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## *Parashas PIKUDEI (פִּקְדוֹת) ["accounts"]*

### *Shemos/Exodus 38:21 - 40:38*

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□ **AV - number 119, visit 59, punish 31, appoint 14, commit 6, miss 6, set 6, charge 5, governor 5, lack 4, oversight 4, officers 4, counted 3, empty 3, ruler 3, overseer 3, judgment 2, misc 28; 305**

□ v 1) to attend to, muster, number, reckon, visit, punish, appoint, look after, care for 1a) (Qal) 1a1) to pay attention to, observe 1a2) to attend to 1a3) to seek, look about for 1a4) to seek in vain, need, miss, lack 1a5) to visit 1a6) to visit upon, punish 1a7) to pass in review, muster, number 1a8) to appoint, assign, lay upon as a charge, deposit 1b) (Niphal) 1b1) to be sought, be needed, be missed, be lacking 1b2) to be visited 1b3) to be visited upon 1b4) to be appointed 1b5) to be watched over 1c) (Piel) to muster, call up 1d) (Pual) to be passed in review, be caused to miss, be called, be called to account 1e) (Hiphil) 1e1) to set over, make overseer, appoint an overseer 1e2) to commit, entrust, commit for care, deposit 1f) (Hophal) 1f1) to be visited 1f2) to be deposited 1f3) to be made overseer, be entrusted 1g) (Hithpael) numbered 1h) (Hothpael) numbered n m pl abstr 2) mustering, expenses

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 38:21.** This is the sum of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest. 22. And Bezalel, the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, made all that the Lord commanded Moses. 23. And with him was Aholiab, son of Ahisamach, of the tribe of Dan, an engraver, and a skilful workman, and an embroiderer in blue, and in purple, and in scarlet, and fine linen.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 38:24.** All the gold that was used for the work in all the work of the holy place, the gold of the offering, was twenty nine talents, and seven hundred and thirty shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 38:25.** And the silver of those who were counted of the congregation was a hundred talents, and a thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels, according to the shekel of

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the sanctuary; 26. A bekah for every man, that is, half a shekel, according to the shekel of the sanctuary, for every one who went to be counted, from twenty years old and upward, for six hundred and three thousand five hundred and fifty men. 27. And of the hundred talents of silver were cast the sockets of the sanctuary, and the sockets of the veil; a hundred sockets of the hundred talents, a talent for a socket. 28. And of the thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels he made hooks for the pillars, and overlaid their capitals, and bound them.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 38:29.** And the bronze of the offering was seventy talents, and two thousand and four hundred shekels. 30. And with it he made the sockets to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and the bronze altar, and the bronze grating for it, and all the utensils of the altar, 31. And the sockets of the court around it, and the sockets of the court gate, and all the pins of the tabernacle, and all the pins of the court around it.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:1.** And of the blue, and purple, and scarlet, they made uniforms of service, to do service in the holy place, and made the holy garments for Aaron; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:2.** And he made the ephod of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen. 3. And they did beat the gold into thin plates, and cut it into wires, to work it in the blue, and in the purple, and in the scarlet, and in the fine linen, with skilful work. 4. (K) They made shoulder pieces for it, to couple it together; by the two edges was it coupled together. 5. And the finely done girdle of his ephod, that was upon it, was of the same, according to its work; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:6.** And they arranged onyx stones enclosed in fixtures of gold, engraved, as signets are engraved, with the names of the people of Israel. 7. And he put them on the shoulders of the ephod, that they should be stones for a memorial to the people of Israel; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:8.** And he made the breastplate of skilful work, like the work of the ephod; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen. 9. It was square; they made the breastplate double; a span was its length, and a span its breadth, being doubled. 10. And they set in it four rows of stones; the first row was a ruby, a topaz, and a beryl; this was the first row. 11. And the second row, a turquoise, a sapphire, and a diamond. 12. And the third row, a jacinth, an agate, and a jasper. 13. And the fourth row, an emerald, an onyx, and a jade; they were enclosed in fixtures of gold in their settings. 14. And the stones were according to the names of the people of Israel, twelve, according to their names, like the engravings of a signet, every one with his name, according to the twelve tribes.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:15.** And they made upon the breastplate chains at the ends, twisted cords of pure gold. 16. And they made two fixtures of gold, and two gold rings; and put the two rings in the two ends of the breastplate. 17. And they put the two corded chains of gold in the two rings on the ends of the breastplate. 18. And the two ends of the two corded chains they fastened in the two fixtures, and put them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod, before it. 19. And they made two rings of gold, and put them on the two ends of the breastplate, upon its border, which was on the inward side of the ephod. 20. And they made two other golden rings, and put them on the two sides of the ephod underneath, toward its front, opposite its other coupling, above the finely done girdle of the ephod. 21. And they did bind the breastplate by his rings to the rings of the ephod with a lace of blue, that it might be above the finely done girdle of the ephod, and that the breastplate might not come loose from the ephod; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:22.** And he made the robe of the ephod of woven work, all of blue. 23. And there was a hole in the midst of the robe, as the hole of a suit of armor, with a band around the hole, that it should not tear. 24. And they made upon the hems of the robe pomegranates of blue, and purple, and scarlet, and twined linen. 25. And they made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the

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pomegranates upon the hem of the robe, between the pomegranates. 26. A bell and a pomegranate, a bell and a pomegranate, around the hem of the robe to minister in; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:27.** And they made coats of fine linen of woven work for Aaron, and for his sons, 28. And a mitre of fine linen, and turbans of fine linen, and linen breeches of fine twined linen, 29. And a girdle of fine twined linen, and blue, and purple, and scarlet, of needlework; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:30.** And they made the plate of the holy rim of pure gold, and wrote upon it a writing, like the engravings of a signet, Holiness to the Lord. 31. And they tied to it a lace of blue, to fasten it on high upon the mitre; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:32.** Thus was all the work of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting finished; and the people of Israel did according to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so did they.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:33.** And they brought the tabernacle to Moses, the tent, and all his furniture, his clasps, his boards, his bars, and his pillars, and his sockets, 34. And the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of goats' skins, and the veil of the covering, 35. The ark of the Testimony, and its poles, and the covering, 36. The table, and all its utensils, and the bread of display, 37. The pure lampstand, with its lamps, with the lamps to be set in order, and all its utensils, and the oil for light, 38. And the golden altar, and the anointing oil, and the incense of spices, and the screen for the tabernacle door, 39. The bronze altar, and its grating of bronze, its poles, and all its utensils, the basin and its pedestal, 40. The hangings of the court, its pillars, and its sockets, and the screen for the court gate, its cords, and its pins, and all the utensils of the service of the tabernacle, for the Tent of Meeting. 41. The uniforms of service to do service in the holy place, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and his sons' garments, to minister in the priest's office.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:42.** According to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so the people of Israel made all the work. 43. And Moses looked upon all the work, and, behold, they had done it as the Lord had commanded, so had they done it; and Moses blessed them.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:1.** And the Lord spoke to Moses, saying, 2. On the first day of the first month shall you set up the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting. 3. And you shall put in it the ark of the Testimony, and cover the ark with the veil. 4. And you shall bring in the table, and set in order the things that are to be set in order upon it; and you shall bring in the lampstands, and light its lamps. 5. And you shall set the altar of gold for the incense before the ark of the Testimony, and put the screen of the door to the tabernacle. 6. And you shall set the altar of the burnt offering before the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting. 7. And you shall set the basin between the tent of the congregation and the altar, and shall put water in it. 8. And you shall set up the court around it, and hang up the screen at the court gate. 9. And you shall take the anointing oil, and anoint the tabernacle, and all that is in it, and shall consecrate it, and all its utensils; and it shall be holy. 10. And you shall anoint the altar of the burnt offering, and all its utensils, and sanctify the altar; and it shall be an altar most holy. 11. And you shall anoint the basin and its pedestal, and sanctify it.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:12.** And you shall bring Aaron and his sons to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and wash them with water. 13. And you shall put upon Aaron the holy garments, and anoint him, and sanctify him; that he may minister to me in the priest's office. 14. And you shall bring his sons, and dress them with coats; 15. And you shall anoint them, as you did anoint their father, that they may minister to me in the priest's office; for their anointing shall surely be an everlasting priesthood throughout their generations. 16. Thus did Moses; according to all that the Lord commanded him, so did he.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:17.** And it came to pass in the first month in the second year, on the first day of the month, that the tabernacle was erected. 18. And Moses erected the tabernacle, and fastened

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his sockets, and set up its boards, and put in its bars, and erected its pillars. 19. And he spread the tent over the tabernacle, and put the covering of the tent above it; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:20.** And he took and put the Testimony into the ark, and set the poles on the ark, and put the covering above the ark; 21. And he brought the ark into the tabernacle, and set up the veil of the covering, and covered the ark of the Testimony; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:22.** And he put the table in the Tent of Meeting, upon the side of the tabernacle northward, outside the veil. 23. And he set the bread in order upon it before the Lord; as the Lord had commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:24.** And he put the lampstand in the Tent of the Meeting, opposite the table, on the south side of the tabernacle. 25. And he lighted the lamps before the Lord; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:26.** And he put the golden altar in the Tent of the Meeting before the veil; 27. And he burned sweet incense on it; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:28.** And he set up the screen at the door of the tabernacle. 29. And he put the altar of burnt offering by the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of the Meeting, and offered upon it the burnt offering and the meal offering; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:30.** And he set the basin between the Tent of Meeting and the altar, and put water there, for washing. 31. And Moses and Aaron and his sons washed their hands and their feet there; 32. When they went into the Tent of Meeting, and when they came near to the altar, they washed; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:33.** And he erected the court around the tabernacle and the altar, and set up the screen of the court gate. So Moses finished the work.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:34.** Then a cloud covered the Tent of Meeting, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. 35. And Moses was not able to enter into the Tent of Meeting, because the cloud abode on it, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. 36. And when the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the children of Israel went onward in all their journeys; 37. But if the cloud was not taken up, then they journeyed not till the day that it was taken up. 38. For the cloud of the Lord was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.

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**Parashas PEKUDEI, First Aliyah**

**Shemos/Exodus 38:21 – 39:1**

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24. All the gold that was used for the work in all the work of the holy place, the gold of the offering, was twenty nine talents, and seven hundred and thirty shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary.

25. And the silver of those who were counted of the congregation was a hundred talents, and a thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary;

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27. And of the hundred talents of silver were cast the sockets of the sanctuary, and the sockets of the veil; a hundred sockets of the hundred talents, a talent for a socket.

28. And of the thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels he made hooks for the pillars, and overlaid their capitals, and bound them.

29. And the bronze of the offering was seventy talents, and two thousand and four hundred shekels.

30. And with it he made the sockets to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and the bronze altar, and the bronze grating for it, and all the utensils of the altar,

31. And the sockets of the court around it, and the sockets of the court gate, and all the pins of the tabernacle, and all the pins of the court around it.

