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(d) Execution of the work regarding the priesthood (39:1-31)

(i) Ephod (39:1-7)

1 Now from the violet, purple, and scarlet *material* they made finely woven garments for ministering in the Holy Place, as well as the holy garments which were for Aaron, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

1 Moreover, from the blue and purple and scarlet *material*, they made finely woven garments for ministering in the holy place as well as the holy garments which were for Aaron, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

1 From the blue, purple, and scarlet material they made finely woven garments for ministering in the Holy Place, and they made the holy garments for Aaron, just as the LORD commanded Moses.

1 And of the blue, and purple, and scarlet, they made cloths of service, to do service in the holy place, and made the holy garments for Aaron; as the LORD commanded Moses.

2 He made the ephod of gold *and* of violet, purple, and scarlet *material*, and fine twisted linen.

2 He made the ephod of gold, *and* of blue and purple and scarlet *material*, and fine twisted linen.

2 He made the ephod out of gold, blue, purple, and scarlet material and fine woven linen.

2 And he made the ephod of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen.

3 Then they hammered out gold sheets and cut *them* into threads to be woven in *with* the violet, the purple, and the scarlet *material*, and the fine linen, the work of a skilled

embroiderer.

3 Then they hammered out gold sheets and cut *them* into threads to be woven in *with* the blue and the purple and the scarlet *material*, and the fine linen, the work of a skillful workman.

3 They hammered out gold sheets and cut off threads to work into the blue, purple, and scarlet material and into the fine linen, a work of skillful design.

3 And they did beat the gold into thin plates, and cut it into wires, to work it in the blue, and in the purple, and in the scarlet, and in the fine linen, with cunning work.

4 They made attaching shoulder pieces for the ephod; it was attached at its two *upper* ends.

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4 They made connecting shoulder pieces for the ephod and attached them to its two edges.

4 They made shoulder pieces for it, to couple it together: by the two edges was it coupled together.

5 And the skillfully woven band of its overlay which was on it was like its workmanship, of the same material: of gold *and* of violet, purple, and scarlet *material*, and fine twisted linen, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

5 The skillfully woven band which was on it was like its workmanship, of the same material: of gold *and* of blue and purple and scarlet *material*, and fine twisted linen, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

5 The skillfully woven band that was on it was made like it, of one piece with it: of gold, blue, purple, and scarlet material and fine woven linen, just as the LORD commanded Moses.

5 And the curious girdle of his ephod, that was upon it, was of the same, according to the work thereof; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen; as the LORD commanded Moses.

6 They also made the onyx stones, set in gold filigree *settings*; they were engraved *like* the engravings of a signet, according to the names of the sons of Israel.

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6 They prepared the onyx stones, engraved with the names of the sons of Israel like the engraving on a signet, and mounted them in settings of gold filigree.

6 And they wrought onyx stones inclosed in ouches of gold, graven, as signets are graven, with the names of the children of Israel.

7 And he placed them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod as memorial stones for the sons of Israel, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

7 And he placed them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod, as memorial stones for the sons of Israel, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

7 He put them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod as stones of remembrance for the sons of Israel, just as the LORD commanded Moses.

7 And he put them on the shoulders of the ephod, that they should be stones for a memorial to the children of Israel; as the LORD commanded Moses.

(ii) Breastplate (39:8-21)

8 And he made the breastpiece, the work of a skilled embroiderer, like the workmanship of the ephod: of gold *and* of violet, purple, and scarlet *material* and fine twisted linen.

8 He made the breastpiece, the work of a skillful workman, like the workmanship of the ephod: of gold *and* of blue and purple and scarlet *material* and fine twisted linen.

8 He made a breast piece, skillfully worked, like the work of the ephod: of gold, blue, purple, and scarlet material and fine woven linen.

8 And he made the breastplate of cunning work, like the work of the ephod; of gold, blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine twined linen.

9 It was square; they made the breastpiece folded double, a span long and a span wide when folded double.

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9 They made the breast piece square when folded double: one span in length and one span in width when folded double.

9 It was foursquare; they made the breastplate double: a span was the length thereof, and a span the breadth thereof, being doubled.

10 And they mounted four rows of stones on it. The first row *was* a row of ruby, topaz, and emerald;

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10 They mounted on it four rows of stones. The first row was a row of carnelian, topaz, and emerald;

10 And they set in it four rows of stones: the first row was a sardius, a topaz, and a carbuncle: this was the first row.

