-26: 3 Angels’ Message! “all people, nations, and languages” . . . “fear God” . . . “heaven and earth”
- Dan 7: of course!
- Dan 9-11 details. God knows!
- Dan 12:1
- Dan 12:9-10!

Why?



Daniel 7 and Daniel 8 Parallel



- Babylon
- Medo-Persia
- Greece
 - 4 Kingdoms
- Rome
- Little Horn
- Judgment
- 2nd Coming

- Medo-Persia (Ram)
- Greece (Goat)
 - 4 Kingdoms
- Little Horn
- Little Horn
- Cleansing of the Sanctuary





Daniel 8:14

“And he said unto me, Unto two thousand and three hundred days; then shall the sanctuary be cleansed.”

Clean Place ~ Clean People













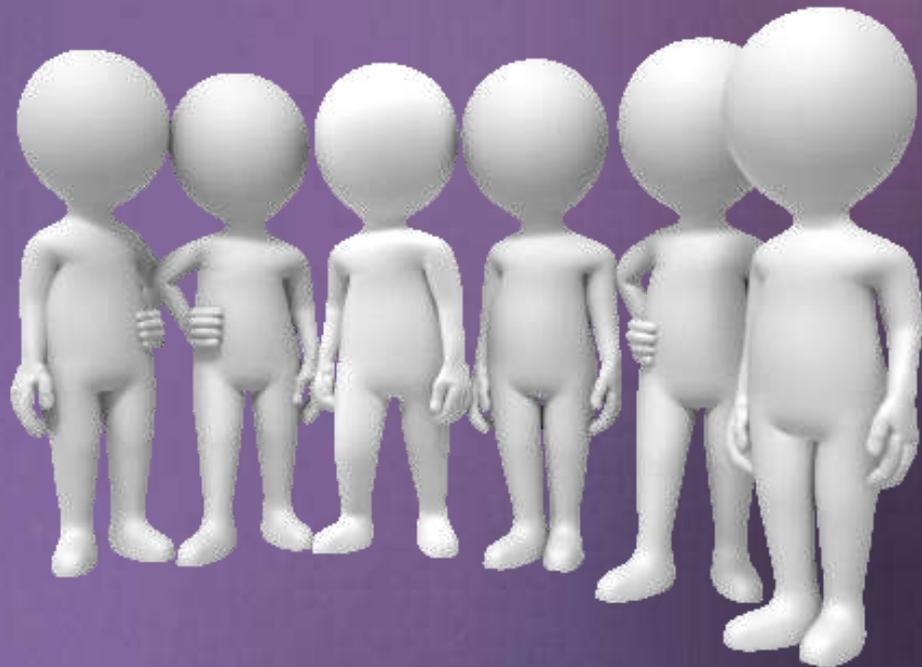
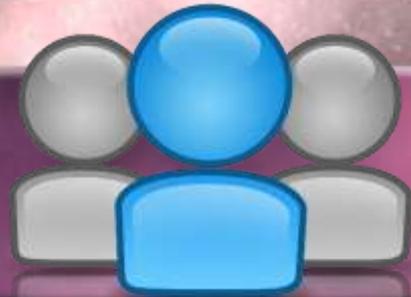
1 Corinthians 3:16-17

