



Exodus

COVENANT WORSHIP

Exodus 25:1-27:21

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Covenant Worship (Exodus 25:1-31:18; 35:1-39:43)

Exodus 25-31 contains specific instructions from God to Moses concerning the construction of the Tabernacle. After a brief historical interruption, Exodus 35 commences with the actual implementation of the construction of the Tabernacle. Exodus 39 ends with the completion of the project. These two sections of Scripture are highly repetitive but have enough nuance to merit examination separately.

Preparing the People (Exodus 25:1-9)

God invited His people to join in the construction of the Tabernacle. They were to provide the materials necessary, and the craftsmen were to follow God's directives specifically. Three principles emerge from this section:

1. God's people are to give voluntarily to the work of God.
2. God desires to be present among His people.
3. God's people are to obey God's commands.

Preparing the Materials

- The Ark of the Covenant (the "Chest")
- The Table
- The Lampstand
- The Tabernacle Itself
- The Altar of Burnt Offering
- The Courtyard
- Oil for the Lampstand