

THE FEAST OF TABERNACLES

I. PURPOSE

Today we begin a joyous celebration by remembering the mighty and wonderful works of God (Elohim). We are keeping this feast unto the Almighty God (Elohim) who has given us great and plenteous blessings. We have reaped the goodness from his hands. On this holy feast day we are to remember how God (Elohim) provided for his people during their wandering in the wilderness for forty years. We are witnesses that he yet provides for his people. Today's celebration brings us into harmony with God (Elohim) because it is one of his holy appointments. Eat the fat, drink the sweet and rejoice, for the joy of the LORD (Yahweh) is our strength.

Memory Verse: Psalms 132:7 We will go into his tabernacles: we will worship at his footstool.

II. BACKGROUND TEXTS FOR DISCUSSION

A. His command

1. We celebrate the feast as commanded by the LORD (Yahweh). Lev. 23: 1-4; Lev. 23:34-44.
2. Jesus (Yahshua) and his disciples followed God's (Elohim's) command and kept the feast. John 7: 1-18.

B. Rejoicing time

1. Before we rejoice, we must understand the word of God (Elohim) concerning his feasts. Neh. 8: 1-8.
2. Now that we understand, let us rejoice. Neh. 8:9-18.

III. CONCLUSIONS AND REVIEW

A. Does the sun have a tabernacle?