

**(OLD TESTAMENT)**

## **THE ARK OF THE COVENANT**

**The Ark of the Covenant, Most High Place, where the presence of God would dwell**

**Was without question The Throne of His Glory, more sacred than words can tell**

**The Holy of Holies, a perfect cube, showed the 3 fold holiness of God**

**Carried in front, down every path, the children of Israel trod.**

**Only two materials made up the Ark; acacia wood and gold**

**Incorruptible humanity and deity depicted; the nature of Jesus, 2 fold**

**The Atonement Cover, lid of pure gold, was known as the Mercy Seat**

**Between two cherubim, God gave His commands, when with the priests He would meet.**

**Priests used poles, inserted through rings, to transport the Ark with ease**

**No unclean hands were to touch the Ark, or God it would truly displease**

**The provisions inside, 3 in all, we all should surely know**

**For they're symbolic of how God provides and His love to us will show.**

**The 10 Commandants, pot of manna, and Aaron's rod inside**

**Serve as a reminder of Christ's great love and desire with us to abide**

**Though perfect and pure, He chose to die, that we might choose to live**

**His resurrection, as first fruits of heaven, victory over death did give.**



**2 Samuel 6:17**

**They brought  
the ark of the  
Lord and set  
it in its place  
inside the  
tent David  
had pitched  
for it.**

**(“Ark Brought To  
Jerusalem” painted by  
Doris Cox)**