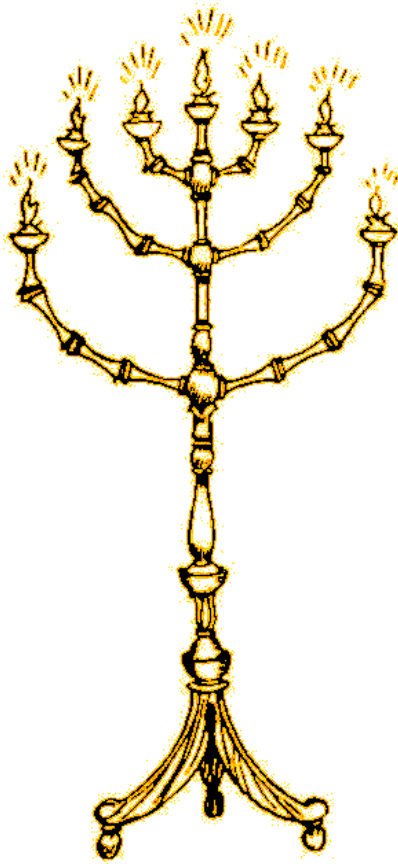


THE GOLDEN



CANDLESTICK

THE GOLDEN CANDLESTICK:

“The Golden Candlestick” was made for the tabernacle. It was made of ‘Pure Gold’, and had six branches coming out of it’s sides. “The Golden Candlestick” represents the Church of today. It is to be ‘Pure’ and without ‘spot or wrinkle’. (Eph 5:27)

Exod 25:31-32 (Lev 24:4 Zec 4:2)

31 And **thou shalt make a candlestick of pure gold**: of beaten work shall the candlestick be made:

32 **And six branches shall come out of the sides of it**...

THE SEVEN LAMPS OF FIRE:

“The Golden Candlestick” had one lamp on the stand and one on each branch, totaling ‘Seven Lamps’, which burned with fire.

Exod 25:37

37 **And thou shalt make the seven lamps**

thereof: **and they shall light the lamps** thereof, **that they may give light** over against it. The ‘Seven Lamps of Fire’ represent the ‘Seven Spirits of God’ which are the ‘Seven Attributes’ of the Holy Spirit.

Rev 4:5

5 ...**and there were seven lamps of fire burning before the throne which are the seven Spirits of God.**

The Holy Spirit gives the light unto the Church, and we Christians represent the ‘light’ coming out of the lamps.

Matt 5:14

14 **Ye are the light of the world**....

THE OIL:

We Christians are being fed Spiritually by ‘The Oil’. ‘The Oil’, is ‘Pure Oil’ that has been ‘beaten’ for the light (us), to cause the lamps to burn always. That ‘Oil’ represents Jesus Christ through the Holy Spirit. As long as the ‘beaten’ ‘Oil’ flows through the lamps, the light will remain on.

Exod 27:20 (Lev. 24:2)

20 And **thou shalt command** the children of Israel, **that they bring thee pure oil olive beaten for the light, to cause the lamp to burn always.**

THE INCENSE:

‘The Incense’ represents the ‘Prayers of the Saints’. Just like ‘The Incense’ (Prayers) are to be given perpetually.

Exod 30:7-8

7 And **Aaron shall burn thereon sweet incense every morning**: when he dresseth the lamps, he shall burn incense upon it.

8 **And when Aaron lighteth the lamps at even, he shall burn incense upon it, a perpetual incense before the LORD** throughout your generations.

Rev 5:8 (The Prayers of the Saints reach into Heaven)

8 ...and four and twenty elders fell down before the Lamb, having every one of them harps, **and golden vials full of odours, which are the prayers of saints.**

A WARNING TO PASTORS/PRIESTS:

Just as “The Golden Candlestick” was made according to God’s pattern, so must we take care to build the Church of God in the same manner.

Exod 25:39-40

39 **Of a talent of pure gold shall he make it,** with all these vessels.

40 **And look that thou make them after their pattern, which was shewed thee...**

CONCLUSION:

If you have not built your Church of 'Pure Gold' just like "The Golden Candlestick", and according to God's plan, then you need to Repent!

Rev 2:5

5 **Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works; or else I will come unto thee quickly, and will remove thy candlestick out of his place, except thou repent.**

Amen!

Timothy II