### **Chapter 39**

1. And of the blue, and purple, and scarlet, they made uniforms of service, to do service in the holy place, and made the holy garments for Aaron; as the Lord commanded Moses.

### ***Parashas PEKUDEI, Second Aliyah***

**(Beginning of Fifth Aliyah when Vayakhel is combined with Parashas Pekudei)**

**Shemos/Exodus 39:2 – 39:21**

2. And he made the ephod of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen.

3. And they did beat the gold into thin plates, and cut it into wires, to work it in the blue, and in the purple, and in the scarlet, and in the fine linen, with skilful work.

4. (K) They made shoulder pieces for it, to couple it together; by the two edges was it coupled together.

5. And the finely done girdle of his ephod, that was upon it, was of the same, according to its work; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen; as the Lord commanded Moses.

6. And they arranged onyx stones enclosed in fixtures of gold, engraved, as signets are engraved, with the names of the people of Israel.

7. And he put them on the shoulders of the ephod, that they should be stones for a memorial to the people of Israel; as the Lord commanded Moses.

8. And he made the breastplate of skilful work, like the work of the ephod; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen.

9. It was square; they made the breastplate double; a span was its length, and a span its breadth, being doubled.

10. And they set in it four rows of stones; the first row was a ruby, a topaz, and a beryl; this was the first row.

11. And the second row, a turquoise, a sapphire, and a diamond.

12. And the third row, a jacinth, an agate, and a jasper.

13. And the fourth row, an emerald, an onyx, and a jade; they were enclosed in fixtures of gold in their settings.

14. And the stones were according to the names of the people of Israel, twelve, according to their names, like the engravings of a signet, every one with his name, according to the twelve tribes.

15. And they made upon the breastplate chains at the ends, twisted cords of pure gold.

16. And they made two fixtures of gold, and two gold rings; and put the two rings in the two ends of the breastplate.

17. And they put the two corded chains of gold in the two rings on the ends of the breastplate.

18. And the two ends of the two corded chains they fastened in the two fixtures, and put them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod, before it.

19. And they made two rings of gold, and put them on the two ends of the breastplate, upon its border, which was on the inward side of the ephod.

20. And they made two other golden rings, and put them on the two sides of the ephod underneath, toward its front, opposite its other coupling, above the finely done girdle of the ephod.

21. And they did bind the breastplate by his rings to the rings of the ephod with a lace of blue, that it might be above the finely done girdle of the ephod, and that the breastplate might not come loose from the ephod; as the Lord commanded Moses.

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***Parashas PEKUDEI, Third Aliyah***

***(Beginning of Sixth Aliyah when Vayakhel is combined with Parashas Pekudei)***

***Shemos/Exodus 39:22 – 39:32***

22. And he made the robe of the ephod of woven work, all of blue.
23. And there was a hole in the midst of the robe, as the hole of a suit of armor, with a band around the hole, that it should not tear.
24. And they made upon the hems of the robe pomegranates of blue, and purple, and scarlet, and twined linen.
25. And they made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates upon the hem of the robe, between the pomegranates.
26. A bell and a pomegranate, a bell and a pomegranate, around the hem of the robe to minister in; as the Lord commanded Moses.
27. And they made coats of fine linen of woven work for Aaron, and for his sons,
28. And a mitre of fine linen, and turbans of fine linen, and linen breeches of fine twined linen,
29. And a girdle of fine twined linen, and blue, and purple, and scarlet, of needlework; as the Lord commanded Moses.
30. And they made the plate of the holy rim of pure gold, and wrote upon it a writing, like the engravings of a signet, Holiness to the Lord.
31. And they tied to it a lace of blue, to fasten it on high upon the mitre; as the Lord commanded Moses.
32. Thus was all the work of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting finished; and the people of Israel did according to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so did they.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Fourth Aliyah***

***Shemos/Exodus 39:33 – 39:43***

33. And they brought the tabernacle to Moses, the tent, and all his furniture, his clasps, his boards, his bars, and his pillars, and his sockets,
34. And the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of goats' skins, and the veil of the covering,
35. The ark of the Testimony, and its poles, and the covering,
36. The table, and all its utensils, and the bread of display,
37. The pure lampstand, with its lamps, with the lamps to be set in order, and all its utensils, and the oil for light,
38. And the golden altar, and the anointing oil, and the incense of spices, and the screen for the tabernacle door,
39. The bronze altar, and its grating of bronze, its poles, and all its utensils, the basin and its pedestal,
40. The hangings of the court, its pillars, and its sockets, and the screen for the court gate, its cords, and its pins, and all the utensils of the service of the tabernacle, for the Tent of Meeting.
41. The uniforms of service to do service in the holy place, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and his sons' garments, to minister in the priest's office.
42. According to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so the people of Israel made all the work.
43. And Moses looked upon all the work, and, behold, they had done it as the Lord had commanded, so had they done it; and Moses blessed them.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Fifth Aliyah***

***(Beginning of Seventh Aliyah when Vayakhel is combined with Parashas Pekudei)***

***Shemos/Exodus 40:1 – 40:16***

1. And the Lord spoke to Moses, saying,
2. On the first day of the first month shall you set up the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting.
3. And you shall put in it the ark of the Testimony, and cover the ark with the veil.
4. And you shall bring in the table, and set in order the things that are to be set in order upon it; and you shall bring in the lampstands, and light its lamps.
5. And you shall set the altar of gold for the incense before the ark of the Testimony, and put the screen of the door to the tabernacle.

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6. And you shall set the altar of the burnt offering before the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting.
7. And you shall set the basin between the tent of the congregation and the altar, and shall put water in it.
8. And you shall set up the court around it, and hang up the screen at the court gate.
9. And you shall take the anointing oil, and anoint the tabernacle, and all that is in it, and shall consecrate it, and all its utensils; and it shall be holy.
10. And you shall anoint the altar of the burnt offering, and all its utensils, and sanctify the altar; and it shall be an altar most holy.
11. And you shall anoint the basin and its pedestal, and sanctify it.
12. And you shall bring Aaron and his sons to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and wash them with water.
13. And you shall put upon Aaron the holy garments, and anoint him, and sanctify him; that he may minister to me in the priest's office.
14. And you shall bring his sons, and dress them with coats;
15. And you shall anoint them, as you did anoint their father, that they may minister to me in the priest's office; for their anointing shall surely be an everlasting priesthood throughout their generations.
16. Thus did Moses; according to all that the Lord commanded him, so did he.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Sixth Aliyah***

***Shemos/Exodus 40:17 – 40:27***

17. And it came to pass in the first month in the second year, on the first day of the month, that the tabernacle was erected.
18. And Moses erected the tabernacle, and fastened his sockets, and set up its boards, and put in its bars, and erected its pillars.
19. And he spread the tent over the tabernacle, and put the covering of the tent above it; as the Lord commanded Moses.
20. And he took and put the Testimony into the ark, and set the poles on the ark, and put the covering above the ark;
21. And he brought the ark into the tabernacle, and set up the veil of the covering, and covered the ark of the Testimony; as the Lord commanded Moses.
22. And he put the table in the Tent of Meeting, upon the side of the tabernacle northward, outside the veil.
23. And he set the bread in order upon it before the Lord; as the Lord had commanded Moses.
24. And he put the lampstand in the Tent of the Meeting, opposite the table, on the south side of the tabernacle.
25. And he lighted the lamps before the Lord; as the Lord commanded Moses.
26. And he put the golden altar in the Tent of the Meeting before the veil;
27. And he burned sweet incense on it; as the Lord commanded Moses.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Seventh Aliyah***

***Shemos/Exodus 40:28 – 40:38***

28. And he set up the screen at the door of the tabernacle.
29. And he put the altar of burnt offering by the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of the Meeting, and offered upon it the burnt offering and the meal offering; as the Lord commanded Moses.
30. And he set the basin between the Tent of Meeting and the altar, and put water there, for washing.
31. And Moses and Aaron and his sons washed their hands and their feet there;
32. When they went into the Tent of Meeting, and when they came near to the altar, they washed; as the Lord commanded Moses.
33. And he erected the court around the tabernacle and the altar, and set up the screen of the court gate. So Moses finished the work.
34. Then a cloud covered the Tent of Meeting, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle.
35. And Moses was not able to enter into the Tent of Meeting, because the cloud abode on it, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle.
36. And when the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the children of Israel went onward in all their journeys;
37. But if the cloud was not taken up, then they journeyed not till the day that it was taken up.

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38. For the cloud of the Lord was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.

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# *Parashas PIKUDEI*

## *Shemos/Exodus 38:21 - 40:38*

### *Parashas: Pekudei*

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**Shemos 38:21.** These are the numbers of *the Mishkan, the Mishkan* of the Testimony, which were counted at Moses' command; [this was] the work of the Levites under the direction of Ithamar, the son of Aaron the Kohen.

--**Rashi, Shemos 38:21** -- **These are the numbers** In this parsha, all the weights of the donations for the Mishkan were counted -[that] of silver, of gold, and of copper. And all its implements for all its work were [also] counted. **the Mishkan, the Mishkan** Heb. מִשְׁכָּן מִשְׁכָּן [The word מִשְׁכָּן is written] twice. **This alludes to the Temple, which was taken as security (מִשְׁכָּן) by the two destructions, for Israel's iniquities [The Temples were taken as a collateral for Israel's sins. When Israel fully repents, the Third Temple will be built].** -[from Midrash Tanchuma 2, *Exod. Rabbah 51:3*] **the Mishkan of the Testimony** [The Mishkan] was testimony for Israel that the Holy One, blessed is He, forgave them for the incident of the calf, for He caused His Shechinah to rest among them [in the Mishkan]. -[from Midrash Tanchuma 2] **the work of the Levites** The numbers [i.e., the accountings] of the Mishkan and its furnishings [which] is the work given over to the Levites in the desert—to carry, to dismantle, and to set up, each person on his burden upon which he is assigned, as is stated in parshath Nasso (Num. 4:24-28, 31-33). **under the direction of Ithamar** He was appointed over them, to deliver to each paternal family the work incumbent upon it. [Each Levite family was assigned a specific job in the sanctuary.]

## ***R.M. (?)***

**Shemos 38:22.** Bezalel, son of Uri, son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, had made all that the Lord had commanded Moses.

