

**The Basis of All Our Priestly Service—
The Fire from the Altar of Burnt Offering**

Message 2 - Week 3

Monday

Lev. 9:24 – Footnote 24¹
6:13; 16:12-13
Exo. 3:2-6

II. Every priestly service to God must be based on the fire from the altar of burnt offering, and our service must be the issue of the burning of this fire—Lev. 9:24; 16:12-13; 6:13; 10:1-11:

Let us see the negative aspect of the fire, which is the fire that is not of God. Let me make clear: the fire of God is positive; only the strange fire is negative.

A. God wanted the service of the children of Israel to be based on this fire; the burning of incense was their service to God, but the fire used for burning incense had to be taken from the altar—6:13; 16:12-13.

B. Our service must come out of the burning of God's fire—Exo. 3:2-6.

This fire that was used for the burnt offering and the incense altar within the tabernacle was the fire that had descended from the heavens. The fire for burning the incense inside of the tabernacle had to be taken from the altar of burnt offering which had to be burning 24 hours a day. There was a burnt offering in the morning and another one in the evening. The priest always had to keep the fire burning with the wood.