

Lesson Three

Ezekiel Chapters 8, 9, 10, 11

Chapter 8

1. In verses two through four, Ezekiel is transported in a vision to the temple in Jerusalem. What did Ezekiel see there in verse three [what was it called] and what did this idol do to God?
2. Read verses 7 through 13. Who does Ezekiel see in this inner chamber and what are they doing?
3. In verse 16 we see perhaps the supreme insult to the Lord. How many men does Ezekiel see and what are they doing in there?

Chapter 9

4. In this chapter the wicked are slaughtered and the righteous are spared. How did God identify in verse four those who would be spared and *why* were they spared from God's severe punishment?
5. While our God is of great compassion, what striking statement about God is made in verse ten?

Chapter 10

7. In chapter one, Ezekiel is shown a vision of the four living beings. How are these "living beings" now identified in verse one?
8. Verses 15 through 17 describe the movement and direction of this "throne-chariot" type of vehicle. Who was directing its movement?
9. What stunning statement is made in verse 18 and what would this symbolize for Judah?

Chapter 11

10. In this continuing vision, Ezekiel is shown 25 men who are at the east gate of the Lord's house, along with Jaazaniah and Pelatiah. What sins does God charge these men with according to verses one through three?
11. What was the intended result of God's swift and destructive judgment against His people according to verse ten?
12. In verses 14 through 20 God gives a wonderful promise of restoration to His people who are in captivity. What changes would take place and what new attitude would prevail when God's people came back to their land?