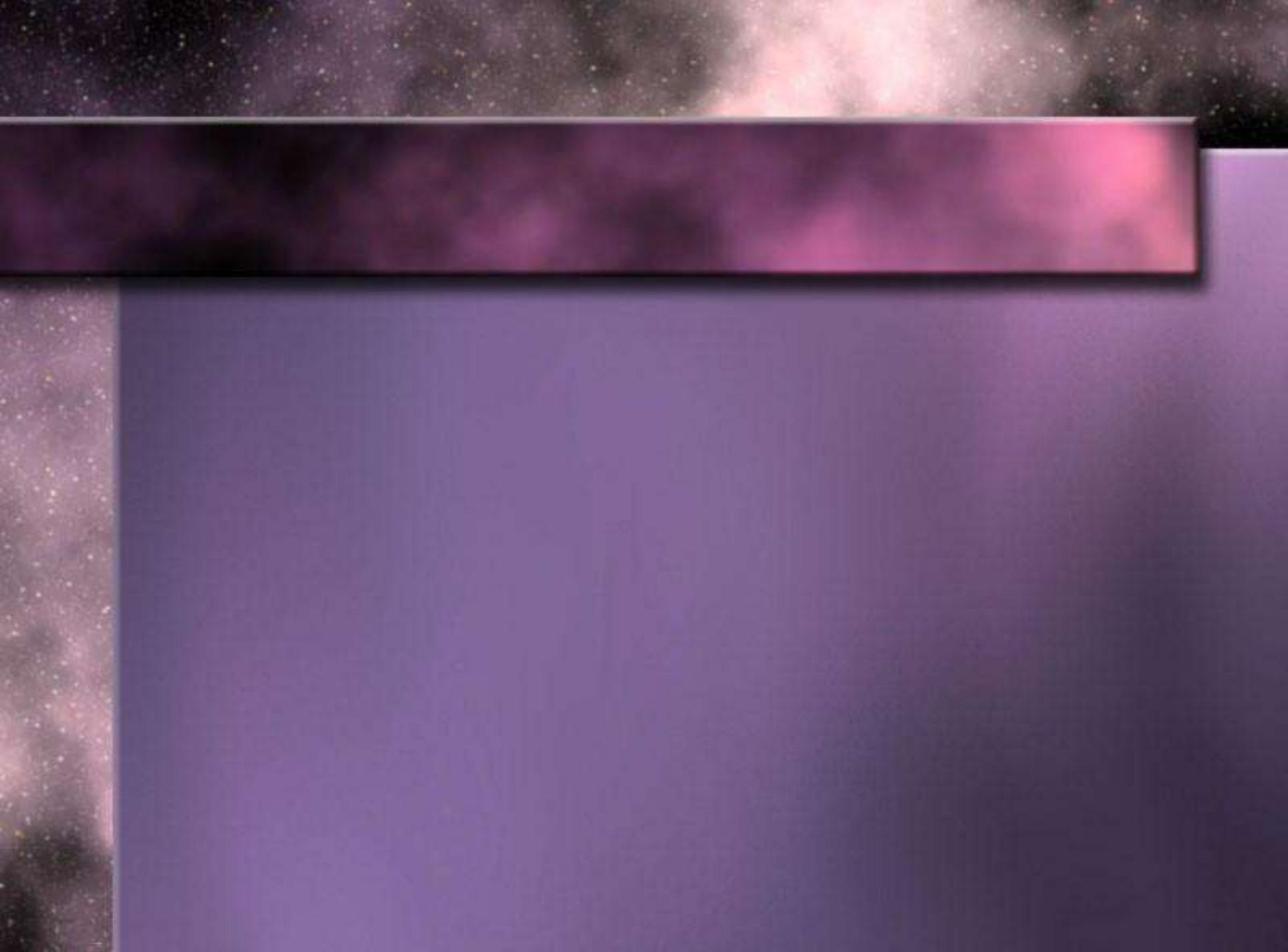
“Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and *that* the Spirit of God dwelleth in you? ¹⁷ If any man defile the temple of God, him shall God destroy; for the temple of God is holy, which *temple* ye are.”

1 Corinthians 6:19

“What? know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost *which is in you*, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own?”

You.





Let's dig into this . . . Details!



Daniel's Progression Pattern

Literal

End-Time



Local

Universal

Daniel 2: Nebuchadnezzar Investigates	Daniel 7: God Investigates
2:4b-11 4 sets of counselors “standing before king” are investigated	7:9-10 angels stand before Ancient of Days, judgment sits, books opened
2:12-13 wise men to be destroyed/killed	7:11 4 th living creature killed, body destroyed
2:14-23 Daniel asks for time 4 pray not to be destroyed with the rest of the wise men	7:12 extension of life granted to rest of living creatures for a time
2:24 Daniel to Arioch; destruction halted; Daniel before king (intercession!); declare interpretation	7:13a one like Son of man coming before king; intercession?!; declare interpretation
2:25 Arioch brings Daniel before king	7:13b Son of man before Ancient of Days

