Timeline of Truth: God Consecrates the Priests (Leviticus 8:1-36)

¹ And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying: ² "Take Aaron and his sons with him, and the garments, the anointing oil, a bull as the sin offering, two rams, and a basket of unleavened bread; ³ "and gather all the congregation together at the door of the tabernacle of meeting."	1.	God Commands the Consecration of the Priests
 So Moses did as the LORD commanded him. And the congregation was gathered together at the door of the tabernacle of meeting. And Moses said to the congregation, "This is what the LORD 	2.	Moses God
commanded to be done."		
⁶ Then Moses brought Aaron and his sons and washed them with water.	3.	Moses the Priests with Water
 And he put the tunic on him, girded him with the sash, clothed him with the robe, and put the ephod on him; and he girded him with the intricately woven band of the ephod, and with it tied the ephod on him. Then he put the breastplate on him, and he put the Urim and the Thummim in the breastplate. And he put the turban on his head. Also on the turban, on its 	4.	Moses the Priests with Priestly Clothing
front, he put the golden plate, the holy crown, as the LORD had commanded Moses.		
 Also Moses took the anointing oil, and anointed the tabernacle and all that was in it, and consecrated them. He sprinkled some of it on the altar seven times, anointed the altar and all its utensils, and the laver and its base, to consecrate them. And he poured some of the anointing oil on Aaron's head and anointed him, to consecrate him. 	5.	Moses the Tabernacle, Furniture, and Aaron with Anointing Oil
¹³ Then Moses brought Aaron's sons and put tunics on them, girded them with sashes, and put hats on them, as the LORD had commanded Moses.	6.	Moses Puts Clothing on the Priests
 And he brought the bull for the sin offering. Then Aaron and his sons laid their hands on the head of the bull for the sin offering, and Moses killed <i>it</i>. Then he took the blood, and put <i>some</i> on the horns of the altar all around with his finger, and purified the altar. And he poured the blood at the base of the altar, and consecrated it, to make atonement for it. Then he took all the fat that <i>was</i> on the entrails, the fatty lobe <i>attached to</i> the liver, and the two kidneys with their fat, and Moses burned <i>them</i> on the altar. But the bull, its hide, its flesh, and its offal, he burned with fire outside the camp, as the LORD had commanded Moses. 	7.	Moses Offers a Bull as a Offering
18 Then he brought the ram as the burnt offering. And Aaron and his sons laid their hands on the head of the ram, 19 and Moses killed <i>it</i> . Then he sprinkled the blood all around on the altar. 20 And he cut the ram into pieces; and Moses burned the head, the pieces, and the fat. 21 Then he washed the entrails and the legs in water. And Moses burned the whole ram on the altar. It was a burnt sacrifice for a sweet aroma, an offering made by fire to the LORD, as the LORD had commanded Moses.	8.	Moses Offers a Ram as a Offering

²² And he brought the second ram, the ram of consecration. Then Aaron and his sons laid their hands on the head of the ram,	9. Moses Offers a Ram of
²³ and Moses killed <i>it</i> . Also he took <i>some</i> of its blood and put it on the tip of Aaron's right ear, on the thumb of his right hand, and on the big toe of his right foot.	
²⁴ Then he brought Aaron's sons. And Moses put <i>some</i> of the blood on the tips of their right ears, on the thumbs of their right hands, and on the big toes of their right feet. And Moses sprinkled the blood all around on the altar.	
²⁵ Then he took the fat and the fat tail, all the fat that <i>was</i> on the entrails, the fatty lobe <i>attached to</i> the liver, the two kidneys and their fat, and the right thigh;	
²⁶ and from the basket of unleavened bread that was before the LORD he took one unleavened cake, a cake of bread <i>anointed with</i> oil, and one wafer, and put <i>them</i> on the fat and on the right thigh;	
²⁷ and he put all <i>these</i> in Aaron's hands and in his sons' hands, and waved them <i>as</i> a wave offering before the LORD.	
²⁸ Then Moses took them from their hands and burned <i>them</i> on the altar, on the burnt offering. They <i>were</i> consecration offerings for a sweet aroma. That <i>was</i> an offering made by fire to the LORD.	
²⁹ And Moses took the breast and waved it as a wave offering before the LORD. It was Moses' part of the ram of consecration, as the LORD had commanded Moses.	
³⁰ Then Moses took some of the anointing oil and some of the blood which <i>was</i> on the altar, and sprinkled <i>it</i> on Aaron, on his garments, on his sons, and on the garments of his sons with him; and he consecrated Aaron, his garments, his sons, and the garments of his sons with him.	
³¹ And Moses said to Aaron and his sons, "Boil the flesh <i>at</i> the door of the tabernacle of meeting, and eat it there with the bread that <i>is</i> in the basket of consecration offerings, as I commanded, saying, `Aaron and his sons shall eat it.'	10. Moses Instructs the Priests to Cook &
³² "What remains of the flesh and of the bread you shall burn with fire.	
³³ "And you shall not go outside the door of the tabernacle of meeting <i>for</i> seven days, until the days of your consecration are ended. For seven days he shall consecrate you.	11. Moses Commands the Priests to in the Tabernacle Seven Days
³⁴ "As he has done this day, so the LORD has commanded to do, to make atonement for you.	
35 "Therefore you shall stay <i>at</i> the door of the tabernacle of meeting day and night for seven days, and keep the charge of the LORD, so that you may not die; for so I have been commanded."	
³⁶ So Aaron and his sons did all the things that the LORD had commanded by the hand of Moses.	

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Offering	Purpose	Passage	God	Priest	Offerer	
Burnt	Sinfulness/Helplessness	1:1-17; 6:8-13;7:8	Entire burned	Animal skin	Nothing	
Grain	Daily Dependence	2:1-16; 6:14-23	Handful of all parts	Remaining portions	Nothing	
Peace	Fellowship with God	3:1-17; 7:11-20	Fatty portions/kidneys	Breast, right thigh	Remaining portion	
Sin	Forgiveness of Sins	4:1-35;5:1-13;6:24-30	Fatty portions/kidneys	Nothing (burned)	Nothing	
Trespass	Repayment of Sins	5:1-19; 6:24-30;7:1-7	All that was burned	What was not burned	Nothing	