

Exodus, Chapter 40

THE WAY OUT:

- The _____ of _____.
 - The Holy of Holies

- Imparted _____.
 - The Holy Place

- The _____.
 - The Outer Court

- The _____.
 - The world

THE WAY IN:

- God's _____.
 - God's character

- God's provision for _____.
 - The perfect sacrifice and cleansing

- God's provision for _____.
 - Justification and renewed relationship

- The _____ of _____.
 - Indwelling and anticipating

Takin' it “to-go”:

HOME STUDY QUESTIONS & MESSAGE SUPPLEMENT

Palm Sunday, March 28, 2021: “The Way Out is the Way In”

Thinking about it:

Satellite construction requires the use of what are called “cleanrooms”. Cleanrooms are 10,000 times more clean than a hospital operating room! The smallest earthly particulate matter can cause problems over time as the satellite endures the rigors of space travel and function. Those who assemble the satellite in the cleanroom have to go through a systematic preparation to enter the sanitary environment without introducing contaminants.

The phases of entry are:

- **The outside world.**
- **The Cleaning corridor** with sanitizing floor for the bottoms of the shoes and a vacuum system to remove particles from the individual as they pass through.
- **The Changing room** where they drink water to rinse down anything in their throats before covering/containing any facial/body hair, putting on their “bunny suit” (usually white hooded coveralls, shoe covers, masks, and air-filtering full hoods.
- **The Cleanroom.**

If you were a one of the technicians that worked in a cleanroom:

- How would your job effect how you show up for work from the outside world?
 - Why?
- How would you want to prepare yourself just before you enter into the cleaning corridor?
 - Why?
- If you had to exit to the outside world again, what would you do for re-entry?
 - Why?

In Sunday’s message we learned the sequence of re-entry into God’s presence as fallen humans that were separated from His Holiness by sin. We are contaminated with sin in the “outside world”. The Tabernacle is the “cleaning corridor” (*court of sacrifice & washing*), “the changing room” (*Holy Place*), and the “cleanroom” (Holy of Holies). Fallen man still needs the ongoing sequence to dwell in God’s Holy Presence as we continually fall short, but this sequence is fully provided for by Jesus’ work in death and resurrection! Our faith in Jesus and our sacrifices of obedience and worship enter us back into the fullness of God’s Holy Presence!

Use the analogy of a cleanroom where entering the fullness of God’s presence is like entering the cleanroom... how would you relate these passages to the cleanroom entry process?

- **James 2:14-26**
- **John 1:12**
- **Revelation 21:22-27**
- **Psalm 100:1-5**

PRAY: Thank God for sending His Son Jesus, who rode IN on a donkey to get us OUT of slavery to sin and IN to the fullness of His presence! Commit to enter into, and live in, the fullness of His presence through the way opened up to you!

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THE WAY OUT:

- The FULLNESS of GOD’S PRESENCE.
 - The Holy of Holies

- Imparted RIGHTEOUSNESS.
 - The Holy Place

- The BROKEN RELATIONSHIP.
 - The Outer Court

- The TOTAL SEPARATION.
 - The world

THE WAY IN:

- God’s UNCONDITIONAL LOVE.
 - God’s character

- God’s provision for RECONCILIATION.
 - The perfect sacrifice and cleansing

- God’s provision for RESTORATION.
 - Justification and renewed relationship

- The FULLNESS of GOD’S PRESENCE.
 - Indwelling and anticipating

Takin’ it “to-go”: *God desperately wants to restore me through reconciled relationship with Him!*