--**Rashi, Shemos 38:22** -- **Bezalel, the son of Uri... had made all that the Lord had commanded Moses** “*That Moses had commanded him* is not written here, but all that the Lord had commanded Moses.” [meaning that] even [in] things that his master [Moses] had not said to him, *his [Bezalel's] view coincided with what was said to Moses on Sinai.* For Moses commanded Bezalel to first make the furnishings and afterwards the Mishkan. (Rashi is not referring to the command to donate [the materials for the Mishkan and its furnishings], since, on the contrary, the Holy One, blessed be He, commanded the opposite in parshath Terumah. [I.e.,] *first [God commanded them to make] the furnishings: the table, the menorah, the curtains, and afterwards [He gave] the command to make the planks [i.e., the Mishkan, whereas] the*

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command of our teacher, Moses, may he rest in peace, at the beginning of *Vayakhel* (Exod. 35:11-19<sup>1</sup>) lists first the Mishkan and its tent, and afterwards the furnishings. Rather, Rashi is referring to the command to the worker, [i.e.,] in what order he should work. You will find in the parsha of Ki Thissa [where God commanded concerning the order of the Mishkan's construction]: "See, I have called by name Bezalel..." (Exod. 31:2-11<sup>2</sup>), that first the Tent of Meeting is mentioned and afterwards the furnishings. As far as [the command in Terumah] to donate, to prepare what they would require [for the Mishkan and its furnishings], what difference does it make what they donated first? [Thus the order of the furnishings listed there is irrelevant.] See Tosafoth in the chapter entitled הַרְוֵאָה (Ber. 55a): If you ask, **how do we know that our teacher, Moses, may he rest in peace, commanded Bezalel to do the opposite [of what God had commanded him? Since it is not found in the text that Moses commanded Bezalel to construct first the furnishings and then the Mishkan], we may reply that it is written in parshath Vayakhel (Exod. 36:2<sup>3</sup>): "And Moses called Bezalel and Oholiab..."** [There] the Torah is very brief in explaining what he [Moses] said to them. From this verse (38:22<sup>4</sup>), which is worded, "all that the Lord commanded Moses," we see that he [Moses] commanded them in the opposite manner.<sup>5</sup> [Therefore the text here does not state "that Moses had commanded him."] Study this well.) Bezalel responded, "It is common practice to first make a house and then to put furniture into it." He said to him, "This is what I heard from the mouth of the Holy One, blessed is He." Moses said to him [Bezalel], "You were in the shadow of God בְּצֵל אֱלֹהִים, which is the meaning of Bezalel's name. I.e., you are right], for surely that is what the Holy One, blessed be He, commanded me." And so he did: [Bezalel] first [made] the Mishkan, and afterwards he made the furnishings. -[from Ber. 55a<sup>6</sup>]

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<sup>1</sup> Shemos 35:11. The tabernacle, its tent, and its covering, its clasps, and its boards, its bars, its pillars, and its sockets, 12. The ark, and its poles, with the covering, and the veil of the screen, 13. The table, and its poles, and all its utensils, and the bread of display. 14. The lampstand also for the light, and its furniture, and its lamps, with the oil for the light, 15. And the incense altar, and its poles, and the anointing oil, and the incense of spices, and the screen for the door at the entrance of the tabernacle, 16. The altar of burnt offering, with its bronze grating, its poles, and all its utensils, the basin and its pedestal, 17. The hangings of the court, its pillars, and their sockets, and the screen for the door of the court, 18. The pegs of the tabernacle, and the pegs of the court, and their cords, 19. The uniforms, to do service in the holy place, the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and the garments of his sons, to minister in the priest's office.

<sup>2</sup> Shemos 31:2. See, I have called by name Bezalel the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah; 3. And I have filled him with the spirit of God, in wisdom, and in understanding, and in knowledge, and in all kinds of workmanship, 4. To devise skilful works, to work in gold, and in silver, and in bronze, 5. And in cutting of stones, to set them, and in carving of timber, to work in all kinds of workmanship. 6. And I, behold, I have given with him Aholiab, the son of Ahisamach, of the tribe of Dan; and in the hearts of all who are wise hearted I have put wisdom, that they may make all that I have commanded you; 7. The Tent of Meeting, and the ark of the Testimony, and the covering that is on it, and all the furniture of the Tent, 8. And the table and its furniture, and the pure lampstand with all its furniture, and the altar of incense, 9. And the altar of burnt offering with all its furniture, and the basin and its pedestal, 10. And the cloths of service, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and the garments of his sons, to minister in the priest's office, 11. And the anointing oil, and sweet incense for the holy place; according to all that I have commanded you shall they do.

<sup>3</sup> Shemos 36:2. And Moses called Bezalel and Aholiab, and every wise hearted man, in whose heart the Lord had put wisdom, every one whose heart stirred him up to come to the work to do it.

<sup>4</sup> Shemos 38:22. And Bezalel, the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, made all that the Lord commanded Moses.

<sup>5</sup> Avos \_\_\_ -- "A teacher must be clear with his words..." (?)

<sup>6</sup> B'rachos 55a -- R. Samuel b. Nahmani said in the name of R. Johanan: Bezalel was so called on account of his wisdom. At the time when the Holy One, blessed be He, said to Moses; Go and tell Bezalel to make me a tabernacle, an ark and vessels, [see Shemos 31:7] Moses went and reversed the order, saying, Make an ark and vessels and a tabernacle. Bezalel said to him: Moses, our Teacher, as a rule a man first builds a house and then brings vessels into it; but you say, Make me an ark and vessels and a tabernacle. Where shall I put the vessels that I am to make? Can it be that the Holy One, blessed be He, said to you,

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**Shemos 39:33.** Now they brought the Mishkan to Moses, the tent and all its furnishings its clasps, its planks, its bars, its pillars and its sockets,

--Rashi, Shemos 39:33 -- **Now they brought the Mishkan to Moses, etc.** Because they could not erect it. Since Moses had done no work in the Mishkan, the Holy One, blessed is He, left for him the task of erecting it [the Mishkan], since no human being could erect it [by himself] because of the heaviness of the planks; and no human was strong enough to put them up, but Moses [was able to] put it up. Moses said before the Holy One, blessed is He, "**How is it possible for a human being to erect it [the Mishkan]?**" He [God] replied, "**You work with your hand.**" He [Moses] appeared to be erecting it, and it arose by itself. This is [the meaning of] what it says: "the Mishkan was set up" (Exod. 40:17). It was set up by itself. [This is found in] the midrash of Rabbi Tanchuma. -[from Midrash Tanchuma 11]

**Shemos 40:38.** For the cloud of the Lord was upon the Mishkan by day, and there was fire within it at night, before the eyes of the entire house of Israel in all their journeys. the Lord had commanded Moses, so did the children of Israel do all the work.

--Rashi, Shemos 40:38 -- **before the eyes of the entire house of Israel in all their journeys** On every journey (יָסַף) that they were traveling, the cloud would rest in that place where they encamped. The place of their encampment is also called a journey (יָסַף). Likewise, "And he went to his stations (מַצְבֵּי)" (Gen. 13:3) [i.e., to the stops along his journey], and likewise, "These are the journeys (מַצְבֵּי)" (Num. 33:1). Since from the place of their encampment they resumed their journeys, they are all called "journeys" (מַצְבֵּי).

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**Make a tabernacle, an ark and vessels?** Moses replied: *Perhaps you were in the shadow of God [Heb. bezel el.] and knew!*

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## **Parashas PIKUDEI (פְּקֻדֵי) ["accounts"]**

### **Shemos/Exodus 38:21 - 40:38**

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□ **AV - number 119, visit 59, punish 31, appoint 14, commit 6, miss 6, set 6, charge 5, governor 5, lack 4, oversight 4, officers 4, counted 3, empty 3, ruler 3, overseer 3, judgment 2, misc 28; 305**

□ v 1) to attend to, muster, number, reckon, visit, punish, appoint, look after, care for 1a) (Qal) 1a1) to pay attention to, observe 1a2) to attend to 1a3) to seek, look about for 1a4) to seek in vain, need, miss, lack 1a5) to visit 1a6) to visit upon, punish 1a7) to pass in review, muster, number 1a8) to appoint, assign, lay upon as a charge, deposit 1b) (Niphal) 1b1) to be sought, be needed, be missed, be lacking 1b2) to be visited 1b3) to be visited upon 1b4) to be appointed 1b5) to be watched over 1c) (Piel) to muster, call up 1d) (Pual) to be passed in review, be caused to miss, be called, be called to account 1e) (Hiphil) 1e1) to set over, make overseer, appoint an overseer 1e2) to commit, entrust, commit for care, deposit 1f) (Hophal) 1f1) to be visited 1f2) to be deposited 1f3) to be made overseer, be entrusted 1g) (Hithpael) numbered 1h) (Hothpael) numbered n m pl abstr 2) musterings, expenses

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 38:21.** This is the sum of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest. 22. And Bezalel, the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, made all that the Lord commanded Moses. 23. And with him was Aholiab, son of Ahisamach, of the tribe of Dan, an engraver, and a skilful workman, and an embroiderer in blue, and in purple, and in scarlet, and fine linen.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 38:24.** All the gold that was used for the work in all the work of the holy place, the gold of the offering, was twenty nine talents, and seven hundred and thirty shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 38:25.** And the silver of those who were counted of the congregation was a hundred talents, and a thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary; 26. A bekah for every man, that is, half a shekel, according to the shekel of the sanctuary, for every one who went to be counted, from twenty years old and upward, for six hundred and three thousand five hundred and fifty men. 27. And of the hundred talents of silver were cast the sockets of the sanctuary, and the sockets of the veil; a hundred sockets of the hundred talents, a talent for a socket. 28. And of the thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels he made hooks for the pillars, and overlaid their capitals, and bound them.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 38:29.** And the bronze of the offering was seventy talents, and two thousand and four hundred shekels. 30. And with it he made the sockets to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and the bronze altar, and the bronze grating for it, and all the utensils of the altar, 31. And the sockets of the court around it, and the sockets of the court gate, and all the pins of the tabernacle, and all the pins of the court around it.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:1.** And of the blue, and purple, and scarlet, they made uniforms of service, to do service in the holy place, and made the holy garments for Aaron; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:2.** And he made the ephod of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen. 3. And they did beat the gold into thin plates, and cut it into wires, to work it in the blue, and in the purple, and in the scarlet, and in the fine linen, with skilful work. 4. (K) They made shoulder pieces for it, to couple it together; by the two edges was it coupled together. 5. And the finely done girdle

