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Tablet of Stone Written by God's Finger

Exodus 31:18 (KJV)

"The LORD called Moses to the mountain, and gave him the two tables of the testimonies, which were written on stone with the finger of God."

This is the record of Jehovah writing the Ten Commandments on two tablets of stone. It is mentioned here that God himself wrote down the law with his own finger, showing the power of God.

Luke 11:20 (KJV)

"If I cast out demons by the finger of God, then the kingdom of God has come to you."

This is what Jesus said when answering people's questioning. He showed that his authority to cast out ghosts came from God's guidance, showing God's power in his actions.

Daniel 5:5 (KJV)

"Suddenly the finger of a man appeared and wrote on the lampstand opposite the palace, against the whitewashed wall of the lampstand. The king saw the finger that was writing,"

Psalms 33:6 - "The LORD made the heavens by his command, and he heaped up the expanse of them by the voice." Describes God's creation of the universe by voice and word.

Genesis 1:1-3 - "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth. The earth was formless and void. Darkness was upon the face of the deep. The Spirit of God moved over the surface of the waters. God said, 'Let there be light,' and there was light." This is At the beginning of creation, God created light with the Word.

John 1:1-3 - "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The Word was in the beginning with God. By Him were all things made, and without Him was not anything that was made Creation." Jesus is described here as the "Word," implying that God created everything with His Word and Being.

Psalm 8:3 (KJV)

"I behold the heavens which your fingers made, and the moon and stars which you laid out."

In the Psalms, the psalmist praises the universe created by God, including the stars in the sky, saying that these are all made by God's fingers, showing God's power and wisdom.

These passages are just a small number of examples in the Bible that record the power of God's finger. The entire Bible contains many miracles and miracles, showing people the power and love of God.

Let us pray together

Dear heavenly father,

We humbly pray to you before you. Thank you for giving us life and teaching us the right way. We beg for your mercy, let the version of the Ten Commandments written by you with your fingers be deeply imprinted in our hearts, guide us to obey your teachings, and become your loyal people.

We worship your power and glory. Thank you for creating the universe with infinite wisdom and power. You are the creator of all creation, and you hold the destiny of all creations.

Please give us a wise understanding, let us realize the importance of love and justice from the Ten Commandments. Let us treat others with love, respect every life, and support each other. May your Ten Commandments be a solid foundation in our actions and decisions so that we manifest your glory in our lives.

Please touch our hearts with the deeds of your fingers. Let us follow your example by touching those in need with our fingers, comforting wounded souls with warm hands, and saving lost hearts with compassionate hands. Let our hands be your tools, convey love and care, and work hard to create a better world.

May your Holy Spirit fill our hearts, guide us from sin, and make us righteous and true. Give us the courage and tenacity to stand firm in your truth when faced with temptations and challenges.

Please protect us with Your power so that we can stand firm in trials and not be disturbed by wind and waves. May your power be our refuge, let us be sheltered under your wings.

May your power heal the wounded mind and heal the pain of the body. Please extend your loving hand to touch our hearts so that we can find peace and comfort.

May you increase our confidence with your mercy and grace, and let us be forever grateful for your love. Please bless us and make us your witnesses to influence and change the world with your love.

We pray in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, amen.

Exodus Chapter 31

Ex. 31:1 Then the LORD said to Moses,

Ex. 31:2 “See I have chosen Bezalel son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah,

Ex. 31:3 and I have filled him with the Spirit of God, with skill, ability and knowledge in all kinds of crafts —

Ex. 31:4 to make artistic designs for work in gold, silver and bronze,

Ex. 31:5 to cut and set stones, to work in wood, and to engage in all kinds of craftsmanship.

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Ex. 31:6 Moreover, I have appointed Oholiab son of Ahisamach, of the tribe of Dan, to help him. Also I have given skill to all the craftsmen to make everything I have commanded you:

Ex. 31:7 the Tent of Meeting, the ark of the Testimony with the atonement cover on it, and all the other furnishings of the tent

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Ex. 31:8 the table and its articles, the pure gold lampstand and all its accessories, the altar of incense,

Ex. 31:9 the altar of burnt offering and all its utensils, the basin with its stand —

Ex. 31:10 and also the woven garments, both the sacred garments for Aaron the priest and the garments for his sons when they serve as priests,

Ex. 31:11 and the anointing oil and fragrant incense for the Holy Place.

They are to make them just as I commanded you.”

Ex. 31:12 Then the LORD said to Moses,

Ex. 31:13 “Say to the Israelites, ‘You must observe my Sabbaths. This will be a sign between me and you for the generations to come, so that you may know that I am the LORD, who makes you holy.

Ex. 31:14 ““Observe the Sabbath, because it is holy to you. Anyone who desecrates it must be put to death; whoever does any work on that day must be cut off from his people.

Ex. 31:15 For six days, work is to be done, but the seventh day is a Sabbath of rest, holy to the LORD. Whoever does any work on the Sabbath day must be put to death.