Sanctuary Language in Daniel

- **Ram, he-goat** (Dan 7:20-21): sacrificial animals
- **Horn**: horns of the altar (Lev 4:7)
- **Truth**: Dan 8:12; Mal 2:6
- **Transgression**: Dan 8:12; Lev 16:16
- **Place** (makon): Isa 4:5; 1 Kgs 8:39
- **Sanctuary** (miqdash): Lev 26:2; Ps 68:33-35
- **Sanctuary** (qodesh): Ex 30:13; Ps 68:5; Lev 16:2 . . . Most Holy Place!
- **Host**: Num 4:3, 23
- **Take away**: Dan 8:11; Lev 4:10
- **Holy Ones**: Dan 8:13 = qadosh
- **Daily**: activity in holy place
- **Prince of Hosts**: a heavenly being (Joshua 5:13-15) = sanctuary in Dan 8:9-14 = heavenly sanctuary, where the prince takes care of the tamid.

Investigation in Revelation

- Rev 1:14-17: notice the reaction of John to a Jesus He already knew!
- Rev 2-3! (3:3, 4)
- Rev 7:3; 9:4
- Rev 14:4-8, 15
- Rev 15:4: “fear”, “glory”, “all nations”, “worship”; “judgments”
- Rev 16:5-7; 17:1; 18:8, 10; 19:2
- Rev 20:4, 12

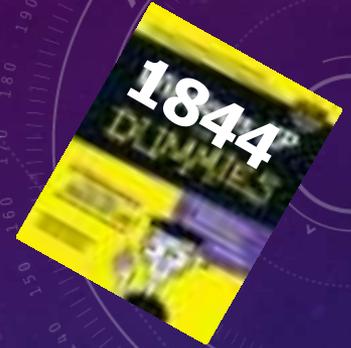
1844 FOR REST OF US . . .

Key Texts:

Galatians 4:4:

“But when the time had fully come, **Daniel 8:14**
God sent his Son . . .”

“And he said to me, “For two
thousand three hundred days;
then the sanctuary shall be
cleansed.”



1844: Perfect Timing

Heaven



Earth

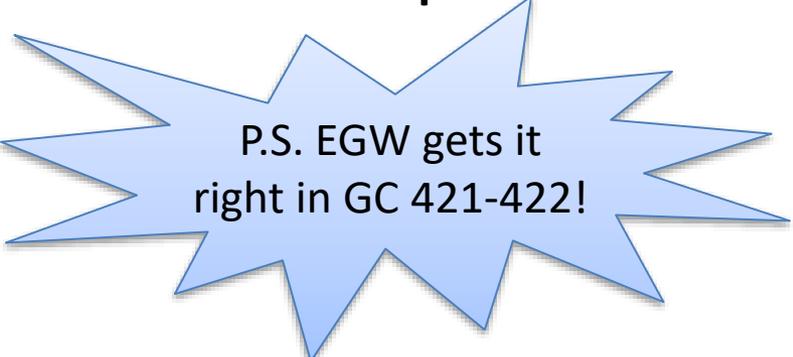
	Greek	NKJV	ESV	NIV
8:2	τῶν ἁγίων	sanctuary	holy places	sanctuary
9:1	τό ἅγιον	sanctuary	place of holiness	sanctuary
9:2	Ἅγια	sanctuary	Holy Place	Holy Place
9:3	Ἅγια Ἁγίων	Holiest of All	Most Holy Place	Most Holy Place
9:8	τῶν ἁγίων	Holiest of All	holy places	Most Holy Place
9:12	τὰ ἅγια	Most Holy Place	holy places	Most Holy Place
9:24	ἅγια	holy places	holy places	sanctuary
9:25	τὰ ἅγια	Most Holy Place	holy places	Most Holy Place
10:19	τῶν ἁγίων	Holiest	holy places	Most Holy Place
13:11	τὰ ἅγια	Sanctuary Heb	holy places	Most Holy Place 99

Inauguration, not Atonement

KJV: Neither by the blood of goats and calves, but by his own blood he entered in once into **the holy place**, having obtained eternal redemption *for us*.

