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## **Exodus**

# DEDICATION OF THE TABERNACLE **Exodus 40**

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## <u>Finally - The Tabernacle!</u>

The Tabernacle was constructed about 1 year from the actual exodus from Egypt. Moses was in charge of the set up. The materials were all meticulously prepared by the skilled people. The furniture was anointed and set apart as holy. The priests were anointed and set apart. The structure was in place on the first day of the first month of the second year of the Exodus, and God's people were prepared for the Celebration of the Unleavened Bread.

### The Glory of Yahweh

Once the construction was complete, the Glory of God filled the Tabernacle. God was now present with His people. He would guide them on their journey. They would meet Him in this tent. God would speak to Moses (Leviticus 1:1) from this tent. The grand journey of Israel as the People of God begins a new phase!

### GRAND SWEEPING NARRATIVE

- Israel as slaves in Egypt
- Moses called to be God's deliverer
- Clash between God of Israel and gods of Egypt
- Passover

- · Crossing of the Red Sea
- · Moses's song of deliverance
- Mt. Sinai
- The Covenant The nation of Israel is born
- Rebellion
- · The Glory of God
- The Tabernacle

The Word became flesh and made his dwelling (tabernacled) among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

-John 1:14