Ex. 31:16 The Israelites are to observe the Sabbath, celebrating it for the generations to come as a lasting covenant.

Ex. 31:17 It will be a sign between me and the Israelites for ever, for in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, and on the seventh day he abstained from work and rested.””

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Ex. 31:18 When the LORD finished speaking to Moses on Mount Sinai, he gave him the two tablets of the Testimony, the tablets of stone inscribed by the finger of God.

Exodus chapter 31 begins with God appointing two skilled craftsmen, Bezalel and Oholiab, to lead the construction of the tabernacle and all its furnishings. They are filled with the Spirit of God and given wisdom, understanding, and skill to carry out this work.

God then reminds Moses of the importance of keeping the Sabbath day holy, and tells him that the Israelites are to observe it as a sign of their covenant with God. Anyone who works on the Sabbath is to be put to death.

The chapter continues with God giving Moses the two tablets of the Testimony, which contain the Ten Commandments. God instructs Moses to keep the tablets in the Ark of the Covenant.

God concludes by reaffirming that the Sabbath is a sign between Him and the Israelites, and that it is to be observed throughout their generations. He then gives Moses the tablets of the Testimony and finishes speaking with him on Mount Sinai.

the key verses Chapter 31 of Exodus in the Bible

Exodus chapter 31 discusses the appointment of Bezalel and Oholiab as the master craftsmen who would oversee the construction of the Tabernacle.

The key verses are:

1. "See, I have called by name Bezalel the son of Uri, son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, and I have filled him with the Spirit of God, with ability and intelligence, with knowledge and all craftsmanship" (Exodus 31:2-3): This verse describes God's appointment of Bezalel as the master craftsman, emphasizing the divine inspiration and guidance he received.
2. "And I have given to all able men ability, that they may make all that I have commanded you" (Exodus 31:6): This verse highlights the importance of skill and ability in the construction of the Tabernacle, and emphasizes that God has provided these abilities to the people.
3. "Six days shall work be done, but the seventh day is a Sabbath of solemn rest, holy to the Lord" (Exodus 31:15): This verse reiterates the importance of Sabbath observance, and underscores the idea that even the work of constructing the Tabernacle must be set aside in order to honor the holiness of the Sabbath.

Overall, Exodus chapter 31 emphasizes the importance of skilled craftsmanship in the service of God, and underscores the idea that this work should be done in a spirit of inspiration and divine guidance. The chapter also highlights the importance of Sabbath observance as a key element of the Israelites' religious practice.

Here's a reflection on Exodus chapter 31:

Exodus chapter 31 focuses on the appointment of Bezalel and Oholiab as skilled craftsmen for the construction of the tabernacle. God specifically chooses these individuals and fills them with the Spirit of God, wisdom, and understanding to carry out the intricate work required for the tabernacle and its furnishings.

One of the central themes in this chapter is the divine calling and gifting of individuals for specific tasks. Bezalel and Oholiab were chosen by God and endowed with the necessary skills and wisdom to create the artistic elements of the tabernacle. Their craftsmanship was a direct result of the Spirit of God working within them, enabling them to contribute their talents to the building of God's dwelling place among His people.

The chapter also emphasizes the importance of the Sabbath and the commandment to honor the day of rest. God instructs the Israelites to observe the Sabbath as a sign of their covenant relationship with Him. This day was to be kept holy, a time for rest, worship, and renewal.

Reflecting on Exodus chapter 31, we can draw several lessons for our own lives. Firstly, it reminds us that God has uniquely gifted each individual for specific purposes and tasks. Just as Bezalel and Oholiab were chosen by God and filled with His Spirit for craftsmanship, we are also called and equipped by God to fulfill specific roles and responsibilities within His kingdom. Our talents and abilities, whether in the arts, sciences, leadership, or other areas, can be used to glorify God and contribute to His work in the world.

Secondly, this chapter highlights the importance of honoring the Sabbath and finding rest in God. In our busy lives, it can be tempting to prioritize work and productivity above rest and worship. However, God's commandment to observe the Sabbath reminds us of the need for physical, emotional, and spiritual renewal. Taking time to rest, reflect, and worship not only restores our energy but also deepens our relationship with God and aligns our priorities with His.

Furthermore, the chapter underscores the role of the Holy Spirit in empowering and guiding us in our tasks. Just as Bezalel and Oholiab were filled with the Spirit of God, we too can rely on the Holy Spirit to lead and empower us in our endeavors. When we invite the Holy Spirit into our lives, He provides us with wisdom, understanding, and creativity to fulfill our calling and make a meaningful impact in the world.

In conclusion, Exodus chapter 31 reminds us of God's calling, gifting, and empowerment in our lives. It calls us to recognize and utilize our unique talents for His purposes, honor the Sabbath as a time of rest and worship, and rely on the Holy Spirit for wisdom and guidance. By reflecting on these lessons, we can embrace our God-given abilities, find rest in Him, and allow the Holy Spirit to work through us to bring about His purposes in the world.