Building the Temple

When Solomon dedicated the great temple for the worship of God, He asked a crucial question, (2 Chronicles 6:18) "But will God really dwell on earth with men? The heavens, even the highest heavens, cannot contain you. How much less this temple I have built!"

But something small and physical did contain Him, for he put aside the glory of heaven and folded himself into a human body so that He might come to earth and draw us closer to Him.

Of this body Jesus said in John 2:19, "Destroy this temple, and I will raise it again in three days." It was destroyed, in a sense, but it rose again so that through it we might have eternal life. And we now worship, not in an earthly temple, but in spirit and in truth.

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