



THE MESSIAH AND THE TABERNACLE - TEMPLES

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2. God leads the people through the wilderness.
3. Preparing to meet God
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 - a. Altar & twelve pillars
 - b. Tent of Meeting

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1. Tabernacle
2. sanctuary
3. tent
4. tent of meeting
5. tabernacle of the testimony
6. tent of the testimony

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 - ii. The Holy Place
 - iii. The Walls of the Tabernacle
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- c. ram skins
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 - c. Peace/ Fellowship Offering
 - d. Sin Offering
 - e. Guilt/ Trespass Offering

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 - a. Burnt
 - b. Grain/Meal
 - c. Peace/Fellowship
 - d. Sin
 - e. Guilt/Trespass

- f. Drink
- 4. Five Limitations of the Sacrificial System
 - a. Moral Effectiveness
 - b. Not for intentional sin
 - c. Only for the Jewish people
 - d. Only one sin per sacrifice
 - e. These offerings could not REDEEM mankind from sin.
- 5. These sacrifices achieved:
 - a. restoration of covenantal relationship with God
 - b. forgave a specific sin

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- C. The Ark Returned
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