

Exodus 40:34-38 – VaYakhel - Pekudei - פקודי - ויקהל - March 14, 2026

34 וַיִּכַס הָעָנָן אֶת־אֹהֶל מוֹעֵד וַיִּכְבוֹד יְהוָה מְלֵא אֶת־הַמִּשְׁכָּן:

35 וְלֹא־יָכַל מֹשֶׁה לָּבוֹא אֶל־אֹהֶל מוֹעֵד כִּי־שָׁכַן עָלָיו הָעָנָן וַיִּכְבוֹד יְהוָה מְלֵא אֶת־הַמִּשְׁכָּן:

36 וּבַהֲעֲלוֹת הָעָנָן מֵעַל הַמִּשְׁכָּן יִסְעוּ בְּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּכֹל מַסְעֵיהֶם:

37 וְאִם־לֹא יֵעָלֶה הָעָנָן וְלֹא יִסְעוּ עַד־יוֹם הָעֲלֹתוֹ:

38 כִּי עָנָן יְהוָה עַל־הַמִּשְׁכָּן יוֹמָם וְאֵשׁ תִּהְיֶה לַיְלָה בֵּן

לְעֵינַי כָּל־בֵּית־יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּכֹל־מַסְעֵיהֶם:

<sup>34</sup> Then the cloud covered the Tent of Meeting, and the glory of *Adonai* filled the Tabernacle. <sup>35</sup> Moses was unable to enter into the Tent of Meeting, because the cloud resided there and the glory of *Adonai* filled the Tabernacle. <sup>36</sup> Now whenever the cloud was taken up from over the Tabernacle, *Bnei-Yisrael* went onward, throughout all their journeys. <sup>37</sup> But if the cloud was not taken up, then they did not move out until the day that it was. <sup>38</sup> For the cloud of *Adonai* was on the Tabernacle by day and a fire was there by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel throughout all their journeys.