

THE TABERNACLE #12

Exodus 25:16 – Hebrews 9:4

THE CONTENTS OF THE ARK

PART I

THE PICTURES IN THE ARK

Intro: The Contents of The Ark

A. Exodus 25:16 – The Testimony – The two stone tablets (Included all items – A Witness)

B. Hebrews 9:4 – Full list of contents

1. Golden Pot of Manna
2. Aaron's rod that budded
3. Stone tablets of broken law

There is a possible fourth item?– Later in lesson (Exd. 24:7 – Deut. 31:24-27)

THE PICTURES

I The Golden Pot of Manna – A PICTURE OF CHRIST

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| A. Round | Perfection | Exodus 16:14 |
| B. White | Purity | Exodus 16:31 |
| C. Honey | Sweet Tasting | Exodus 16:31 |
| D. From Heaven | God sent | Exodus 16:4 |
| 1. Exodus 16:22 | Called Bread | (Exodus 16:4) |
| 2. John 6:32 & 48-51 | I am the <u>true</u> Bread of Heaven | |

(Watch for the Tabernacle as you read John 6:32, 48-51)

II. Aaron's Rod the Budded – A PICTURE OF CHRIST'a RESURRECTION

- A. Christ was a "root out of dry ground" (Isaiah 53:2 – +++ Vs 8 – Vs 10)
- B. Was dead and is now alive (Revelation 1:18 & 2:8)
- C. Details later in lesson

III. Tables of Law – PICTURE OF CHRIST'S WRITTEN WORD

- A. Testified to God's Sovereign Authority
- B. Picture of how jealous God was in preserving His Word
- C. Matthew 5:17 Came to fulfill the law
- D. Romans 10:4 Christ is "the end of the law."