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of his ephod, that was upon it, was of the same, according to its work; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:6.** And they arranged onyx stones enclosed in fixtures of gold, engraved, as signets are engraved, with the names of the people of Israel. 7. And he put them on the shoulders of the ephod, that they should be stones for a memorial to the people of Israel; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:8.** And he made the breastplate of skilful work, like the work of the ephod; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen. 9. It was square; they made the breastplate double; a span was its length, and a span its breadth, being doubled. 10. And they set in it four rows of stones; the first row was a ruby, a topaz, and a beryl; this was the first row. 11. And the second row, a turquoise, a sapphire, and a diamond. 12. And the third row, a jacinth, an agate, and a jasper. 13. And the fourth row, an emerald, an onyx, and a jade; they were enclosed in fixtures of gold in their settings. 14. And the stones were according to the names of the people of Israel, twelve, according to their names, like the engravings of a signet, every one with his name, according to the twelve tribes.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:15.** And they made upon the breastplate chains at the ends, twisted cords of pure gold. 16. And they made two fixtures of gold, and two gold rings; and put the two rings in the two ends of the breastplate. 17. And they put the two corded chains of gold in the two rings on the ends of the breastplate. 18. And the two ends of the two corded chains they fastened in the two fixtures, and put them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod, before it. 19. And they made two rings of gold, and put them on the two ends of the breastplate, upon its border, which was on the inward side of the ephod. 20. And they made two other golden rings, and put them on the two sides of the ephod underneath, toward its front, opposite its other coupling, above the finely done girdle of the ephod. 21. And they did bind the breastplate by his rings to the rings of the ephod with a lace of blue, that it might be above the finely done girdle of the ephod, and that the breastplate might not come loose from the ephod; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:22.** And he made the robe of the ephod of woven work, all of blue. 23. And there was a hole in the midst of the robe, as the hole of a suit of armor, with a band around the hole, that it should not tear. 24. And they made upon the hems of the robe pomegranates of blue, and purple, and scarlet, and twined linen. 25. And they made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates upon the hem of the robe, between the pomegranates. 26. A bell and a pomegranate, a bell and a pomegranate, around the hem of the robe to minister in; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:27.** And they made coats of fine linen of woven work for Aaron, and for his sons, 28. And a mitre of fine linen, and turbans of fine linen, and linen breeches of fine twined linen, 29. And a girdle of fine twined linen, and blue, and purple, and scarlet, of needlework; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:30.** And they made the plate of the holy rim of pure gold, and wrote upon it a writing, like the engravings of a signet, Holiness to the Lord. 31. And they tied to it a lace of blue, to fasten it on high upon the mitre; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:32.** Thus was all the work of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting finished; and the people of Israel did according to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so did they.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:33.** And they brought the tabernacle to Moses, the tent, and all his furniture, his clasps, his boards, his bars, and his pillars, and his sockets, 34. And the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of goats' skins, and the veil of the covering, 35. The ark of the Testimony, and its poles, and the covering, 36. The table, and all its utensils, and the bread of display, 37. The pure lampstand, with its lamps, with the lamps to be set in order, and all its utensils, and the oil for light, 38. And the golden altar, and the anointing oil, and the incense of spices, and the screen for the tabernacle door, 39. The bronze altar, and its grating of bronze, its poles, and all its utensils, the basin and its pedestal, 40.

**Shemos/Exodus 38:21.** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

The hangings of the court, its pillars, and its sockets, and the screen for the court gate, its cords, and its pins, and all the utensils of the service of the tabernacle, for the Tent of Meeting. 41. The uniforms of service to do service in the holy place, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and his sons' garments, to minister in the priest's office.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 39:42.** According to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so the people of Israel made all the work. 43. And Moses looked upon all the work, and, behold, they had done it as the Lord had commanded, so had they done it; and Moses blessed them.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:1.** And the Lord spoke to Moses, saying, 2. On the first day of the first month shall you set up the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting. 3. And you shall put in it the ark of the Testimony, and cover the ark with the veil. 4. And you shall bring in the table, and set in order the things that are to be set in order upon it; and you shall bring in the lampstands, and light its lamps. 5. And you shall set the altar of gold for the incense before the ark of the Testimony, and put the screen of the door to the tabernacle. 6. And you shall set the altar of the burnt offering before the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting. 7. And you shall set the basin between the tent of the congregation and the altar, and shall put water in it. 8. And you shall set up the court around it, and hang up the screen at the court gate. 9. And you shall take the anointing oil, and anoint the tabernacle, and all that is in it, and shall consecrate it, and all its utensils; and it shall be holy. 10. And you shall anoint the altar of the burnt offering, and all its utensils, and sanctify the altar; and it shall be an altar most holy. 11. And you shall anoint the basin and its pedestal, and sanctify it.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:12.** And you shall bring Aaron and his sons to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and wash them with water. 13. And you shall put upon Aaron the holy garments, and anoint him, and sanctify him; that he may minister to me in the priest's office. 14. And you shall bring his sons, and dress them with coats; 15. And you shall anoint them, as you did anoint their father, that they may minister to me in the priest's office; for their anointing shall surely be an everlasting priesthood throughout their generations. 16. Thus did Moses; according to all that the Lord commanded him, so did he.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:17.** And it came to pass in the first month in the second year, on the first day of the month, that the tabernacle was erected. 18. And Moses erected the tabernacle, and fastened his sockets, and set up its boards, and put in its bars, and erected its pillars. 19. And he spread the tent over the tabernacle, and put the covering of the tent above it; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:20.** And he took and put the Testimony into the ark, and set the poles on the ark, and put the covering above the ark; 21. And he brought the ark into the tabernacle, and set up the veil of the covering, and covered the ark of the Testimony; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:22.** And he put the table in the Tent of Meeting, upon the side of the tabernacle northward, outside the veil. 23. And he set the bread in order upon it before the Lord; as the Lord had commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:24.** And he put the lampstand in the Tent of the Meeting, opposite the table, on the south side of the tabernacle. 25. And he lighted the lamps before the Lord; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:26.** And he put the golden altar in the Tent of the Meeting before the veil; 27. And he burned sweet incense on it; as the Lord commanded Moses.

**Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:28.** And he set up the screen at the door of the tabernacle. 29. And he put the altar of burnt offering by the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of the Meeting, and offered upon it the burnt offering and the meal offering; as the Lord commanded Moses.

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***Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:30.*** And he set the basin between the Tent of Meeting and the altar, and put water there, for washing. 31. And Moses and Aaron and his sons washed their hands and their feet there; 32. When they went into the Tent of Meeting, and when they came near to the altar, they washed; as the Lord commanded Moses.

***Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:33.*** And he erected the court around the tabernacle and the altar, and set up the screen of the court gate. So Moses finished the work.

***Targum Judaica, Shemos/Exodus 40:34.*** Then a cloud covered the Tent of Meeting, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. 35. And Moses was not able to enter into the Tent of Meeting, because the cloud abode on it, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. 36. And when the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the children of Israel went onward in all their journeys; 37. But if the cloud was not taken up, then they journeyed not till the day that it was taken up. 38. For the cloud of the Lord was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.

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***Parashas PEKUDEI, First Aliyah***

***Shemos/Exodus 38:21 – 39:1***

21. This is the sum of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

22. And Bezalel, the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, made all that the Lord commanded Moses.

23. And with him was Aholiab, son of Ahisamach, of the tribe of Dan, an engraver, and a skilful workman, and an embroiderer in blue, and in purple, and in scarlet, and fine linen.

24. All the gold that was used for the work in all the work of the holy place, the gold of the offering, was twenty nine talents, and seven hundred and thirty shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary.

25. And the silver of those who were counted of the congregation was a hundred talents, and a thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary;

26. A bekah for every man, that is, half a shekel, according to the shekel of the sanctuary, for every one who went to be counted, from twenty years old and upward, for six hundred and three thousand five hundred and fifty men.

27. And of the hundred talents of silver were cast the sockets of the sanctuary, and the sockets of the veil; a hundred sockets of the hundred talents, a talent for a socket.

28. And of the thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels he made hooks for the pillars, and overlaid their capitals, and bound them.

29. And the bronze of the offering was seventy talents, and two thousand and four hundred shekels.

30. And with it he made the sockets to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and the bronze altar, and the bronze grating for it, and all the utensils of the altar,

31. And the sockets of the court around it, and the sockets of the court gate, and all the pins of the tabernacle, and all the pins of the court around it.

**Chapter 39**

1. And of the blue, and purple, and scarlet, they made uniforms of service, to do service in the holy place, and made the holy garments for Aaron; as the Lord commanded Moses.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Second Aliyah***

***(Beginning of Fifth Aliyah when Vayakhel is combined with Parashas Pekudei)***

***Shemos/Exodus 39:2 – 39:21***

2. And he made the ephod of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen.

3. And they did beat the gold into thin plates, and cut it into wires, to work it in the blue, and in the purple, and in the scarlet, and in the fine linen, with skilful work.

4. (K) They made shoulder pieces for it, to couple it together; by the two edges was it coupled together.

***Shemos/Exodus 38:21.*** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

5. And the finely done girdle of his ephod, that was upon it, was of the same, according to its work; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen; as the Lord commanded Moses.
6. And they arranged onyx stones enclosed in fixtures of gold, engraved, as signets are engraved, with the names of the people of Israel.
7. And he put them on the shoulders of the ephod, that they should be stones for a memorial to the people of Israel; as the Lord commanded Moses.
8. And he made the breastplate of skilful work, like the work of the ephod; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen.
9. It was square; they made the breastplate double; a span was its length, and a span its breadth, being doubled.
10. And they set in it four rows of stones; the first row was a ruby, a topaz, and a beryl; this was the first row.
11. And the second row, a turquoise, a sapphire, and a diamond.
12. And the third row, a jacinth, an agate, and a jasper.
13. And the fourth row, an emerald, an onyx, and a jade; they were enclosed in fixtures of gold in their settings.
14. And the stones were according to the names of the people of Israel, twelve, according to their names, like the engravings of a signet, every one with his name, according to the twelve tribes.
15. And they made upon the breastplate chains at the ends, twisted cords of pure gold.
16. And they made two fixtures of gold, and two gold rings; and put the two rings in the two ends of the breastplate.
17. And they put the two corded chains of gold in the two rings on the ends of the breastplate.
18. And the two ends of the two corded chains they fastened in the two fixtures, and put them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod, before it.
19. And they made two rings of gold, and put them on the two ends of the breastplate, upon its border, which was on the inward side of the ephod.
20. And they made two other golden rings, and put them on the two sides of the ephod underneath, toward its front, opposite its other coupling, above the finely done girdle of the ephod.
21. And they did bind the breastplate by his rings to the rings of the ephod with a lace of blue, that it might be above the finely done girdle of the ephod, and that the breastplate might not come loose from the ephod; as the Lord commanded Moses.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Third Aliyah***

***(Beginning of Sixth Aliyah when Vayakhel is combined with Parashas Pekudei)***

***Shemos/Exodus 39:22 – 39:32***

22. And he made the robe of the ephod of woven work, all of blue.
23. And there was a hole in the midst of the robe, as the hole of a suit of armor, with a band around the hole, that it should not tear.
24. And they made upon the hems of the robe pomegranates of blue, and purple, and scarlet, and twined linen.
25. And they made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates upon the hem of the robe, between the pomegranates.
26. A bell and a pomegranate, a bell and a pomegranate, around the hem of the robe to minister in; as the Lord commanded Moses.
27. And they made coats of fine linen of woven work for Aaron, and for his sons,
28. And a mitre of fine linen, and turbans of fine linen, and linen breeches of fine twined linen,
29. And a girdle of fine twined linen, and blue, and purple, and scarlet, of needlework; as the Lord commanded Moses.
30. And they made the plate of the holy rim of pure gold, and wrote upon it a writing, like the engravings of a signet, Holiness to the Lord.
31. And they tied to it a lace of blue, to fasten it on high upon the mitre; as the Lord commanded Moses.
32. Thus was all the work of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting finished; and the people of Israel did according to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so did they.

