**MESSAGE 105**

**THE ALTAR OF BURNT OFFERING (2)**

1. With Lev 9:22 and 2 Chron 30:16, explain what the ledge of the altar in Exodus 27:5 is in relation to the priests.
2. Was the ledge outside the altar or inside, and how do we know?
3. Why is it spiritually significant that the altar has certain puzzling elements to it?
4. What is the significance of the grating?
5. Explain the four bronze rings at the end of the grating and how they relate to the eternal Spirit in Heb 9:14.
6. Explain the spiritual significance of the rings being attached to the grating inside the altar yet themselves being outside the altar.
7. What was the purpose of the ledge, and explain the spiritual significance of the ledge in strengthening and upholding Christ under God’s judgment.
8. Explain the rings and the poles in relation to the move of the cross by the power of the Spirit.
9. What is the significance of the altar being made with planks to be hollow and of a size sufficient to contain all the utensils of the tabernacle?
10. In your own words, explain the burden of this message, emphasizing the Spirit for burning and moving.

**MESSAGE 106**

**THE ALTAR OF BURNT OFFERING (3)**

1. Explain how the cross in the NT is not revealed in a way which corresponds to our natural human understanding.
2. Which verses show us that the rings in Exo 27:1-8 are one set of four rings and not two sets?
3. Explain how the Gospels, Acts and the following Epistles of the NT give us a definition of the grating and the four rings.
4. What is the situation in today’s Christianity with respect to the grating and the rings?
5. John \_\_\_\_\_\_ show us Christ was made in the likeness of the flesh of sin and 2 Cor \_\_\_\_\_ shows us that Christ was made sin.
6. What was the height of the grating in the altar in relation to the altar and the ark of the testimony?
7. What does the height of the grating signify spiritually?
8. What does the one and a half cubits above the grating (reaching to the top of the altar) signify spiritually?
9. The redemption of Christ is powerful because of two things: 1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and 2) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
10. How can we experience the cross of Christ today?