DAY ONE

Exodus 19:5-20:17; 24:3; 25:1; 32:1-14; 33:1-3, 12-17; 34:9-10; 40:33

Objectives: As a result of this lesson, I want my student

To Know: God wanted the Israelites to be His treasured possession if they would obey Him and the Israelites agreed when they heard His Commandments. While God was preparing to live with them, the Israelites broke God's law by making a golden calf, nevertheless, God agreed to live in a tent with curtains to remind the people that He was a holy God.

Basic Teaching: Although God is holy and man is sinful, God has a driving desire to be WITH sinful man.

To Respond: by wanting God to be with them, because of their awe of His wanting to be with them in spite of their sin.

DAY TWO

Exodus 38:1-8; Leviticus 4; Ex. 30:17-21

Objectives: As a result of this lesson, I want my student

To Know: When any Israelite approached God, he had to enter through the gate and own up to his sin by presenting a perfect and costly sacrifice whose blood would pay for his sins so that he could be forgiven. Even the priests had to wash in the laver before entering the tent.

Basic Teaching: In order for a person to come to God, he must own up to his sin, realizing how costly it was for Jesus to pay for his sins so he could be forgiven. Unless one is clean, he is not fit for God's presence.

To Respond:

*by owning up to their sin and receiving Jesus' costly sacrifice so they can be forgiven.

*By renewing their cleansing before God.

DAY THREE

Exodus

Objectives: As a result of this lesson, I want my student

To Know: The priests who had washed in the laver would go daily into the Holy place to keep the oil in the Lampstand burning and the loaves on the Table of Showbread fresh.

Basic Teaching: Those who have had their sins atoned for have access to God's guidance (knowing His will) and His strength to do it on a daily basis.

To Respond: by seeking God's will and acting on His strength to do it.

DAY FOUR

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Exodus

Objectives: As a result of this lesson, I want my student

To Know: The Ark of the Covenant was accessible only to the High Priest, only once a year and only with the blood of the atoning sacrifice. The Ten Commandments, jar of manna and Aaron's rod which all showed God's holiness were covered by the mercy seat.

The altar of incense was directly in front of the Holy of Holies and a very costly fragrance was continually burned.

Basic Teaching: One can confidently enter the presence of a Holy God without fear because Jesus' atoning sacrifice has made access to a merciful God. Therefore, one should offer intercessory prayer to God which is fragrantly pleasing to Him.

To Respond: by confidently entering God's presence through prayer, preparing for the day they will enter His presence without fear in person.

DAY FIVE

Exodus

Objectives: As a result of this lesson, I want my students

To Know: Although only the High Priest went into the Holy of Holies to make atonement for all the people, all the priests were responsible to act as mediators as God instructed so that the people could be forgiven.

Basic Teaching: Although only Jesus could go into God's presence to make atonement for people, He gives believers the responsibility to bring others to God His way so they too can be forgiven.

To Respond: by involving themselves in the work of bringing others to Jesus, so others too can be forgiven.

Treasures From the Tent Memory Verses Grades 1-3

Monday-

Matthew 1:23 The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel--which means, "God with us."

Tuesday-

I John 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins, and clean us from all unrighteousness.

Wednesday-

Psalm 119:34 Give me understanding, and I will keep your law and obey it with all my heart.

Thursday-

Psalm 141:2 May my prayer be set before you like incense.

Friday-

I Peter 2:9 But you are a ...royal priesthood...that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.

Bonus Verses:

John 1:29 The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!"

Psalm 119:105 Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path. Matthew 6:11 Give us today our daily bread.

Hebrews 4:16 Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.