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Exodus 40:34-35, NIV

Then the cloud covered the Tent of Meeting, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle. Moses could not enter the Tent of Meeting because the cloud had settled upon it, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle.

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1 Kings 8:10-11, NIV

When the priests withdrew from the Holy Place, the cloud filled the temple of the LORD. And the priests could not perform their service because of the cloud, because the glory of the LORD filled his temple.

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John 1:14, NIV  
The Word became flesh and made his dwelling (*literal meaning: “tabernacled”*) among us.

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1 Corinthians 3:16, ESV

Do you not know that you are God’s temple and that God’s Spirit dwells in you?

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1 Peter 2:4-6, NIV

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Declaring the praises of Jesus

1 Peter 2:9-10, NIV

But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. Once you were not a people, but now you are the people of God; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

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