

Exodus 29:3

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

And thou shalt put them into one basket, and bring them in the basket, with the bullock and the two rams.

Analysis

The bread offerings are brought 'in the basket' along with the bullock and rams. The basket contains all three unleavened bread types, representing the complete provision of spiritual nourishment. Christ as the Bread of Life provides complete sustenance—not one kind but fullness. The basket gathering diverse breads into unity prefigures how Christ unites diverse believers into one body, all sustained by His life.

Historical Context

The basket (סל, sal) served both practical transport and symbolic unity purposes—gathering separate loaves into one container. This would be presented at the tabernacle entrance where the consecration ceremony occurred.

Related Passages

John 15:13 — Greatest form of love

1 John 4:8 — God is love

Study Questions

1. How does Christ provide 'complete sustenance' rather than partial spiritual nourishment?

2. What does gathering diverse breads in one basket teach about unity in Christ's body?

Interlinear Text

וְנָתַתָּ	אֹתָם	עַל	בֶּטֶל	אֶחָד	וְהִקְרַבְתָּ	אֵת
And thou shalt put	H853	H5921	basket	them into one	and bring	H853
H5414			H5536	H259	H7126	
לְ	וְאֵת	הַפָּר	וְאֵת	שְׁנֵי	הָאֵילִם:	
basket	H854	with the bullock	H853	and the two	rams	
H5536		H6499		H8147	H352	

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