***Shemos/Exodus 38:21.*** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Fourth Aliyah***

***Shemos/Exodus 39:33 – 39:43***

33. And they brought the tabernacle to Moses, the tent, and all his furniture, his clasps, his boards, his bars, and his pillars, and his sockets,
34. And the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of goats' skins, and the veil of the covering,
35. The ark of the Testimony, and its poles, and the covering,
36. The table, and all its utensils, and the bread of display,
37. The pure lampstand, with its lamps, with the lamps to be set in order, and all its utensils, and the oil for light,
38. And the golden altar, and the anointing oil, and the incense of spices, and the screen for the tabernacle door,
39. The bronze altar, and its grating of bronze, its poles, and all its utensils, the basin and its pedestal,
40. The hangings of the court, its pillars, and its sockets, and the screen for the court gate, its cords, and its pins, and all the utensils of the service of the tabernacle, for the Tent of Meeting.
41. The uniforms of service to do service in the holy place, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and his sons' garments, to minister in the priest's office.
42. According to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so the people of Israel made all the work.
43. And Moses looked upon all the work, and, behold, they had done it as the Lord had commanded, so had they done it; and Moses blessed them.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Fifth Aliyah***

***(Beginning of Seventh Aliyah when Vayakhel is combined with Parashas Pekudei)***

***Shemos/Exodus 40:1 – 40:16***

1. And the Lord spoke to Moses, saying,
2. On the first day of the first month shall you set up the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting.
3. And you shall put in it the ark of the Testimony, and cover the ark with the veil.
4. And you shall bring in the table, and set in order the things that are to be set in order upon it; and you shall bring in the lampstands, and light its lamps.
5. And you shall set the altar of gold for the incense before the ark of the Testimony, and put the screen of the door to the tabernacle.
6. And you shall set the altar of the burnt offering before the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting.
7. And you shall set the basin between the tent of the congregation and the altar, and shall put water in it.
8. And you shall set up the court around it, and hang up the screen at the court gate.
9. And you shall take the anointing oil, and anoint the tabernacle, and all that is in it, and shall consecrate it, and all its utensils; and it shall be holy.
10. And you shall anoint the altar of the burnt offering, and all its utensils, and sanctify the altar; and it shall be an altar most holy.
11. And you shall anoint the basin and its pedestal, and sanctify it.
12. And you shall bring Aaron and his sons to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and wash them with water.
13. And you shall put upon Aaron the holy garments, and anoint him, and sanctify him; that he may minister to me in the priest's office.
14. And you shall bring his sons, and dress them with coats;
15. And you shall anoint them, as you did anoint their father, that they may minister to me in the priest's office; for their anointing shall surely be an everlasting priesthood throughout their generations.
16. Thus did Moses; according to all that the Lord commanded him, so did he.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Sixth Aliyah***

***Shemos/Exodus 40:17 – 40:27***

17. And it came to pass in the first month in the second year, on the first day of the month, that the tabernacle was erected.
18. And Moses erected the tabernacle, and fastened his sockets, and set up its boards, and put in its bars, and erected its pillars.

***Shemos/Exodus 38:21.*** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

19. And he spread the tent over the tabernacle, and put the covering of the tent above it; as the Lord commanded Moses.
20. And he took and put the Testimony into the ark, and set the poles on the ark, and put the covering above the ark;
21. And he brought the ark into the tabernacle, and set up the veil of the covering, and covered the ark of the Testimony; as the Lord commanded Moses.
22. And he put the table in the Tent of Meeting, upon the side of the tabernacle northward, outside the veil.
23. And he set the bread in order upon it before the Lord; as the Lord had commanded Moses.
24. And he put the lampstand in the Tent of the Meeting, opposite the table, on the south side of the tabernacle.
25. And he lighted the lamps before the Lord; as the Lord commanded Moses.
26. And he put the golden altar in the Tent of the Meeting before the veil;
27. And he burned sweet incense on it; as the Lord commanded Moses.

***Parashas PEKUDEI, Seventh Aliyah***

***Shemos/Exodus 40:28 – 40:38***

28. And he set up the screen at the door of the tabernacle.
29. And he put the altar of burnt offering by the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of the Meeting, and offered upon it the burnt offering and the meal offering; as the Lord commanded Moses.
30. And he set the basin between the Tent of Meeting and the altar, and put water there, for washing.
31. And Moses and Aaron and his sons washed their hands and their feet there;
32. When they went into the Tent of Meeting, and when they came near to the altar, they washed; as the Lord commanded Moses.
33. And he erected the court around the tabernacle and the altar, and set up the screen of the court gate. So Moses finished the work.
34. Then a cloud covered the Tent of Meeting, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle.
35. And Moses was not able to enter into the Tent of Meeting, because the cloud abode on it, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle.
36. And when the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the children of Israel went onward in all their journeys;
37. But if the cloud was not taken up, then they journeyed not till the day that it was taken up.
38. For the cloud of the Lord was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.

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*Shemos/Exodus 38:21*. This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

## ***Parashas PEKUDEI (Shemos/Exodus 38:21-40:38)*** **+ *Haftaros & Maftirim***

### **Tanach - Exodus Chapter 38**

21. This is the sum of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.
22. And Bezalel, the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, made all that the Lord commanded Moses.
23. And with him was Aholiab, son of Ahisamach, of the tribe of Dan, an engraver, and a skilful workman, and an embroiderer in blue, and in purple, and in scarlet, and fine linen.
24. All the gold that was used for the work in all the work of the holy place, the gold of the offering, was twenty nine talents, and seven hundred and thirty shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary.
25. And the silver of those who were counted of the congregation was a hundred talents, and a thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels, according to the shekel of the sanctuary;
26. A bekah for every man, that is, half a shekel, according to the shekel of the sanctuary, for every one who went to be counted, from twenty years old and upward, for six hundred and three thousand five hundred and fifty men.
27. And of the hundred talents of silver were cast the sockets of the sanctuary, and the sockets of the veil; a hundred sockets of the hundred talents, a talent for a socket.
28. And of the thousand seven hundred and seventy five shekels he made hooks for the pillars, and overlaid their capitals, and bound them.
29. And the bronze of the offering was seventy talents, and two thousand and four hundred shekels.
30. And with it he made the sockets to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and the bronze altar, and the bronze grating for it, and all the utensils of the altar,
31. And the sockets of the court around it, and the sockets of the court gate, and all the pins of the tabernacle, and all the pins of the court around it.

### **Tanach - Exodus Chapter 39**

1. And of the blue, and purple, and scarlet, they made uniforms of service, to do service in the holy place, and made the holy garments for Aaron; as the Lord commanded Moses.
2. And he made the ephod of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen.
3. And they did beat the gold into thin plates, and cut it into wires, to work it in the blue, and in the purple, and in the scarlet, and in the fine linen, with skilful work.
4. (K) They made shoulder pieces for it, to couple it together; by the two edges was it coupled together.
5. And the finely done girdle of his ephod, that was upon it, was of the same, according to its work; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen; as the Lord commanded Moses.
6. And they arranged onyx stones enclosed in fixtures of gold, engraved, as signets are engraved, with the names of the people of Israel.
7. And he put them on the shoulders of the ephod, that they should be stones for a memorial to the people of Israel; as the Lord commanded Moses.
8. And he made the breastplate of skilful work, like the work of the ephod; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen.
9. It was square; they made the breastplate double; a span was its length, and a span its breadth, being doubled.
10. And they set in it four rows of stones; the first row was a ruby, a topaz, and a beryl; this was the first row.
11. And the second row, a turquoise, a sapphire, and a diamond.
12. And the third row, a jacinth, an agate, and a jasper.
13. And the fourth row, an emerald, an onyx, and a jade; they were enclosed in fixtures of gold in their settings.
14. And the stones were according to the names of the people of Israel, twelve, according to their names, like the engravings of a signet, every one with his name, according to the twelve tribes.

**Shemos/Exodus 38:21.** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

15. And they made upon the breastplate chains at the ends, twisted cords of pure gold.
16. And they made two fixtures of gold, and two gold rings; and put the two rings in the two ends of the breastplate.
17. And they put the two corded chains of gold in the two rings on the ends of the breastplate.
18. And the two ends of the two corded chains they fastened in the two fixtures, and put them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod, before it.
19. And they made two rings of gold, and put them on the two ends of the breastplate, upon its border, which was on the inward side of the ephod.
20. And they made two other golden rings, and put them on the two sides of the ephod underneath, toward its front, opposite its other coupling, above the finely done girdle of the ephod.
21. And they did bind the breastplate by his rings to the rings of the ephod with a lace of blue, that it might be above the finely done girdle of the ephod, and that the breastplate might not come loose from the ephod; as the Lord commanded Moses.
22. And he made the robe of the ephod of woven work, all of blue.
23. And there was a hole in the midst of the robe, as the hole of a suit of armor, with a band around the hole, that it should not tear.
24. And they made upon the hems of the robe pomegranates of blue, and purple, and scarlet, and twined linen.
25. And they made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates upon the hem of the robe, between the pomegranates.
26. A bell and a pomegranate, a bell and a pomegranate, around the hem of the robe to minister in; as the Lord commanded Moses.
27. And they made coats of fine linen of woven work for Aaron, and for his sons,
28. And a mitre of fine linen, and turbans of fine linen, and linen breeches of fine twined linen,
29. And a girdle of fine twined linen, and blue, and purple, and scarlet, of needlework; as the Lord commanded Moses.
30. And they made the plate of the holy rim of pure gold, and wrote upon it a writing, like the engravings of a signet, Holiness to the Lord.
31. And they tied to it a lace of blue, to fasten it on high upon the mitre; as the Lord commanded Moses.
32. Thus was all the work of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting finished; and the people of Israel did according to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so did they.
  
33. And they brought the tabernacle to Moses, the tent, and all his furniture, his clasps, his boards, his bars, and his pillars, and his sockets,
34. And the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of goats' skins, and the veil of the covering,
35. The ark of the Testimony, and its poles, and the covering,
36. The table, and all its utensils, and the bread of display,
37. The pure lampstand, with its lamps, with the lamps to be set in order, and all its utensils, and the oil for light,
38. And the golden altar, and the anointing oil, and the incense of spices, and the screen for the tabernacle door,
39. The bronze altar, and its grating of bronze, its poles, and all its utensils, the basin and its pedestal,
40. The hangings of the court, its pillars, and its sockets, and the screen for the court gate, its cords, and its pins, and all the utensils of the service of the tabernacle, for the Tent of Meeting.
41. The uniforms of service to do service in the holy place, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and his sons' garments, to minister in the priest's office.
42. According to all that the Lord commanded Moses, so the people of Israel made all the work.
43. And Moses looked upon all the work, and, behold, they had done it as the Lord had commanded, so had they done it; and Moses blessed them.

**Tanach - Exodus Chapter 40**

1. And the Lord spoke to Moses, saying,
2. On the first day of the first month shall you set up the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting.
3. And you shall put in it the ark of the Testimony, and cover the ark with the veil.

