

BIBLE TRANSLATION

EXODUS 20 verses 24 - 26

The Lord said to His people, “You shall make an altar of earth to worship me and offer upon that altar your burnt offerings and your peace offerings from your flocks of sheep and from your oxen. In all places where I choose that My Name be remembered you will make your offerings to me and I will come and I will bless you.

If you make an altar of stone it must be stone on which no tool has been used. If you put any tool to the stone for my altar you will have polluted it.

You must not go up steps to any altar for, with the short tunics and other clothes that you wear, people may see up your tunic and discover your undergarments which is nakedness. Neither shall you perform sacrifices as do the heathen in ordinary clothes or wearing no clothes at all”.

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