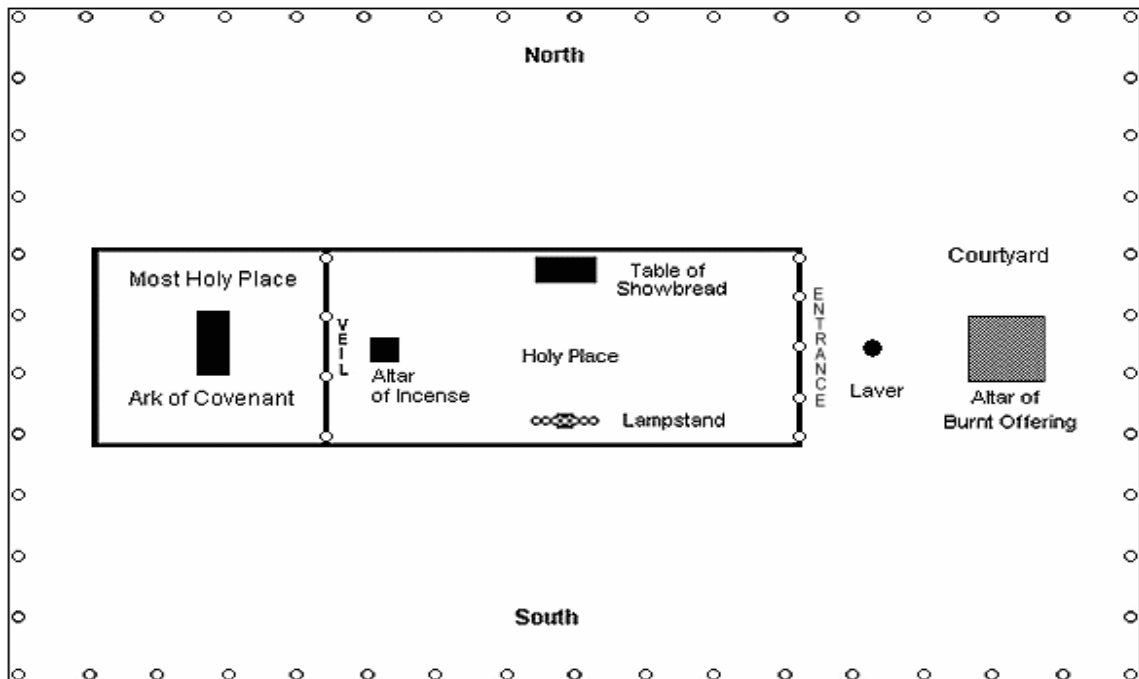




# THE TABERNACLE

## 1. Introduction

- Its was the tabernacle that Moses built for God – Ex 26
- It is very significant to us as it is full spiritual insight as God even anointed the workers to make the furniture. – Ex 28:3



## 2. Door(Gate)

- It was the only entrance into the tabernacle.
- It taught us that there is only one way to God.
- Jesus fulfilled it when He said that He was the door – Jhn 10:9
- Jesus also fulfilled it when He said that He was the Way, the Truth and the Life. The three entrances leading up to the Holy of Holies were called Way, Truth and Life – Jhn 14:6

## 3. Brazen Altar

- This is where the people had to atone for their sins once a year and would have to sacrifice an animal.
- It taught that substitution is necessary for atoning sins.
- Jesus fulfilled it when He said that He gave His life a ransom for many – Mrk 10:45

## 4. Laver

- The priests would wash themselves in it.
- It taught that purification is needed for God's presence.
- It is a type of the Bible. – Eph 5:26
- Jesus fulfilled it when He said that He had to wash the feet. – Jhn 13:8

## 5. Golden lampstands

- They lit the Holy Place (inner court).
- There was no natural light.
- It taught that illumination is needed to do God's work.
- Jesus fulfilled it when He said that He was the light of the world. – Jhn 8:12

## 6. Table of showbread

- There were 12 loaves of bread on the table.
- It taught that substance is needed for God's people both Old and New Testament.
- Jesus fulfilled it when He said that He was the bread of life – Jhn 6:48

## 7. Incense

- Incense was burnt as God had commanded.
- It taught that intercession is needed for God's people.

- Jesus fulfilled it when He said that He makes intercession for us. – Heb 7:25

#### 8. Veil

- It separated the Holy of Holies from the Holy place.
- It taught that there is a separation between God and man.
- It was fulfilled by Heb 6:19-20; 10:20 “ Behind the curtain (veil) where Jesus has gone....for us”

#### 9. Mercy seat

- It was where the blood was sprinkled once a year
- It taught that only blood can make atonement for sin
- It was fulfilled by 1 Jhn 1:7 Jesus’ blood cleanses from all sin

#### 10. AARON vs. JESUS as High Priest

<u>Aaron</u>	<u>Jesus</u>
Entered the earthly tabernacle	Entered the Heavenly temple Heb 6:19
Entered once a year	Entered once for all Heb 9:25
Entered beyond the veil	Rent the veil Heb 10:20
Offered for his own sins	Offered only for our sins Heb 7:27
Offered the blood of bulls	Offered His own blood Heb 9:12