

A TEMPLE FILLED WITH HIS GLORY



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SOLOMON'S TEMPLE CONSECRATED

¹⁹ Yet regard the prayer of Your servant and his supplication, O LORD my God, and listen to the cry and the prayer which Your servant is praying before You: ²⁰ that Your eyes may be open toward this temple day and night, toward the place where You said You would put Your name, that You may hear the prayer which Your servant makes toward this place.

2 Chronicles 6:19-20 (NKJV)



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¹² Then Solomon stood before the altar of the LORD in the presence of all the assembly of Israel, and spread out his hands ¹³ (for Solomon had made a bronze platform five cubits long, five cubits wide, and three cubits high, and had set it in the midst of the court; and he stood on it, knelt down on his knees before all the assembly of Israel, and spread out his hands toward heaven);

2 Chronicles 6:12-15 (NKJV)



SOLOMON'S TEMPLE CONSECRATED

⁴⁰ Now, my God, I pray, let Your eyes be open and let Your ears be attentive to the prayer made in this place. ⁴¹ "Now therefore, Arise, O LORD God, to Your resting place, You and the ark of Your strength. Let Your priests, O LORD God, be clothed with salvation, And let Your saints rejoice in goodness. ⁴² "O LORD God, do not turn away the face of Your Anointed; Remember the mercies of Your servant David.

2 Chronicles 6:40-42 (NKJV)



SOLOMON'S TEMPLE CONSECRATED

¹⁴ and he said: "LORD God of Israel, there is no God in heaven or on earth like You, who keep Your covenant and mercy with Your servants who walk before You with all their hearts.

¹⁵ You have kept what You promised Your servant David my father; You have both spoken with Your mouth and fulfilled it with Your hand, as it is this day.

2 Chronicles 6:12-15 (NKJV)



SOLOMON'S TEMPLE CONSECRATED

¹ When Solomon had finished praying, fire came down from heaven and consumed the burnt offering and the sacrifices; and the glory of the LORD filled the temple.

² And the priests could not enter the house of the LORD, because the glory of the LORD had filled the LORD's house.

2 Chronicles 7:1-2 (NKJV)



THE FIRST CHURCH CONSECRATED

¹ When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

² And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting.

Acts 2:1-4 (NKJV)

**CONSECRATE (KJV DEFINITION)**

To make or declare to be sacred, by certain ceremonies or rites; to appropriate to sacred uses; to set apart, dedicate, or devote, to the service and worship of God.

**THE FIRST CHURCH CONSECRATED**

³ Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them.

⁴ And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Acts 2:1-4 (NKJV)

**WHAT SHOULD WE CONSECRATE TO THE LORD?**

1. Our heart (and spirit).
2. Our soul (mind, will and emotions).
3. Our body (including our sexuality).
4. Our gifts, talents and skills.
5. Our finances and possessions.

**A HOLY TEMPLE: EVERY BELIEVER**

¹⁶ Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?

¹⁷ If anyone defiles the temple of God, God will destroy him. For the temple of God is holy, which temple you are.

1 Corinthians 3:16-17 (NKJV)

**A HOLY TEMPLE: THE CHURCH**

²¹ in whom the whole building, being fitted together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord,

²² in whom you also are being built together for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.

Ephesians 2:21-22 (NKJV)

