

## Treasures of the Sanctuary—Lesson 2—“What is the Sanctuary?”

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### OPENING DISCUSSION QUESTIONS/TALK:

1. If you were going to build a very expensive building, how could you demonstrate your idea to others?
2. When two people are not happy with each other, do you think it can be important for them to have a mediator? Why?

### READING AND STUDY QUESTIONS:

1. Sin had separated man from God. Since God wanted to have a connection with his people, what did He tell Moses to make? (Exodus 25:8,9)
  - a. Was God very specific about how this Sanctuary was made? (Exod. 25:9)
2. What exactly was this Sanctuary like? (Hebrews 9:1-5) *(Consider the furniture and positioning of it in relation to God and the people) Note: the people were outside of the Sanctuary. God's presence was in the Most Holy Place. This shows how sin has separated us from God. But the Sanctuary shows the path back into God's presence through the blood of the Lamb and the work of the priest.*
3. What were the services of the Sanctuary? (Hebrews 9:6,7)
  - a. The \_\_\_\_\_ service and the \_\_\_\_\_ service (Day of Atonement/Judgment day in Israel).
  - b. By what method could a person find forgiveness in this sanctuary? (Leviticus 4:4-6)
  - c. Who did the Lamb point to? (John 1:29)
  - d. Who did the priest represent? (Hebrews 8:1,2)
  - e. Where is Jesus working for us today? Where is this Sanctuary?

4. Who is the one and only mediator between God and man? (1 Timothy 2:5; John 14:6)
5. What is the promise for those who come to God through Jesus Christ? (Hebrews 4:14-16; 1 John 1:9; 1 John 2:1)

**HEART QUESTION(S):**

1. Would you like to have Jesus Christ as your Lamb and High priest in heaven? \_\_\_\_\_

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