

Lesson 16.

THE TABERNACLES – GENERAL STUDY

Bible Portion:

Exo. 25-31.

Memory Verse:

Exo. 25:8. Then have them make a sanctuary for me, and I will dwell among them. Make this tabernacle and all its furnishings exactly like the pattern I will show you.

Objective: To learn the New Testament truths present in the wonderful construction of the tabernacle and worship the Lord in truth and spirit.

Lesson:

Introduction – Importance of the subject – meaning of the name and its other names – Structure of the Tabernacle – wooden boards covering the tabernacle – curtains of the courtyard – Covering of the tabernacle – Craftsmen – Materials used for the construction.

Questions:

1. Where and in whose supervision was the work of the Tabernacle done? Who were the main craftsmen?
2. The Tabernacle was an important institution for Israel. Why?
3. How appropriate was the name "Tabernacle" for the sanctuary? Which are its other names?
4. Which earthly temple replaced the Tabernacle?
5. What were the main materials used for building the Tabernacle?
6. Draw a plan of the Tabernacle with the courtyard and mark the positions of various articles of the Tabernacle.
7. Write short notes on-
 - a. Boards surrounding the Tabernacle
 - b. Curtains of the courtyard.
 - c. Coverings of the Tabernacle.