NKJV: Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered **the Most Holy Place** once for all, having obtained eternal redemption.

τράγος *Tragos*: not in Lev. 16!



P.S. EGW gets it
right in GC 421-422!

DANIEL 9:24-27



"Seventy weeks have been determined concerning your people and your holy city to put an end to rebellion, to bring sin to completion, to atone for iniquity, to bring in perpetual righteousness, to seal up the prophetic vision, and to anoint a most holy place. **25 So know and understand: From the going forth of the message to restore and rebuild Jerusalem until an anointed one, a prince arrives, there will be a period of seven weeks and sixty-two weeks.** It will again be built, with plaza and moat, but in distressful times. **26 Now after the sixty-two weeks, an anointed one will be cut off and have nothing.** As for the city and the sanctuary, the people of the coming prince will destroy them. But his end will come speedily like a flood. Until the end of the war that has been decreed there will be destruction. **27 He will confirm a covenant with many for one week. But in the middle of that week he will bring sacrifices and offerings to a halt.** On the wing of abominations will come one who destroys, until the decreed¹ end is poured out on the one who destroys."

!!! GC 488 !!!

“The subject of the sanctuary and the investigative judgment should be clearly understood by the people of God. . . . It is of the utmost importance that all should thoroughly investigate these subjects and be able to give an answer to everyone that asketh them a reason of the hope that is in them. . . . The intercession of Christ in man’s behalf in the sanctuary above is as essential to the plan of salvation as was His death upon the cross.”



!!! Ev 221 !!!

“The correct understanding of the ministration in the heavenly sanctuary is the foundation of our faith.”

THE CONNECTION: “UNDERSTAND”

DANIEL 8:16, 17; 9:13, 23, 25



Sanctuary Language

THE DAY-YEAR PRINCIPLE



- 1. Dominant Symbolism (every time period but the year!)
- 2. Rise and Fall of Empires = long time periods to “time of the end” (Dan 8:17)
- 3. Literal $x^{1/2} = x^{1/2}$ (2 Sam 2:11; Lk 4:25; Acts 18:11; James 5:17); but Dn 7:25 “time, times, and half a time = symbolic
- 4. Daniel 7: 4 beasts = >1,000 years; conflict little horn/Most High only 3 1/2 years?! (See also Rev 12:6, 14: 1,260 days/Rev 11:2; 13:5 42 months stretch over period between 1st to 2nd Advent)
- 5. “time of the end” (8:17; 11:35, 40; 12:4, 9) = large time frame
- 6. OT: days = years (Ex 13:10; Jdg 11:40; 1 Sam 2:19; 20:6; Job 10:5; 32:7; 36:11; Ps 77:5; 90:9-10)
- 7. Numbers 14:34; Ezek 4:6
- 8. Dan 9:24-27 fulfilled; it fits by leading to “Messiah the Prince” (Dan 9:25)!
- Days = Weeks: Gen 29:27-28; Ex 34:22; Num 28:26; Deut 16:9, 10, 16; 2 Chron 8:13; Jer 5:24; Ezek 45:21; Dan 10:2
- 9. day=year principle @ Qumran
- 10. EGW.
- P.S. Jesus – Matthew 18!!!