11 and the second row, a turquoise, a sapphire, and a diamond;

11 and the second row, a turquoise, a sapphire and a diamond;

11 the second row ruby, sapphire, and crystal;

11 And the second row, an emerald, a sapphire, and a diamond.

12 and the third row, a jacinth, an agate, and an amethyst;

12 and the third row, a jacinth, an agate, and an amethyst;

12 the third row jacinth, agate, and amethyst;

12 And the third row, a ligure, an agate, and an amethyst.

13 and the fourth row, a beryl, an onyx, and a jasper. They were set in gold filigree *settings* when they were mounted.

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13 and the fourth row beryl, onyx, and jasper. They were set in gold filigree when they were mounted.

13 And the fourth row, a beryl, an onyx, and a jasper: they were inclosed in ouches of gold in their inclosings.

14 The stones corresponded to the names of the sons of Israel; they were twelve, corresponding to their names, *engraved with* the engravings of a signet, each with its name for the twelve tribes.

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14 The stones corresponded to the names of the sons of Israel, twelve stones corresponding to their names, with the engraving of a signet, each with the name of one of the twelve tribes.

14 And the stones were according to the names of the children of Israel, twelve, according to their names, like the engravings of a signet, every one with his name, according to the twelve tribes.

15 And they made for the breastpiece chains like cords, work of twisted cords of pure gold.

15 They made on the breastpiece chains like cords, of twisted cordage work in pure gold.

15 They made chains of pure gold twisted like cords for the breast piece.

15 And they made upon the breastplate chains at the ends, of wreathen work of pure gold.

16 They made two gold filigree *settings* and two gold rings, and put the two rings on the two ends of the breastpiece.

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16 They made two settings of gold filigree and two gold rings, and they put the two rings on the two edges of the breast piece.

16 And they made two ouches of gold, and two gold rings; and put the two rings in the two ends of the breastplate.

17 Then they put the two gold cords in the two rings at the ends of the breastpiece.

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17 They put the two gold cords on the two gold rings at the edges of the breast piece,

17 And they put the two wreathen chains of gold in the two rings on the ends of the breastplate.

18 And they put the *other* two ends of the two cords on the two filigree *settings*, and put them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod at the front of it.

18 They put the *other* two ends of the two cords on the two filigree *settings*, and put them on the shoulder pieces of the ephod at the front of it.

18 and they attached the other two ends of the two cords to the filigree settings, and then attached them to the shoulder pieces of the ephod in front.

18 And the two ends of the two wreathen chains they fastened in the two ouches, and put them on the shoulderpieces of the ephod, before it.

19 They made two gold rings and placed *them* on the two ends of the breastpiece, on its inner edge which was next to the ephod.

19 They made two gold rings and placed *them* on the two ends of the breastpiece, on its inner edge which was next to the ephod.

19 They made two gold rings and attached them to the two edges of the breast piece, on the side of it which is toward the inner side of the ephod.

19 And they made two rings of gold, and put them on the two ends of the breastplate, upon the border of it, which was on the side of the ephod inward.

20 Furthermore, they made two gold rings and placed them on the bottom of the two shoulder pieces of the ephod, on the front of it, close to the place where it joined, above

the woven band of the ephod.

20 Furthermore, they made two gold rings and placed them on the bottom of the two shoulder pieces of the ephod, on the front of it, close to the place where it joined, above the woven band of the ephod.

20 They made two gold rings and attached them in front, on the lower part of the two shoulder pieces of the ephod, close to the place where it's joined, above the skillfully woven band of the ephod.

20 And they made two other golden rings, and put them on the two sides of the ephod underneath, toward the forepart of it, over against the other coupling thereof, above the curious girdle of the ephod.

21 And they bound the breastpiece by its rings to the rings of the ephod with a violet cord, so that it would be on the woven band of the ephod, and that the breastpiece would not come loose from the ephod, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

21 They bound the breastpiece by its rings to the rings of the ephod with a blue cord, so that it would be on the woven band of the ephod, and that the breastpiece would not come loose from the ephod, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

21 They tied the breast piece by its rings to the rings of the ephod with a blue cord so it would rest on the skillfully woven band of the ephod and so the breast piece would not come loose from the ephod.

21 And they did bind the breastplate by his rings unto the rings of the ephod with a lace of blue, that it might be above the curious girdle of the ephod, and that the breastplate might not be loosed from the ephod; as the LORD commanded Moses.