**Shemos/Exodus 38:21.** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

4. And you shall bring in the table, and set in order the things that are to be set in order upon it; and you shall bring in the lampstands, and light its lamps.
5. And you shall set the altar of gold for the incense before the ark of the Testimony, and put the screen of the door to the tabernacle.
6. And you shall set the altar of the burnt offering before the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of Meeting.
7. And you shall set the basin between the tent of the congregation and the altar, and shall put water in it.
8. And you shall set up the court around it, and hang up the screen at the court gate.
9. And you shall take the anointing oil, and anoint the tabernacle, and all that is in it, and shall consecrate it, and all its utensils; and it shall be holy.
10. And you shall anoint the altar of the burnt offering, and all its utensils, and sanctify the altar; and it shall be an altar most holy.
11. And you shall anoint the basin and its pedestal, and sanctify it.
12. And you shall bring Aaron and his sons to the door of the Tent of Meeting, and wash them with water.
13. And you shall put upon Aaron the holy garments, and anoint him, and sanctify him; that he may minister to me in the priest's office.
14. And you shall bring his sons, and dress them with coats;
15. And you shall anoint them, as you did anoint their father, that they may minister to me in the priest's office; for their anointing shall surely be an everlasting priesthood throughout their generations.
16. Thus did Moses; according to all that the Lord commanded him, so did he.
17. And it came to pass in the first month in the second year, on the first day of the month, that the tabernacle was erected.
18. And Moses erected the tabernacle, and fastened his sockets, and set up its boards, and put in its bars, and erected its pillars.
19. And he spread the tent over the tabernacle, and put the covering of the tent above it; as the Lord commanded Moses.
20. And he took and put the Testimony into the ark, and set the poles on the ark, and put the covering above the ark;
21. And he brought the ark into the tabernacle, and set up the veil of the covering, and covered the ark of the Testimony; as the Lord commanded Moses.
22. And he put the table in the Tent of Meeting, upon the side of the tabernacle northward, outside the veil.
23. And he set the bread in order upon it before the Lord; as the Lord had commanded Moses.
24. And he put the lampstand in the Tent of the Meeting, opposite the table, on the south side of the tabernacle.
25. And he lighted the lamps before the Lord; as the Lord commanded Moses.
26. And he put the golden altar in the Tent of the Meeting before the veil;
27. And he burned sweet incense on it; as the Lord commanded Moses.
28. And he set up the screen at the door of the tabernacle.
29. And he put the altar of burnt offering by the door of the tabernacle of the Tent of the Meeting, and offered upon it the burnt offering and the meal offering; as the Lord commanded Moses.
30. And he set the basin between the Tent of Meeting and the altar, and put water there, for washing.
31. And Moses and Aaron and his sons washed their hands and their feet there;
32. When they went into the Tent of Meeting, and when they came near to the altar, they washed; as the Lord commanded Moses.
33. And he erected the court around the tabernacle and the altar, and set up the screen of the court gate. So Moses finished the work.
34. Then a cloud covered the Tent of Meeting, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle.
35. And Moses was not able to enter into the Tent of Meeting, because the cloud abode on it, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle.
36. And when the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the children of Israel went onward in all their journeys;
37. But if the cloud was not taken up, then they journeyed not till the day that it was taken up.
38. For the cloud of the Lord was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.

**Shemos/Exodus 38:21.** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

**Haftorah 1 Kings 7:51-8:21**

**Tanach - 1 Kings Chapter 7**

51. And so was ended all the work that king Solomon made for the house of the Lord. And Solomon brought in the things which David his father had consecrated; the silver, and the gold, and the utensils, did he put among the treasures of the house of the Lord.

**Tanach - Kings I Chapter 8**

1. Then Solomon assembled the elders of Israel, and all the heads of the tribes, the chief of the fathers of the people of Israel, before king Solomon in Jerusalem, that they might bring up the ark of the covenant of the Lord from the city of David, which is Zion.

2. And all the men of Israel assembled themselves to king Solomon at the feast in the month Ethanim, which is the seventh month.

3. And all the elders of Israel came, and the priests took up the ark.

4. And they brought up the ark of the Lord, and the tabernacle of the congregation, and all the holy utensils that were in the tabernacle, those did the priests and the Levites bring up.

5. And king Solomon, and all the congregation of Israel, who were assembled before him, were with him before the ark, sacrificing sheep and oxen, that could not be told nor numbered for multitude.

6. And the priests brought in the ark of the covenant of the Lord to his place, to the sanctuary of the house, to the most holy place, under the wings of the kerubim.

7. For the kerubim spread out their two wings over the place of the ark, and the kerubim covered the ark and its poles above.

8. And they drew out the poles, so that the ends of the poles were seen out in the holy place before the sanctuary, and they were not seen outside; and there they are to this day.

9. There was nothing in the ark save the two tablets of stone, which Moses put there at Horeb, when the Lord made a covenant with the people of Israel, when they came out of the land of Egypt.

10. And it came to pass, when the priests came out of the holy place, that the cloud filled the house of the Lord,

11. And that the priests could not stand to minister because of the cloud; for the glory of the Lord had filled the house of the Lord.

12. Then spoke Solomon, The Lord said that he would dwell in the thick darkness.

13. I have surely built you a house to dwell in, a settled place for you to abide in forever.

14. And the king turned his face around, and blessed all the congregation of Israel; and all the congregation of Israel stood;

15. And he said, Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, who spoke with his mouth to David my father, and has with his hand fulfilled it, saying,

16. Since the day when I brought forth my people Israel out of Egypt, I chose no city from all the tribes of Israel to build a house, that my name might be in there; but I chose David to be over my people Israel.

17. And it was in the heart of David my father to build a house for the name of the Lord God of Israel.

18. And the Lord said to David my father, Because it was in your heart to build a house to my name, you did well that it was in your heart.

19. Nevertheless you shall not build the house; but your son who shall come forth from your loins, he shall build the house to my name.

20. And the Lord has performed his word that he spoke, and I have risen in place of David my father, and I sit on the throne of Israel, as the Lord promised, and I have built a house for the name of the Lord God of Israel.

21. And I have set there a place for the ark, where the covenant of the Lord is, which he made with our fathers, when he brought them out of the land of Egypt.

**Shemos/Exodus 38:21.** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

**Maftir Exodus 30:11-16**

**Tanach - Exodus Chapter 30**

11. And the Lord spoke to Moses, saying,
12. When you take the census of the people of Israel according to their number, then shall they give every man a ransom for his soul to the Lord, when you count them; that there should be no plague among them, when you count them.
13. This they shall give, every one who passes among those who are counted, half a shekel according to the shekel of the sanctuary; a shekel is twenty gerahs; a half shekel shall be the offering of the Lord.
14. Every one who passes among those who are counted, from twenty years old and above, shall give an offering to the Lord.
15. The rich shall not give more, and the poor shall not give less than half a shekel, when they give an offering to the Lord, to make an atonement for your souls.
16. And you shall take the atonement money of the people of Israel, and shall appoint it for the service of the Tent of Meeting; that it may be a memorial to the people of Israel before the Lord, to make an atonement for your souls.

**Haftorah 2Kings 11:17-12:17**

**Tanach - 2 Kings Chapter 11**

17. And Jehoiada made a covenant between the Lord and the king and the people, that they should be the Lord's people; also between the king and the people.
18. And all the people of the land went to the house of Baal, and broke it down; his altars and his images broke they in pieces thoroughly, and killed Mattan the priest of Baal before the altars. And the priest appointed officers over the house of the Lord.
19. And he took the rulers over hundreds, and the captains, and the guard, and all the people of the land; and they brought down the king from the house of the Lord, and came by the way of the Gate of the Guard to the king's house. And he sat on the throne of the kings.
20. (K) And all the people of the land rejoiced, and the city was quiet; and they killed Athaliah with the sword in the king's house.

**Tanach - Kings II Chapter 12**

1. Seven years old was Jehoash when he began to reign.
2. In the seventh year of Jehu Jehoash began to reign; and forty years reigned he in Jerusalem. And his mother's name was Zibiah of Beersheba.
3. And Jehoash did that which was right in the sight of the Lord all his days because Jehoiada the priest instructed him.
4. But the high places were not taken away; the people still sacrificed and burned incense in the high places.
5. And Jehoash said to the priests, All the money of the consecrated things that is brought to the house of the Lord, the money of persons, for which each man is assessed, and the money that any man is prompted by his heart to bring to the house of the Lord,
6. Let the priests take it to them, every man from his acquaintance; and let them repair the breaches of the house, wherever any breach shall be found.
7. But it was so, that in the twenty third year of king Jehoash the priests had not repaired the breaches of the house.
8. Then king Jehoash called for Jehoiada the priest, and the other priests, and said to them, Why do you not repair the breaches of the house? Now therefore receive no more money from your acquaintances, but deliver it for the breaches of the house.
9. And the priests agreed to receive no more money from the people, nor to repair the breaches of the house.
10. (K) But Jehoiada the priest took a chest, and bored a hole in its lid, and set it beside the altar, on the right side as one comes into the house of the Lord; and the priests who guarded the door put in there all the money that was brought to the house of the Lord.

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11. And it was so, when they saw that there was much money in the chest, that the king's scribe and the high priest came up, and they counted and tied up in bags the money that was found in the house of the Lord.

12. (K) And they gave the money, that was counted, to the hands of the workmen, who supervised the house of the Lord; and they paid it out to the carpenters and builders, who worked upon the house of the Lord.

13. And to the masons, and the stone cutters, and to buy timber and quarried stones to repair the breaches of the house of the Lord, and for all that was laid out for the house to repair it.

14. But there were not made for the house of the Lord bowls of silver, snuffers, basins, trumpets, any utensils of gold, or utensils of silver, from the money that was brought to the house of the Lord;

15. But they gave that to the workmen, and repaired with it the house of the Lord.

16. And they did not ask an accounting from the men into whose hand they delivered the money to be paid to the workmen; for they dealt in good faith.

17. The money for guilt offerings and the money for sin offerings was not brought to the house of the Lord; it was delivered to the priests'.

**Maftir Number 19:1-22**

**Tanach - Numbers Chapter 19**

1. And the Lord spoke to Moses and to Aaron, saying,

2. This is the ordinance of the Torah which the Lord has commanded, saying, Speak to the people of Israel, that they bring you a red heifer without spot, which has no blemish, and upon which never came yoke;

3. And you shall give it to Eleazar the priest, that he may bring it forth outside the camp, and one shall slay it before his face;

4. And Eleazar the priest shall take of its blood with his finger, and sprinkle of its blood directly before the Tent of Meeting seven times;

5. And one shall burn the heifer in his sight; its skin, and its flesh, and its blood, with its dung, shall he burn;

6. And the priest shall take cedar wood, and hyssop, and scarlet, and cast it into the midst of the burning of the heifer.

7. Then the priest shall wash his clothes, and he shall bathe his flesh in water, and afterward he shall come into the camp, and the priest shall be unclean until the evening.

8. And he who burns it shall wash his clothes in water, and bathe his flesh in water, and shall be unclean until the evening.

