Tabernacle Coverings, Veil, Tribes

Types of Dwelling Places:

- 1. Eden
- 2. God walked with Patriarchs
- 3. Tabernacle of Moses
- Tabernacle of David
- 5. Temple of Solomon
- 6. Jesus "Tabernacled among us, and we beheld His Glory." John 1:14-18
- 7. Us- 1 Cor 3:16 "Do you not know that you are the temple of God and *that* the Spirit of God dwells in you?"

Names for Mosaic Tabernacle:

- The Tabernacle (Exodus 25:9)- "tent" or "dwelling place."
- The Sanctuary (Ex 25:8) "holy place" or "place set apart."
- The Tent or Testimony of Witness (Numbers 9:15, 17:7) because it contained the ark of the covenant with the Tablets in them.
- The House of God (Ex 34:26)
- In the Tent of the Congregation (Ex 40:34-35),

Coverings Used

- 1. Fine linen- Righteousness.
 - a. White- righteousness (Sinless man)
 - b. <u>Blue-</u> Heaven- (Heavenly man)
 - c. Purple- Royal (Royal man & Messiah)
 - d. Scarlet- Blood-(Servant man)
 - i. Ex 26:1- "Moreover you shall make the tabernacle with ten curtains of fine woven linen and blue, purple, and scarlet thread; with artistic designs of cherubim you shall weave them."- Ceiling of Sanctuary- "Wings of the Almighty."
- 2. Goats Hair--Sin
 - a. Sacrifice- 2 goats were used on the Day of Atonement.
 - i. The sin offering
 - ii. Scapegoat
- 3. Rams Skin Consecration, dedication, and substitution.
- 4. Badgers Skin- Flesh

Veil- Jesus

- 1. Hebrews 10:19-22 "Therefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus, 20 by a new and living way which He consecrated for us, through the veil, that is, His flesh, 21 and *having* a High Priest over the house of God, 22 let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water."
- 2. 2 Cor 3:7-18 "Now if the ministry that brought death, which was engraved in letters on stone, came with glory, so that the Israelites could not look steadily at the face of Moses

because of its glory, transitory though it was, 8 will not the ministry of the Spirit be even more glorious? 9 If the ministry that brought condemnation was glorious, how much more glorious is the ministry that brings righteousness! 10 For what was glorious has no glory now in comparison with the surpassing glory. 11 And if what was transitory came with glory, how much greater is the glory of that which lasts!12 Therefore, since we have such a hope, we are very bold. 13 We are not like Moses, who would put a veil over his face to prevent the Israelites from seeing the end of what was passing away. 14 But their minds were made dull, for to this day the same veil remains when the old covenant is read. It has not been removed, because only in Christ is it taken away. 15 Even to this day when Moses is read, a veil covers their hearts. 16 But whenever anyone turns to the Lord, the veil is taken away. 17 Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. 18 And we all, who with unveiled faces contemplate[a] the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit."

3. 2 Cor 4:3-5 "And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. 4 The god of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers, so that they cannot see the light of the gospel that displays the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. 5 For what we preach is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord"

12 Tribes

South- Reuben, Simeon, Gad (Man- Luke)- 151,450

"Behold and hear, Israel! Angels will declare him."

- "Reuben, you are my firstborn, My might, and the beginning of my strength, The
 excellency of dignity and the excellency of power. Unstable as water, you shall not excel,
 Because you went up to your father's bed; Then you defiled it—He went up to my
 couch." Genesis 49:3–4
- "Simeon and Levi are brothers; Instruments of cruelty are in their dwelling place." Genesis 49:5
- 3. "Gad, a troop shall tramp upon him, but he shall triumph at last." Genesis 49:19

East-Judah, Issachar, Zebulon (Lion- Matthew) 186,000 - longes

"For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 6:23

4. "Judah, you are he whom your brothers shall praise; Your hand shall be on the neck of your enemies; Your father's children shall bow down before you. The scepter shall not depart from Judah, Nor a lawgiver from between his feet, Until Shiloh comes; And to Him shall be the obedience of the people. Binding his donkey to the vine, And his donkey's colt to the choice vine, He washed his garments in wine, And his clothes in the blood of grapes." Genesis 49:8-11

- 5. "Issachar is a strong donkey, Lying down between two burdens; He saw that rest was good And that the land was pleasant; He bowed his shoulder to bear a burden, And became a band of slaves."-Genesis 49:14-15
- 6. "Zebulun shall dwell by the haven of the sea; He shall become a haven for ships, And his border shall adjoin Sidon." -Genesis 49:13

North -Dan, Asher, Naphtali (Eagle- John)- 157,600

Law has been replaced by grace

- 7. "Dan shall judge his people as one of the tribes of Israel. Dan shall be a serpent, by the way, an adder in the path, that biteth the horse heels so that his rider shall fall backward." Genesis 49:16-17
- 8. "Bread from Asher shall be rich, and he shall yield royal dainties." Genesis 49:20
- 9. "Naphtali is deer let loose; He uses beautiful words." Genesis 49:21

West Ephriam, Mannasah, Benjamin (Ox-Mark)-108,100

Double-portion -" Therefore I will divide him a portion with the many, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong" Is 53:12

- 10. "Now then, your two sons born to you in Egypt before I came to you here will be reckoned as mine; Ephraim and Manasseh will be mine, just as Reuben and Simeon are mine...He too will become a people (*leAm*), and he too will become great. Nevertheless, his younger brother will be greater than he, and his descendants will become a group of nations (*haGoyim*). ..In your name will Israel pronounce this blessing: 'May God make you like Ephraim and Manasseh' Genesis 48:5, 19, 20
- 11. "Benjamin is a ravenous wolf; In the morning, he shall devour the prey, And at night, he shall divide the spoil." -Genesis 49:27