2300 Day Prophecy

457 BC

AD 27

**69 weeks
(483 years)**

Decree



Baptism

2300 Day Prophecy

457 BC

AD 27

AD 31

483 years

3½



2300 Day Prophecy

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483 years



Baptism

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Crucifixion

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Gospel to Gentiles



2300 Day Prophecy

457 BC

AD 34

AD 1844

490 Years
(70 weeks)

1810 Years

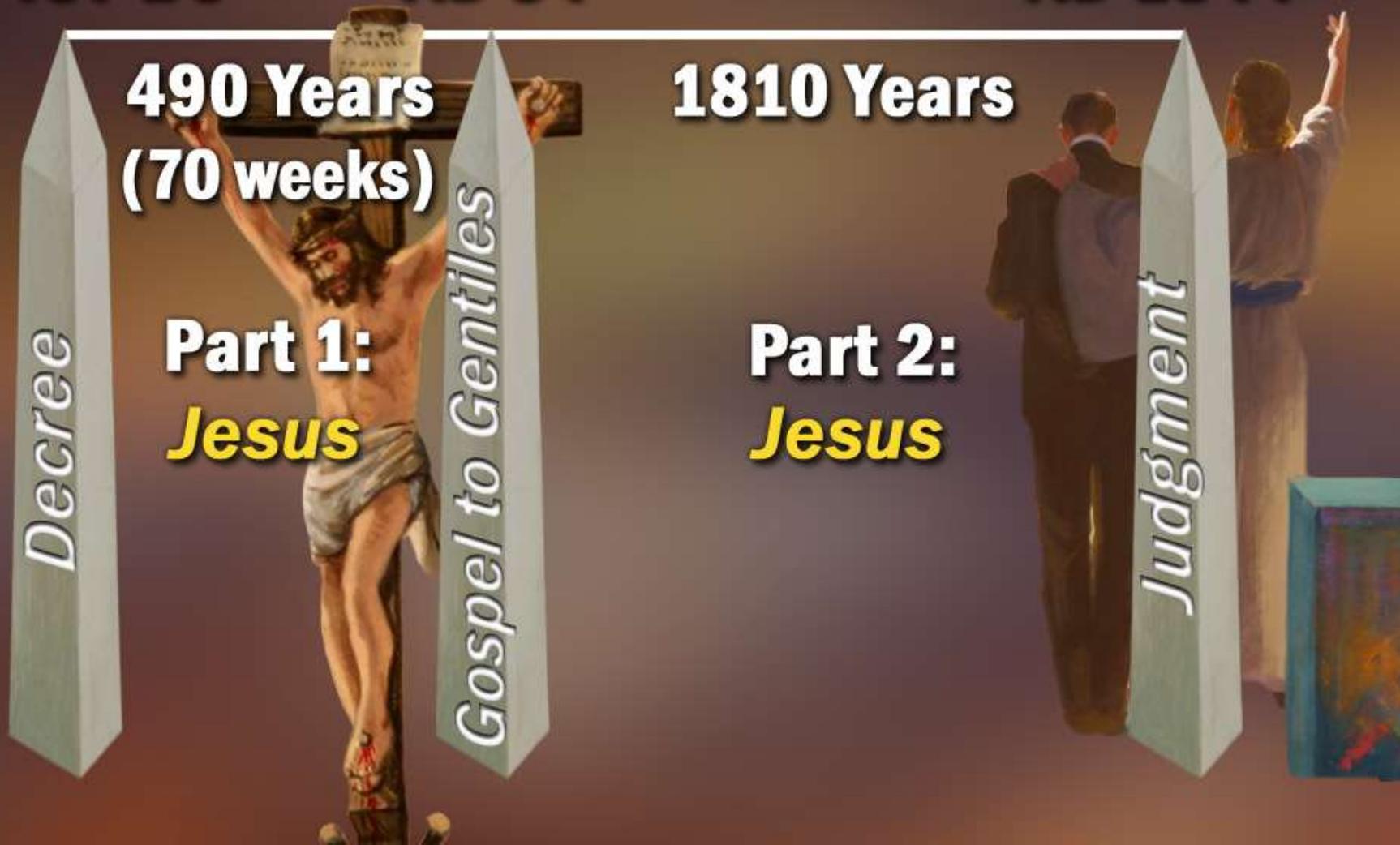
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Part 1:
Jesus

Gospel to Gentiles

Part 2:
Jesus

Judgment



2300 Years

Dan 9:26 "Messiah be cut off but not for himself"
 Isaiah 53:5 "Wounded for our transgressions"
 1 Peter 2:24 "Bare our sins"
 Luke 23:33 "They crucified Him"
 Dan 9:27 "Cause the sacrifice and oblation to cease"
 Luke 23:45 "Veil in temple was rent"

