

# The Place of His Name

1. When God sent Israel into Canaan Land He spoke of a “Place” where He would put His Name.
  - A. The Tabernacle in the Wilderness would go there.
  - B. This “Place of His Name” was spoken of by Moses often  
**Deut. 12:5-6, 11, 21; 14:23-25; 16:2, 6, 11, 15, 16**
  - C. So where was that place?
    1. Note! God’s original instructions to conqueror Canaan:  
**Ex. 3:8** This is stated over 10 times in the law books. Jerusalem was one of the places they inhabited but it wasn’t conquered until David did 400 years later.  
**II Sam. 5:6, 7.** (Note **Josh. 18:1**)
    2. Then The Tabernacle was placed there.  
**II Sam. 6:12, 15, 17** “The Place of His Name”
    3. Later God told David that his son Solomon would build a temple there. **I Kg. 5:5** Which he did. **I Kg. 6:14**
    4. In 588 B.C. The Babylonians destroyed The Temple there.
    5. 70 years later it was rebuilt by the Jews. This was The Temple in the days of Christ. It was destroyed by the Romans in 70 A.D. See **Matt. 24:1-2**
2. When Jesus was on earth, He established Himself to be The Temple; The Place of His Name. **John 2:18-22**
3. After His ascension into heaven The Place of His Name was passed on to be The Church. **I Cor. 3:16-17; 6:19-20; II Cor. 6:14, 16; Eph. 2:21-22; Eph. 3:15, 19, 21**