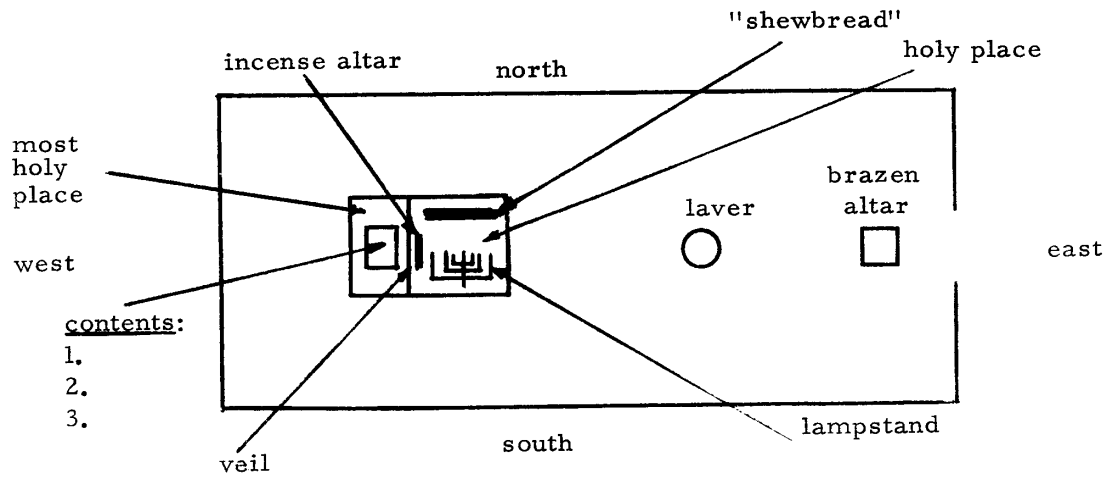


Tabernacle, Deuteronomy, Joshua, Judges, Ruth

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a. "Military"

(1) Othniel

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(3) Deborah

(4) Gideon

(5) Jephthah

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 - c. Able to redeem (Hebrews 7:25)
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SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE - Judges 21:25 – “In those days there was no king in Israel: every man did that which was right in his own eyes.”

Note: This verse summarizes the period of the Judges, and the chaotic conditions parallel our own day when people are intent on "doing their own thing", with no concern for God's Word.

KINGS AND PROPHETS OF ISRAEL AND JUDAH

