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LESSON 46 EXODUS 29:1-46

In Exodus 24, the covenant is sealed and God's acceptance of the people confirmed. Moses is then called back to the summit to receive the tablets as a memorial and other laws and commandments.

Chapters 25-31 detail the pattern of the tabernacle sanctuary (and its servants) which will symbolize, represent and house the presence of God among His people. Chapter 29:1-46 is a chapter of consecration. It mainly describes how Aaron and his sons will be consecrated, but also the altar and the tent. Included are both the ordination and anointing. As a result, some significant theological terms are mentioned in this chapter. The necessity of these rites closes out the chapter.

1. In v1, what is the purpose of the consecration and what does that mean? Who is responsible for these acts of consecration?
2. In vv1b-3, what items are to be brought?
3. In v4, what is the next step?
4. What is to happen in vv5-7?
 - What is anointing and its purpose?
5. What is to happen according to vv8-9?
 - What does ordain mean?
6. There are at least five steps mentioned in the sacrifice in vv10-14. What is each and the significance? You may use other passages of scripture to help as necessary. You may or may not be able to completely answer the significance for each one

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definitively. However, in looking at this sacrifice and the following ones, we may note the differences.

- V10?

- V11?

- V12?

- V13?

- V14?

- In v14b, how is this offering identified?

- 7. In vv15-18, there is the description for the offering of the first ram. What are the steps and significance if different from the bull?

 - V15?

 - V16?

 - Vv17-18?

 - In v18, how is this offering identified and the commentary?

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8. Vv19-28 describe the sacrifice of the second ram. It is certainly more complex than the other two. It also necessarily follows the other two. What are the steps and their significance?
 - V19?

 - V20?

 - V21?

 - Vv22-24?

 - V25? How is it identified?

 - V26?

 - Vv27-28? What are the different names attached to these portions?
9. What is the significance of vv29-30?

10. Vv31-36a continue the ordination. How are they to handle the portion for Aaron and his sons, and by extension, their sons?

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11. Vv36b-37 may not indicate a completely different offering but certainly its focus is different. What is the focus, how long, and the result?
12. Vv38-42 speak concerning another different offering or set of offerings which is to be made.
- Vv38-39, the offering and timing
 - V40, the accompaniment
 - V41
 - V42, how long and to what end?
13. Vv43-46 almost act as a summary for this chapter and as a purpose for the priesthood. What is it that Jehovah will do and to what benefit for the people?

CONTEMPLATION

14. Through these sacrifices, what were the people of Israel to understand concerning their priests and the high priest? There are at least several answers? In what ways do some of these differentiate them from the Lord Jesus?
15. In what ways are some of these sacrifices types of the Lord Jesus?
16. How might we apply lessons of this chapter to believers as priests before God?