

TABERNACLE OF THE LORD

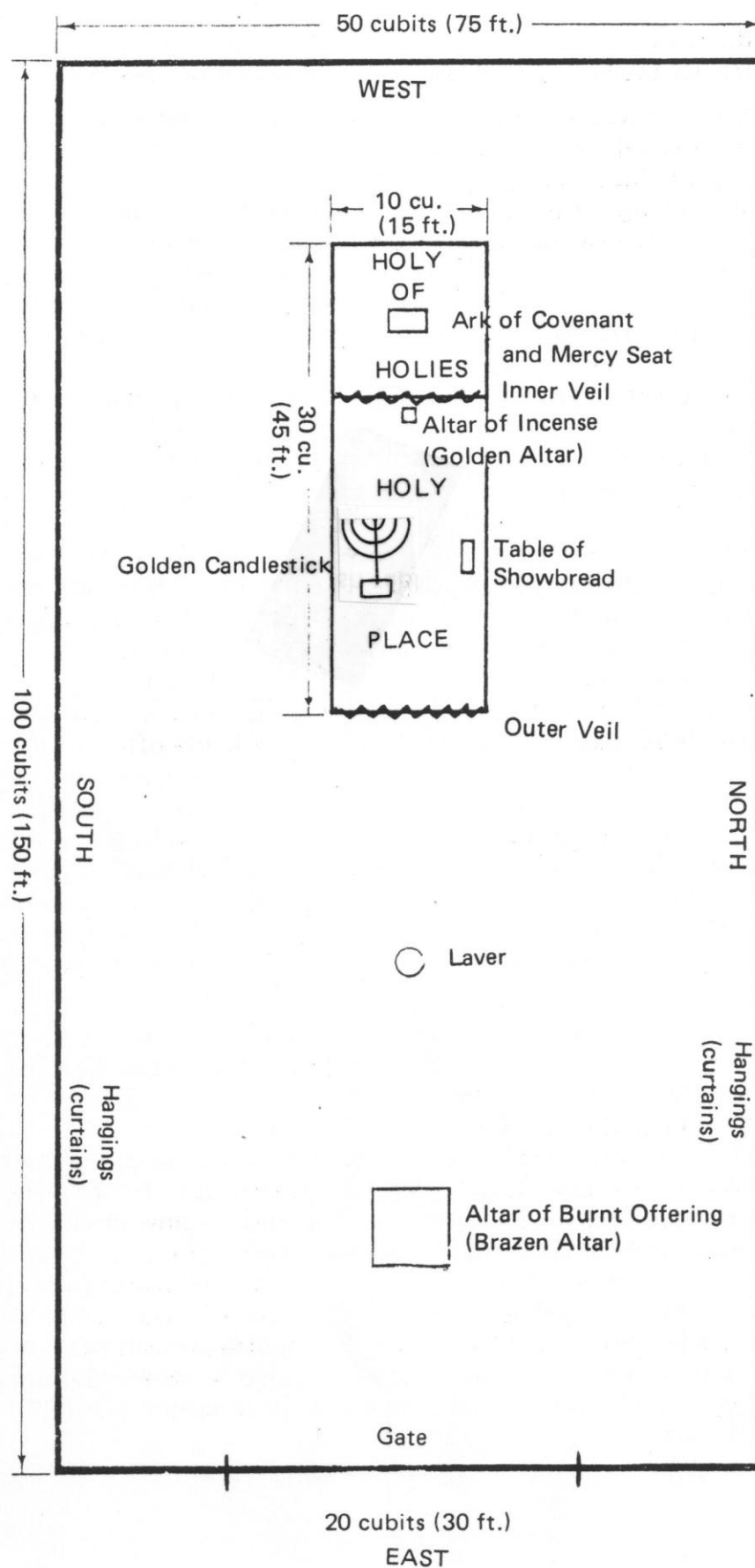
Introduction: The LORD is present everywhere, but He chose to localize His presence in a tabernacle on earth. The pattern for the tabernacle was shown to Moses on Mt. Sinai. It was primarily symbolic of Jesus Christ who later came to dwell among His people, not in a tent, but in a human body.

Lesson Aim To see the symbolism of Christ in the tabernacle, which was fulfilled when He dwelt on earth in His body and now dwells in believers in the Holy Spirit.

Verse: "The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us . . . full of grace and truth" (Jn 1:14).

Questions to Answer (NOTICE that the questions begin with a review from Exodus 25) :

1. What did the LORD tell Moses to make when he was with Him in Mt. Sinai? 25:8-9
2. What furniture was Moses to make that would be put in the tent of the tabernacle? 25:10-39
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.
3. How did Moses know how to make everything that the LORD wanted? 25:9, 40
4. Describe the beauty of the first covering that was put on the tent of the tabernacle? 26:1
5. Give the dimensions of each of the ten curtains that covered the tent (a cubit is 18 inches)? 26:2
6. How many different coverings were on the tent? 26:1, 7, 14
7. How large were the boards (frames) that were the walls of the tent (1 cubit = 18")? 26:16
8. How were the boards (frames) held together? 26:19, 26-28
9. What kind of wood was used in making the tabernacle and its furniture? 26:15, 26
10. What metal was used in the interior of the tabernacle and its furniture? 25:11, 17, 24, 28, 31; 26:29
11. What was made of wood and covered with bronze (brass) for use outside of the tent? 27:1-2
12. What furniture was made of wood and gold and another of bronze, but neither was mentioned until later? 30:1-5, 17-21
13. Describe the veil that separated the Holy Place from the Most Holy Place? 26:31, 33
14. What was the first object for worship in the courtyard of the tabernacle? 27:1-8
15. What were the dimensions of the courtyard of the tabernacle? 27:18
16. What was engraved on the two stones put on the shoulders of Aaron's ephod? 28:9-10
17. Why did Aaron have these stones on his shoulders? 28:12
18. What was the special function of the breastplate that Aaron wore? 28:(15-28) 29
19. What was placed on the breastplate to fulfill that function? 28:30
20. Why did Aaron wear a mitre (a holy headdress) on his forehead? 28:36-38



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