TUESDAYS IN THE TORAH

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Parashat Tetzaveh אַבַּוּהַ

The Weekly Hebrew Lesson

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Moses MIA

The Garments of the High Priest and the Menorah

To Whom Shall We Go?

A Lesson from the Talmud

The Altar of Incense

The Priestly Garments and the Cherubim

| Name of Four White Garments of | Name in Hebrew | Atoning Power |
|---------------------------------|--|---------------|
| Ordinary Priests | | |
| Hat | Mitznefet | Haugtiness |
| Wide belt (from waist to heart) | Avnet | Lust |
| Shirt | Kutonet (same word as Joseph's shirt which | Murder |
| | brothers used as evidence of 'murder') | |
| Pants | Michnasayim | Adultery |

| Name of Four Golden Garments of the High Priest | Name in Hebrew | Atoning Power |
|--|------------------|-------------------------|
| Golden plate on forehead | Tziz | Brazeness |
| Robe | Me'il | Slander and evil speech |
| Breastplate | Chosehem Mishpat | Corrupt judgment |
| Gown | Efod | Idolatry |