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The Glory Of God: Receive The Gift

Exodus 25:8 - *Have the people of Israel build me a holy sanctuary so I can live among them.*

John 1:14 - *So the Word became human and made his home among us. He was full of unfailing love and faithfulness. And we have seen his glory, the glory of the Father's one and only Son.*

Hebrews 9:11-14 - *So Christ has now become the High Priest over all the good things that have come. He has entered that greater, more perfect Tabernacle in heaven, which was not made by human hands and is not part of this created world. ¹² With his own blood—not the blood of goats and calves—he entered the Most Holy Place once for all time and secured our redemption forever. ¹³ Under the old system, the blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer could cleanse people's bodies from ceremonial impurity. ¹⁴ Just think how much more the blood of Christ will purify our consciences from sinful deeds so that we can worship the living God. For by the power of the eternal Spirit, Christ offered himself to God as a perfect sacrifice for our sins.*

The New Covenant Started With The Baptism In The Holy Spirit

Matthew 3:11 - *"I baptize with water those who repent of their sins and turn to God. But someone is coming soon who is greater than I am—so much greater that I'm not worthy even to be his slave and carry his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.*

Part Of The Promise Is The Indwelling Of The Spirit

Acts 2:38 - *Peter replied, "Each of you must repent of your sins and turn to God, and be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. Then you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.*

- 1) Incense Becomes Prayer.**
- 2) Sacrifices Becomes Service.**
- 3) Priesthood Becomes The Priesthood Of Believers.**

1 Corinthians 6:20 - *for God bought you with a high price. So you must honor God with your body.*

1 Corinthians 3:16 - *Don't you realize that all of you together are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God lives in you?*

Our Outward Actions Are The Result Of Our Internal Decisions/Convictions

Jeremiah 31:31-33 - *"The day is coming," says the LORD, "when I will make a new covenant with the people of Israel and Judah. ³² This covenant will not be like the one I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand and brought them out of the land of Egypt. They broke that covenant, though I loved them as a husband loves his wife," says the LORD. ³³ "But this is the new covenant I will make with the people of Israel after those days," says the LORD. "I will put my instructions deep within them, and I will write them on their hearts. I will be their God, and they will be my people.*

1 Peter 1:15 - *But now you must be holy in everything you do, just as God who chose you is holy. ¹⁶ For the Scriptures say, "You must be holy because I am holy."*

A Holy God Will Not Abide In An Unholy Temple

Exodus 25:8-9 - *Have the people of Israel build me a holy sanctuary so I can live among them. ⁹ You must build this Tabernacle and its furnishings exactly according to the pattern I will show you.*