

Zechariah - Lesson 2 - Chapters 1 & 2

Introduction (1:1-6)	Vision 1 (1:7-11)	Interlude (1:12-17)
- Berechiah = Yahweh blesses - ultimate blessing of God for Israel is their future - Iddo = in its time - God will accomplish His promises according to His time table - Zechariah = Yahweh remembers - He will work everything out so that the latter glory of His house will be greater than the former and He will give them peace God is the Lord of Hosts! They need to return to Him that I might return back to you As the Lord purposed to do to us according with our ways - He has done	- man riding on the red horse - Standing in the myrtle trees (stopped) - Myrtle trees were in the ravine - where they don't normally grow (could be an abundance of trees) - these could be used to make booths during the Feast of Booths - Horses - red, white, mixture (sorrel) no idea how many - Angel speaking to Zechariah - Man (Jesus) - angel of the Lord - These (the people?) patrol the earth - God is watching what goes on all the time - The earth is peaceful and quiet - more of arrogant contentment before the storm hits Angel of the Lord (Gen 16:11-13; 18:1, 2, 13, 17; 22:11-18; Ex 3:2-4; Josh 5:13; 6:2; Judges 6:12-14; 13:21-22) God's deliverance from bondage of slavery (from Egypt, to deliverance from the pressure of the nations that surround them) A global war is coming	To the Lord of Hosts - how long will You have no compassion over Judah with which you have been indignant for 70 years - Time they spent in captivity Lord spoke with graciousness and comfort - I am jealous for Jerusalem - He is angry at the nations that have caused problems for His people - His city will be rebuilt - It will overflow with prosperity - They will be His people again

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Vision 2 (1:18-21)	Vision 3 (2:1-5)	Glory of the Nations (2:6-13)
4 horns - have scattered Judah 4 craftsmen - they are the horns that scattered Judah - they came to terrify them (nations) - The nations who had scattered Judah Who were the nations that scattered Judah? - Babylon (1st of the horns) - Medo/Persia (2nd horn, 1st craftsman) - Greece (3rd horn, 2nd craftsman) - Rome (4th horn, 3rd craftsman) Daniel - statue in 2, and the beasts in 7 4th craftsman? - could it be the stone - the judgment of the coming ruling King who will reign forever - Jesus God's unveiling of the future Hope and confidence that the King is coming	A man with a measuring line - preparing to rebuild - temple and the walls (Nehemiah) Preparing for what God wanted to do in the land Jerusalem will be inhabited without walls because of the multitude of men in it - God would be a wall of fire around them and glory in her midst	- God will protect His people Israel - the apple of His eye - Those who come against her, come against Him (6-8) - They will come to understand that the Lord of Hosts has sent Jesus (9) - God will dwell in their midst (10) - Many nations will join with the Lord and will become My people (11) - God is aroused from His holy habitation - He is preparing to fight for His people (12-13) He 1:3; 12:2 Rev 5:1-6:1 Jesus sat when His job as a Lamb was complete - He stands to fight as a Lion when we get to Rev 5