483 Years

7 Wks
 60 Wks
 + 2 Wks

 69 Wks / 483 Years

1810 Years



Dan 9:25-27



Christ's Baptism

Jewish Probation Closes



457 BC

Dan 9:24-27
 Ezra 7:11-13

27 AD

Mark 1:15
 Matt. 3:13-17
 Gal. 4:4

31 AD

1 Wk = 7 Years

34 AD

Acts 18:6, 13:45-46,
 7:54-60,
 Matt. 21:43

1844 AD

Dan 7:9-10
 Dan 8:14
 Investigative
 Judgment Begins
 in Heaven

70 Wks
 x 7 Days

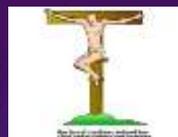
 490 Days/Years
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Daniel 8:14

"And he said unto me, unto two thousand and three hundred days; Then shall the sanctuary be cleansed."

Year / Day
 Principle:
 Ezekiel 4:6
 Leviticus 25:1-8
 Numbers 14:34
11Q13

CALCULATION OF THE DANIEL 9 PROPHECY



457 B.C. A.D. 27

31 †

34 1844

Jerusalem Baptism Cross

Stephen

7 years

490 years

$$-457 + 7 (49) + 62 (434) = 27$$

$$27 \text{ A.D.} + 3 \frac{1}{2} = 31$$

$$31 \text{ A.D.} + 3 \frac{1}{2} = 34$$

$$-457 + 2,300 = 1844$$

PROPHECY . . . WHY BOTHER?

“Understand”

Dan 8:16, 17, 27, 9:2, 13, 22, 23, 25

= 8x!

Mt 24:15:

"So when you see the abomination of desolation--spoken about by Daniel the prophet--standing in the holy place (**let the reader understand**),



- Heb 8:1

“Now the main point of what we are saying is this: We have such a high priest, one who sat down at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in Heaven . . .”

1844 . . . ANTITYPICAL DAY OF JUDGMENT

SCARED OR SECURED?



Judge = Advocate!

Sin

Salvation

Lifestyle

Daniel 7-9	Leviticus 10, 16
Judgment in favor of the saints (7:9, 10, 22) Result: Saints vindicated (7:22) Result: end of little horn power (7:26)	Judgment in favor of the saints Result: saints declared clean (16:19, 30) Result: end of Azazel
Daniel afflicts his soul (9:4-19)	Saints afflict their souls (16:29)
Confession + Intercession (9:4-19)	Confession + Intercession (16:21, 33)
Apostate Priesthood: Little horn	Apostate priesthood (10:1, 2; 16:1)
End of probation (9:26-27)	16:20-22; 23:29
What happens to little horn, happens to Satan (7:11, 21)	What happens to representatives of Satan and false priesthood happens to Satan and all those who are lost (10:2) – outside the camp!
Probationary time limited	Probationary time limited

Daniel 8:14

Daniel 8:10 vertical dimension

- “evening morning” = reminder of creation
(consistent OT sequence: Num 28:4; 2 Kgs 16:15;
1 Chron 16:40; 2 Chron 2:4; 13:11; 31:3; Ez 3:3).
- Lev 23:32 “from evening to evening”: context:
Day of Atonement!

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judgment in one's favor: Gen 38:26; 44:16; Deut 25:1; 2 Sam 15:4; 1 Kings 8:32; Ps 51:4 [Heb. V6]; Isa 5:23; 43:9, 26).

Is “cleansed” a proper translation?!

Poetic parallelism with *taher*: “Shall mortal man be more just than God? shall a man be more pure than his maker” (Job 4:17; see also 17:9)? The term *taher* is also used in Lev 16:19, 30 (Day of Atonement).

- Parallel with *zakah* (pure, clean): Ps 51:4; Job 15:14; 25:4.
- Parallel with *bor* (purity): 18:20

Septuagint (LXX) Dn 8:14

καθαρισθήσεται

katharisthesetai

= cleansed

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a sanctuary term: Ps 4:1, 5; 7:8-9; 11:7;
15:1-2!; 17:1; 24:3-6; 32:1, 5, 11; 35:24-
25; 51:19; 118:19; 132:9; Deut 26:13-15.

Levitical parallel: cleanness: Lev 13:46;
14:1-20; 16:16, 30!