

Exodus 39:27-29

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Other garments to be worn by the priests are made. These garments included the turban, caps, breeches, and the sash. The design of these items was given in [Exodus 28:39 – 43](#).

After making the robe, the weavers *made the tunics of finely woven linen for Aaron and his sons*. Since the *tunics* were *finely woven linen* it is likely they were worn as undergarments. These garments were worn not only by *Aaron*, the high priest, but also by *his sons*, the ordinary priests.

All of the priests wore a

- *Turban of fine linen*. A *turban* is a type of head covering.
- *Decorated caps of fine linen*. The “*fine linen*” (Heb. “shesh”) is derived from an Egyptian word and refers to high-quality white linen. The *decorated caps* were apparently a type of head covering different from the *turban*.
- *Linen breeches of fine twisted linen*. These “*breeches*” (Heb. “miknasayim”) could have been like trousers. Other translations consider *breeches* to refer to a form of undergarment and translate it so.
- *Sash of fine twisted linen*. It was *made of blue and purple and scarlet material* and was *the work of the weaver* (an expert craftsman). This again was likely a weave consisting of dyed wool and linen, like the tent and many other articles. The function of the *sash* is similar to a belt. Some translations emphasize this by rendering the word as “girdle.”

As before, they made these items to the exacting specifications that *the Lord had commanded Moses*.

Biblical Text:

²⁷ They made the tunics of finely woven linen for Aaron and his sons, ²⁸ and the turban of fine linen, and the decorated caps of fine linen, and the linen breeches of fine twisted linen, ²⁹ and the sash of fine twisted linen, and blue and purple and scarlet material, the work of the weaver, just as the Lord had commanded Moses.