9. And a man that is clean shall gather up the ashes of the heifer, and lay them up outside the camp in a clean place, and it shall be kept for the congregation of the people of Israel for a water of sprinkling; it is a purification offering.

10. And he who gathers the ashes of the heifer shall wash his clothes, and be unclean until the evening; and it shall be to the people of Israel, and to the stranger who sojourns among them, for a statute forever.

11. He who touches the dead body of any man shall be unclean seven days.

12. He shall purify himself with it on the third day, and on the seventh day he shall be clean; but if he does not purify himself the third day, then the seventh day he shall not be clean.

13. Whoever touches the dead body of any man who is dead, and purifies not himself, defiles the tabernacle of the Lord; and that soul shall be cut off from Israel; because the water of sprinkling was not sprinkled upon him, he shall be unclean; his uncleanness is yet upon him.

14. This is the Torah, when a man dies in a tent; all who come into the tent, and all that is in the tent, shall be unclean seven days.

15. And every open utensil, which has no covering upon it, is unclean.

16. And whoever touches one who was slain with a sword in the open fields, or a dead body, or a bone of a man, or a grave, shall be unclean seven days.

17. And for an unclean person they shall take of the ashes of the burnt heifer of purification for sin, and running water shall be put there in a utensil;

18. And a clean person shall take hyssop, and dip it in the water, and sprinkle it upon the tent, and upon all the utensils, and upon the persons who were there, and upon him who touched a bone, or one slain, or one dead, or a grave;

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19. And the clean person shall sprinkle upon the unclean on the third day, and on the seventh day; and on the seventh day he shall purify himself, and wash his clothes, and bathe himself in water, and shall be clean at evening.

20. But the man who shall be unclean, and shall not purify himself, that soul shall be cut off from among the congregation, because he has defiled the sanctuary of the Lord; the water of sprinkling has not been sprinkled upon him; he is unclean.

21. And it shall be an everlasting statute to them, that he who sprinkles the water of sprinkling shall wash his clothes; and he who touches the water of sprinkling shall be unclean until evening.

22. And whatever the unclean person touches shall be unclean; and the soul who touches it shall be unclean until evening.

### **Haftorah Ezekiel 36:16-38**

#### **Tanach - Ezekiel Chapter 36**

16. And the word of the Lord came to me, saying:

17. Son of man, when the house of Israel dwelt in their own land, they defiled it by their way and by their doings; their way was before me as the uncleanness of a menstruating woman.

18. Therefore I poured my fury upon them for the blood that they had shed upon the land, and for their idols with which they had defiled it;

19. And I scattered them among the nations, and they were dispersed through the countries; according to their way and according to their doings I judged them.

20. And when they came to the nations, to which they came, they profaned my holy name, when men said of them, These are the people of the Lord, and they are gone out from his land!

21. But I had concern for my holy name, which the house of Israel had profaned among the nations, to which they came.

22. Therefore say to the house of Israel, Thus says the Lord God: I do not do this for your sakes, O house of Israel, but for my holy name's sake, which you have profaned among the nations, to which you came.

23. And I will sanctify my great name, which was profaned among the nations, which you have profaned in their midst; and the nations shall know that I am the Lord, says the Lord God, when I shall be sanctified in you before their eyes.

24. For I will take you from among the nations, and gather you from all countries, and will bring you into your own land.

25. Then I will sprinkle clean water upon you, and you shall be clean from all your filthiness; and from all your idols, will I cleanse you.

26. A new heart also will I give you, and a new spirit will I put inside you; and I will take away the heart of stone from your flesh, and I will give you a heart of flesh.

27. And I will put my spirit inside you, and cause you to follow my statutes, and you shall keep my judgments, and do them.

28. And you shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers; and you shall be my people, and I will be your God.

29. And I will save you from all your uncleanness; and I will summon the grain, and will increase it and lay no famine upon you.

30. And I will multiply the fruit of the tree, and the produce of the field, that you shall receive no more reproach of famine among the nations.

31. Then shall you remember your evil ways, and your doings that were not good, and will loathe yourselves in your own sight for your iniquities and for your abominations.

32. Not for your sakes do I do this, says the Lord God, let that be known to you; be ashamed and confounded for your ways, O house of Israel.

33. Thus says the Lord God: In the day that I shall have cleansed you from all your iniquities I will also cause you to dwell in the cities, and the ruined places shall be rebuilt.

34. And the desolate land shall be tilled, instead of being the desolation that was in the sight of all who passed by.

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35. And they shall say, This land that was desolate has become like the garden of Eden; and the waste and desolate and ruined cities have become fortified, and are inhabited.

36. Then the nations that are left around you shall know that I, the Lord, have rebuilt the ruined places, and have replanted that which was desolate; I, the Lord, have spoken it, and I will do it.

37. Thus says the Lord God: This also I will let the house of Israel, ask me to do for them; I will increase their men like a flock.

38. Like the flock of sacrifices, like the flock of Jerusalem in her solemn feasts, shall the ruined cities be filled with flocks of men; and they shall know that I am the Lord.

**Maftir Exodus 12:1-10**

**Tanach - Exodus Chapter 12**

1. And the Lord spoke to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt, saying,

2. This month shall be to you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year to you.

3. Speak to all the congregation of Israel, saying, In the tenth day of this month they shall take every man a lamb, according to the house of their fathers, a lamb for a house;

4. And if the household is too little for the lamb, let him and his neighbor next to his house take it according to the number of the souls; according to every man's eating shall you make your count for the lamb.

5. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a male of the first year; you shall take it out from the sheep, or from the goats;

6. And you shall keep it up until the fourteenth day of the same month; and the whole assembly of the congregation of Israel shall kill it in the evening.

7. And they shall take of the blood, and strike it on the two side posts and on the upper door post of the houses, in which they shall eat it.

8. And they shall eat the meat in that night, roast with fire, and unleavened bread; and with bitter herbs they shall eat it.

9. Eat it not raw, nor boil with water, but roast it with fire; its head with its legs, and with its inner parts.

10. And you shall let nothing of it remain until the morning; and that which remains of it until the morning you shall burn with fire.

**Haftorah Ezekiel 45:16-46:18**

**Tanach - Ezekiel Chapter 45**

16. All the people of the land shall give this offering for the prince in Israel.

17. And it shall be the prince's part to give burnt offerings, and meal offerings, and drink offerings, at the feasts, the new moons, and the sabbaths, in all the appointed feasts of the house of Israel; he shall prepare the sin offering, and the meal offering, and the burnt offering, and the peace offerings, to atone for the house of Israel.

18. Thus says the Lord God: In the first month, on the first day of the month, you shall take a young bull without blemish, and cleanse the sanctuary;

19. And the priest shall take of the blood of the sin offering, and put it upon the door posts of the house, and upon the four corners of the ledge of the altar, and upon the door posts of the gate of the inner court.

20. And so you shall do on the seventh day of the month for everyone who sins in error or ignorance; so shall you make atonement for the house.

21. In the first month, on the fourteenth day of the month, you shall have the Passover, a feast of seven days; unleavened bread shall be eaten.

22. And upon that day shall the prince prepare for himself and for all the people of the land a bull for a sin offering.

23. And seven days of the feast he shall prepare a burnt offering to the Lord, seven bulls and seven rams without blemish daily the seven days; and a kid of the goats daily for a sin offering.

24. And he shall prepare a meal offering of an ephah for a bull, and an ephah for a ram, and a hin of oil for an ephah.

25. In the seventh month, on the fifteenth day of the month, he shall do the same in the feast of the seven days, according to the sin offering, according to the burnt offering, according to the meal offering, and according to the oil.

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**Tanach - Ezekiel Chapter 46**

1. Thus says the Lord God: The gate of the inner court that faces the east shall be closed the six working days; but on the sabbath it shall be opened, and on the day of the new moon it shall be opened.
2. And the prince shall enter by the way of the vestibule of that gate from outside, and shall stand by the post of the gate, and the priests shall prepare his burnt offering and his peace offerings, and he shall bow down at the threshold of the gate; then he shall go out; but the gate shall not be closed until the evening.
3. Likewise the people of the land shall bow down at the door of this gate before the Lord on the sabbaths and the new moons.
4. And the burnt offering that the prince shall offer to the Lord on the sabbath day shall be six lambs without blemish, and a ram without blemish.
5. And the meal offering shall be an ephah for a ram, and the meal offering for the lambs as he shall be able to give, and a hin of oil to an ephah.
6. And on the day of the new moon it shall be a young bull without blemish, and six lambs, and a ram; they shall be without blemish.
7. And he shall prepare a meal offering, an ephah for a bull, and an ephah for a ram, and for the lambs according to his means, and a hin of oil to an ephah.
8. And when the prince shall enter, he shall go in by the way of the vestibule of that gate, and he shall go out by the same way.
9. (K) But when the people of the land shall come before the Lord in the solemn feasts, he who enters in by the way of the north gate to bow down shall go out by the way of the south gate; and he who enters by the way of the south gate shall go out by the way of the north gate; he shall not return by the way of the gate by which he came in, but shall go out straight ahead.
10. And the prince in their midst, when they go in, he shall go in; and when they go out, he shall go out.
11. And in the feasts and in the appointed seasons the meal offering shall be an ephah for a bull, and an ephah for a ram, and for the lambs according to his means, and a hin of oil to an ephah.
12. And when the prince shall prepare a voluntary burnt offering or peace offering to the Lord, the gate facing east shall be opened for him, and he shall prepare his burnt offering and his peace offerings, as he did on the sabbath day; then he shall go out; and after he goes out, the gate shall be closed.
13. And you shall daily prepare a burnt offering to the Lord of a year old lamb without blemish; you shall prepare it every morning.
14. And you shall prepare a meal offering for it every morning, the sixth part of an ephah, and the third part of a hin of oil, to moisten the fine flour; a meal offering continually by an everlasting ordinance to the Lord.
15. (K) Thus shall they prepare the lamb, and the meal offering, and the oil, every morning for a continual burnt offering.
16. Thus says the Lord God: If the prince gives a gift to any of his sons, it shall be its inheritance, it shall be its sons'; it shall be their possession by inheritance.
17. But if he gives a gift of his inheritance to one of his servants, then it shall be his to the year of liberty; then it shall return to the prince; but his inheritance shall be his sons' for them.
18. And the prince shall not take any of the inheritance of the people to thrust them wrongfully out of their possession; but he shall give inheritance to his sons from his own possession; that my people should not be scattered every man from his possession.

