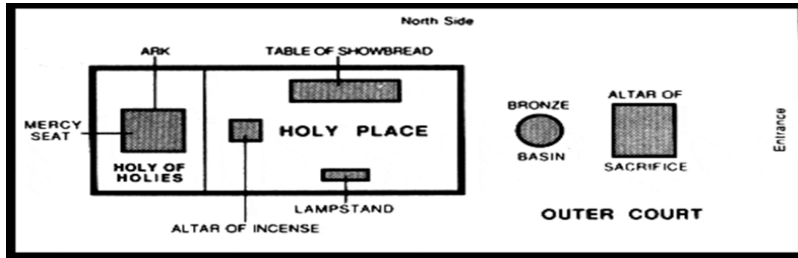


Exodus
From Slavery to Sonship
The Furniture of the Tabernacle (4)
Part 55



The Bronze Laver

Exodus 30:17-21

I. Its specifications. v.18

II. Its purpose. vv.19-21

III. Its significance past and present.

A. For the priests of the Old Covenant.

Cf. Ex.28:36

B. For the priests of the New Covenant.

1. All Christians are priests.

Cf. Rom.12:1,2; Heb.13:15; 1 Pet.2:4,5,9,10; Rev.1:6

2. Christ is our bronze laver.

Cf. Psa.51:2,7,17; Jn.13:8-10; 2 Cor.7:1; 1 Jn.1:7-9

3. No laver/no holiness → no Christ → no life

Cf. Rom.8:13,14; Heb.10:14; 12:14; 1 Pet.1:15; 1 Jn.2:29

"God has nowhere declared that He will preserve the reckless and presumptuous. He preserves in faith and holiness and not in carnality and worldliness." A.W. Pink

"There is a time when Christians are drawn to Christ, but there is never a time in which they shall be drawn away from Christ." John Flavel