(iii) Robe (39:22-26)

22 Then he made the robe of the ephod of woven work, all of violet;

22 Then he made the robe of the ephod of woven work, all of blue;

22 He made the robe of the ephod of woven work, entirely of blue.

22 And he made the robe of the ephod of woven work, all of blue.

23 and the opening of the robe was *at the top* in the center, as the opening of a coat of mail, with a binding all around its opening, so that it would not be torn.

23 and the opening of the robe was *at the top* in the center, as the opening of a coat of mail, with a binding all around its opening, so that it would not be torn.

23 The opening of the robe was in the middle, like the opening of a coat of mail, with a binding around the opening so it would not be torn.

23 And there was an hole in the midst of the robe, as the hole of an habergeon, with a band round about the hole, that it should not rend.

24 And they made pomegranates of violet, purple, and scarlet *material and twisted linen* on the hem of the robe.

24 They made pomegranates of blue and purple and scarlet *material and twisted linen* on the hem of the robe.

24 On the hem of the robe, they placed pomegranates made of blue, purple, and scarlet material and woven linen.

24 And they made upon the hems of the robe pomegranates of blue, and purple, and scarlet, and twined linen.

25 They also made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates all around on the hem of the robe,

25 They also made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates all around on the hem of the robe,

25 They made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates, on the hem of the robe, all around between the pomegranates.

25 And they made bells of pure gold, and put the bells between the pomegranates upon the hem of the robe, round about between the pomegranates;

26 alternating a bell and a pomegranate all around on the hem of the robe for the service, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

26 alternating a bell and a pomegranate all around on the hem of the robe for the service, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

26 There was a bell and a pomegranate, then a bell and a pomegranate, all around the hem of the robe for when the High Priest ministered, just as the LORD commanded Moses.

26 A bell and a pomegranate, a bell and a pomegranate, round about the hem of the robe to minister in; as the LORD commanded Moses.

(iv) Tunic, turban, sash, golden plate (39:27-31)

27 They also made the tunics of finely woven linen for Aaron and his sons,

27 They made the tunics of finely woven linen for Aaron and his sons,

27 They made tunics for Aaron and his sons, woven from fine linen,

27 And they made coats of fine linen of woven work for Aaron, and for his sons,

28 and the turban of fine linen, and the decorated caps of fine linen, and the linen undergarments of fine twisted linen,

28 and the turban of fine linen, and the decorated caps of fine linen, and the linen breeches of fine twisted linen,

28 the turban of fine linen, decorated head coverings of fine linen, linen undergarments of fine woven linen,

28 And a mitre of fine linen, and goodly bonnets of fine linen, and linen breeches of fine twined linen,

29 and the sash of fine twisted linen, and violet, purple, and scarlet *material*, the work of the weaver, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

29 and the sash of fine twisted linen, and blue and purple and scarlet *material*, the work of the weaver, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

29 and the sash of fine woven linen, woven of blue, purple, and scarlet material, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

29 And a girdle of fine twined linen, and blue, and purple, and scarlet, of needlework; as the LORD commanded Moses.

30 They also made the plate of the holy crown of pure gold, and inscribed it like the engravings of a signet, "Holy to the LORD."

30 They made the plate of the holy crown of pure gold, and inscribed it like the engravings of a signet, "Holy to the LORD."

30 They made the medallion for the holy crown of pure gold, and they wrote on it an inscription like the engraving on a seal: "Holy to the LORD."

30 And they made the plate of the holy crown of pure gold, and wrote upon it a writing, like to the engravings of a signet, HOLINESS TO THE LORD.

31 Then they fastened a violet cord to it, to fasten it on the turban above, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

31 They fastened a blue cord to it, to fasten it on the turban above, just as the LORD had commanded Moses.

31 They fastened a blue cord to it in order to fasten it on the turban above, as the LORD had commanded Moses.

31 And they tied unto it a lace of blue, to fasten it on high upon the mitre; as the LORD commanded Moses.

(e) Moses inspects the work (39:32-43)

32 So all the work of the tabernacle of the tent of meeting was completed; and the sons of Israel did according to all that the LORD had commanded Moses; so they did.

32 Thus all the work of the tabernacle of the tent of meeting was completed; and the sons of Israel did according to all that the LORD had commanded Moses; so they did.

32 All the work on the Tent of Meeting was completed, and the Israelis had crafted it according to everything that the LORD had commanded Moses, as they should have.