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## **Parashas PEKUDEI Verses & Notes**

**KJV Exodus 38:21** This is the sum of **the tabernacle**, *even* of the tabernacle of testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, *for* the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest. 22 And Bezaleel the son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, made all that the LORD commanded Moses. 23 And with him *was* Aholiab, son of Ahisamach, of the tribe of Dan, an engraver, and a cunning workman, and an embroiderer in blue, and in purple, and in scarlet, and fine linen. --**KJV Exodus 35:11** The tabernacle, his tent, and his covering, his taches, and his boards, his bars, his pillars, and his sockets,

**KJV Exodus 38:24** All the gold that was occupied for the work in all the work of the holy *place*, **even the gold of the offering**, was twenty and nine talents, and seven hundred and thirty shekels, after the shekel of the sanctuary. 25 And **the silver of them that were numbered of the congregation was an hundred talents, and a thousand seven hundred and threescore and fifteen shekels**, after the shekel of the sanctuary: 26 A bekah for every man, *that is*, half a shekel, after the shekel of the sanctuary, for every one that went to be numbered, from twenty years old and upward, for six hundred thousand and three thousand and five hundred and fifty men. 27 And of the hundred talents of silver were cast the sockets of the sanctuary, and the sockets of the vail; an hundred sockets of the hundred talents, a talent for a socket. 28 And of the thousand seven hundred seventy and five shekels he made hooks for the pillars, and overlaid their chapters, and filleted them. 29 And **the brass of the offering was seventy talents, and two thousand and four hundred shekels.** 30 And therewith he made the sockets to the door of the tabernacle of the congregation, and the brasen altar, and the brasen grate for it, and all the vessels of the altar, 31 And the sockets of the court round about, and the sockets of the court gate, and all the pins of the tabernacle, and all the pins of the court round about.

--**KJV Exodus 30:13** This they shall give, every one that passeth among them that are numbered, half a shekel after the shekel of the sanctuary: (a shekel *is* twenty gerahs:) an half shekel *shall be* the offering of the LORD.

--**KJV Exodus 25:3** And this *is* the offering which ye shall take of them; gold, and silver, and brass, [see IBN EZRA]

**KJV Exodus 39:1** And of the blue, and purple, and scarlet, they made cloths of service, to do service in the holy *place*, and made the holy garments for Aaron; as the LORD commanded Moses.

--**KJV Exodus 31:10** And the cloths of service, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and the garments of his sons, to minister in the priest's office, [see RASHI]

**KJV Exodus 39:2** And he made **the ephod** of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen. 3 And they did beat the gold into thin plates, and cut *it into* wires, to work *it* in the blue, and in the purple, and in the scarlet, and in the fine linen, *with* cunning work. 4 They made **shoulderpieces for it**, to couple *it* together: by the two edges was it coupled together. 5 And the **curious girdle** of his ephod, that *was* upon it, *was* of the same, according to the work thereof; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen; as the LORD commanded Moses. 6 And they wrought onyx stones inclosed in ouches of gold, graven, as signets are graven, with the names of the children of Israel. 7 And **he put them on the shoulders of the ephod, that they should be stones for a memorial to the children of Israel;** as the LORD commanded Moses.

**KJV Exodus 39:8** And he made **the breastplate** of cunning work, like the work of the ephod; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen. 9 It was foursquare; they made the breastplate double: a span *was* the length thereof, and a span the breadth thereof, *being* doubled. 10 And they set in it four rows of stones: the first row was a sardius, a topaz, and a carbuncle: this was the first row. 11 And the second row, an emerald, a sapphire, and a diamond. 12 And the third row, a figure, an agate, and an amethyst. 13 And the fourth row, a beryl, an onyx, and a jasper: they were inclosed in ouches of gold in their inclosings. 14 And the stones *were* according to the names of the children of Israel, twelve, according to their names, *like* the engravings of a signet, every one with his name, according to the twelve tribes. 15 And they made upon the breastplate chains at the ends, of wreathen work of pure gold. 16 And they made two ouches of gold, and two gold rings; and put the two rings in the two ends of the breastplate. 17 And they put the two wreathen chains of gold in the two rings on the ends of the breastplate. 18 And the two ends of the two wreathen chains they fastened in the two ouches, and put them on the shoulderpieces of the ephod,

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before it. 19 And they made two rings of gold, and put *them* on the two ends of the breastplate, upon the border of it, which *was* on the side of the ephod inward. 20 And they made two *other* golden rings, and put them on the two sides of the ephod underneath, toward the forepart of it, over against the *other* coupling thereof, above the curious girdle of the ephod. 21 And they did bind the breastplate by his rings unto the rings of the ephod with a lace of blue, that it might be above the curious girdle of the ephod, and that the breastplate might not be loosed from the ephod; as the LORD commanded Moses.

**KJV Exodus 39:22** And he made **the robe** of the ephod *of woven work, all of blue.* 23 And *there was* an hole in the midst of the robe, as the hole of an habergeon, *with a band round about the hole, that it should not rend.* 24 And they made upon the hems of the robe pomegranates *of blue, and purple, and scarlet, and twined linen.* 25 And they made **bells** *of pure gold,* and put the bells between the pomegranates upon the hem of the robe, round about between the pomegranates; 26 A bell and a pomegranate, a bell and a pomegranate, round about the hem of the robe to minister *in;* as the LORD commanded Moses.

**KJV Exodus 39:27** And they made **coats of fine linen** *of woven work* for Aaron, and for his sons, 28 And a mitre *of fine linen,* and goodly bonnets *of fine linen,* and linen breeches *of fine twined linen,* 29 And a girdle *of fine twined linen, and blue, and purple, and scarlet, of needlework;* as the LORD commanded Moses.

**KJV Exodus 39:30** And they made **the plate** of the holy crown *of pure gold,* and wrote upon it a writing, *like to the engravings of a signet, HOLINESS TO THE LORD.* 31 And they tied unto it a lace of blue, to fasten *it* on high upon the mitre; as the LORD commanded Moses.

**KJV Exodus 39:32** Thus was all the work of the tabernacle of the tent of the congregation finished: and the children of Israel did according to all that the LORD commanded Moses, so did they. 33 And they brought the tabernacle unto Moses, the tent, and all his furniture, his taches, his boards, his bars, and his pillars, and his sockets, 34 And the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of badgers' skins, and the vail of the covering, 35 The ark of the testimony, and the staves thereof, and the mercy seat, 36 The table, *and all the vessels thereof, and the shewbread,* 37 The pure candlestick, *with the lamps thereof, even with the lamps to be set in order, and all the vessels thereof, and the oil for light,* 38 And the golden altar, and the anointing oil, and the sweet incense, and the hanging for the tabernacle door, 39 The brasen altar, and his grate of brass, his staves, and all his vessels, the laver and his foot, 40 The hangings of the court, his pillars, and his sockets, and the hanging for the court gate, his cords, and his pins, and all the vessels of the service of the tabernacle, for the tent of the congregation, 41 The cloths of service to do service in the holy *place,* and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and his sons' garments, to minister in the priest's office. 42 According to all that the LORD commanded Moses, so the children of Israel made all the work. 43 And Moses did look upon all the work, and, behold, they had done it as the LORD had commanded, even so had they done it: and Moses blessed them.

--**KJV Psalm 90:17** And let the beauty of the LORD our God be upon us: and establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it.

**KJV Exodus 40:1** And the LORD spake unto Moses, saying, 2 **On the first day of the first month** shalt thou set up the tabernacle of the tent of the congregation. 3 And thou shalt put therein the ark of the testimony, and cover the ark with the vail. 4 And thou shalt bring in the table, and set in order the things that are to be set in order upon it; and thou shalt bring in the candlestick, and light the lamps thereof. 5 And thou shalt set the altar of gold for the incense before the ark of the testimony, and put the hanging of the door to the tabernacle. 6 And thou shalt set the altar of the burnt offering before the door of the tabernacle of the tent of the congregation. 7 And thou shalt set the laver between the tent of the congregation and the altar, and shalt put water therein. 8 And thou shalt set up the court round about, and hang up the hanging at the court gate. 9 And thou shalt take the anointing oil, and anoint the tabernacle, and all that is therein, and shalt hallow it, and all the vessels thereof: and it shall be holy. 10 And thou shalt **anoint** the altar of the burnt offering, and all his vessels, and sanctify the altar: and it shall be an altar most holy. 11 And thou shalt **anoint** the laver and his foot, and sanctify it. 12 And thou shalt bring Aaron and his sons unto the door of the tabernacle of the congregation, and wash them with water. 13 And thou shalt put upon Aaron the holy garments, and **anoint** him, and sanctify him; that he may minister unto me in the priest's office. 14 And thou shalt bring his sons, and clothe them with coats: 15 And thou shalt **anoint** them, as thou didst anoint their father, that they may minister unto me in the priest's office: for their anointing shall surely be an everlasting priesthood throughout their generations. 16 Thus did Moses: according to all that the LORD commanded him, so did he.

**Shemos/Exodus 38:21.** This is *the sum* of the things of the tabernacle, of the tabernacle of Testimony, as it was counted, according to the commandment of Moses, for the service of the Levites, by the hand of Ithamar, son to Aaron the priest.

**KJV Exodus 40:17** And it came to pass in the first month in the second year, on the first *day* of the month, **that the tabernacle was reared up.** 18 And Moses reared up the tabernacle, and fastened his sockets, and set up the boards thereof, and put in the bars thereof, and reared up his pillars. 19 And he spread abroad the tent over the tabernacle, and put the covering of the tent above upon it; as the LORD commanded Moses. 20 And he took and put the testimony into the ark, and set the staves on the ark, and put the mercy seat above upon the ark: 21 And he brought the ark into the tabernacle, and set up the vail of the covering, and covered the ark of the testimony; as the LORD commanded Moses. 22 And he put the table in the tent of the congregation, upon the side of the tabernacle northward, without the vail. 23 And he set the bread in order upon it before the LORD; as the LORD had commanded Moses. 24 And he put the candlestick in the tent of the congregation, over against the table, on the side of the tabernacle southward. 25 And he lighted the lamps before the LORD; as the LORD commanded Moses. 26 And he put the golden altar in the tent of the congregation before the vail: 27 And he burnt sweet incense thereon; as the LORD commanded Moses. 28 And he set up the hanging *at* the door of the tabernacle. 29 And he put the altar of burnt offering *by* the door of the tabernacle of the tent of the congregation, and offered upon it the burnt offering and the meat offering; as the LORD commanded Moses. 30 And he set the laver between the tent of the congregation and the altar, and put water there, to wash *withal*. 31 And **Moses and Aaron and his sons washed their hands and their feet thereat: 32 When they went into the tent of the congregation, and when they came near unto the altar, they washed; as the LORD commanded Moses.** 33 And he reared up the court round about the tabernacle and the altar, and set up the hanging of the court gate. So Moses finished the work.

**KJV Exodus 40:34** Then a cloud covered the tent of the congregation, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle. 35 And Moses was not able to enter into the tent of the congregation, because the cloud abode thereon, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle. 36 And when the cloud was taken up from over the tabernacle, the children of Israel went onward in all their journeys: 37 But if the cloud were not taken up, then they journeyed not till the day that it was taken up. 38 For the cloud of the LORD was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.

--**KJV Numbers 7:89** And when Moses was gone into the tabernacle of the congregation to speak with him, then he heard the voice of one speaking unto him from off the mercy seat that *was* upon the ark of testimony, from between the two cherubims: and he spake unto him.