

# Exodus 26:6

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

And thou shalt make fifty taches of gold, and couple the curtains together with the taches: and it shall be one tabernacle.

## Analysis

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Fifty gold clasps (טָּזִים, qeres) join the loops, making the tabernacle 'one.' Gold represents deity—God Himself joins what was separated, creating unity. The number fifty relates to Pentecost (50th day) when the Spirit descended, creating the church. Just as gold clasps united the curtains into one tabernacle, the Holy Spirit unites believers into one body—Christ's dwelling place. Unity is a divine act, not human achievement.

## Historical Context

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These golden taches or clasps hooked through the blue loops, firmly joining the two sets of five curtains. The gold construction ensured durability while the design allowed for assembly and disassembly as Israel traveled.

## Related Passages

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**James 2:17** — Faith and works

**Romans 1:17** — The righteous shall live by faith

## Study Questions

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1. How does the Holy Spirit serve as the 'golden clasp' uniting believers?

## 2. Why is spiritual unity ultimately God's work rather than ours?

### Interlinear Text

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וְעָשׂ יָתְ	חֲמִשָּׁה יָם	בִּקְרָס יָם	זֶה ב	וְחִבְרָתְ	אֶת
And thou shalt make	fifty	taches	of gold	and couple	H853
H6213	H2572	H7165	H2091	H2266	
הַיְרִיעַ ת	אִשָּׁה	אֶל	אֲחֻתָּהּ	בִּקְרָס יָם	וְהָיָה
the curtains	together with	H413	H269	taches	H1961
H3407	H802			H7165	tabernacle
					H4908
אֶחָד:					
and it shall be one					
H259					

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