32 Thus was all the work of the tabernacle of the tent of the congregation finished: and the children of Israel did according to all that the LORD commanded Moses, so did they.

33 Then they brought the tabernacle to Moses, the tent and all its furnishings: its clasps, its boards, its bars, its pillars, and its bases;

33 They brought the tabernacle to Moses, the tent and all its furnishings: its clasps, its boards, its bars, and its pillars and its sockets;

33 They brought to Moses the tent, all its furnishings, its clasps, its boards, its bars, its pillars, its sockets,

33 And they brought the tabernacle unto Moses, the tent, and all his furniture, his taches, his boards, his bars, and his pillars, and his sockets,

34 and the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of fine leather, and the covering curtain;

34 and the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of porpoise skins, and the screening veil;

34 the covering of ram skins dyed red, the covering of dolphin skins, the curtain,

34 And the covering of rams' skins dyed red, and the covering of badgers' skins, and the vail of the covering,

35 the ark of the testimony, its poles, and the atoning cover;

35 the ark of the testimony and its poles and the mercy seat;

35 the Ark of the Testimony and its poles, the Mercy Seat,

35 The ark of the testimony, and the staves thereof, and the mercy seat,

36 the table, all its utensils, and the bread of the Presence;

36 the table, all its utensils, and the bread of the Presence;

36 the table and all its utensils, the bread of the presence,

36 The table, and all the vessels thereof, and the shewbread,

37 the pure *gold* lampstand, with its arrangement of lamps and all its utensils, and the oil for the light;

37 the pure *gold* lampstand, with its arrangement of lamps and all its utensils, and the oil for the light;

37 the lamp stand of pure gold, its lamps (with the lamps in order), its furnishings, its oil for lighting,

37 The pure candlestick, with the lamps thereof, even with the lamps to be set in order, and all the vessels thereof, and the oil for light,

38 and the gold altar, and the anointing oil and the fragrant incense, and the curtain for the doorway of the tent;

38 and the gold altar, and the anointing oil and the fragrant incense, and the veil for the doorway of the tent;

38 the altar of gold, anointing oil, aromatic incense, the screen for the doorway to the tent,

38 And the golden altar, and the anointing oil, and the sweet incense, and the hanging for the tabernacle door,

39 the bronze altar and its bronze grating, its poles and all its utensils, the basin and its stand;

39 the bronze altar and its bronze grating, its poles and all its utensils, the laver and its stand;

39 the bronze altar and the bronze lattice for it, its poles, all its furnishings, the basin and its base,

39 The brasen altar, and his grate of brass, his staves, and all his vessels, the laver and his foot,

40 the hangings for the courtyard, its pillars and its bases, and the curtain for the gate of the courtyard, its ropes and its pegs, and all the equipment for the service of the tabernacle, for the tent of meeting;

40 the hangings for the court, its pillars and its sockets, and the screen for the gate of the court, its cords and its pegs and all the equipment for the service of the tabernacle, for the tent of meeting;

40 the hangings for the court, its pillars, its sockets, the screen for the gate of the court, its cords, its pegs, all the furnishings for the service of the tent, for the Tent of Meeting,

40 The hangings of the court, his pillars, and his sockets, and the hanging for the court gate, his cords, and his pins, and all the vessels of the service of the tabernacle, for the tent of the congregation,

41 the woven garments for ministering in the Holy Place, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest and the garments of his sons, to serve as priests.

41 the woven garments for ministering in the holy place and the holy garments for Aaron the priest and the garments of his sons, to minister as priests.

41 the woven garments for Aaron the priest for ministering in the Holy Place, and the garments for his sons for serving as priests.

41 The cloths of service to do service in the holy place, and the holy garments for Aaron the priest, and his sons' garments, to minister in the priest's office.

42 So the sons of Israel did all the work according to everything that the LORD had commanded Moses.

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42 The Israelis had done all the work according to all that the LORD had commanded Moses.

42 According to all that the LORD commanded Moses, so the children of Israel made all the work.

43 And Moses examined all the work, and behold, they had done it; just as the LORD had commanded, this they had done. So Moses blessed them.

43 And Moses examined all the work and behold, they had done it; just as the LORD had commanded, this they had done. So Moses blessed them.

43 Moses blessed them when he saw all the work and that they had completed it. They had done it just as the LORD had commanded.

43 And Moses did look upon all the work, and, behold, they had done it as the LORD had commanded, even so had they done it: and Moses blessed them.