

Son of man, I have made you a watchman for the house of Israel; so hear the word I speak and give them warning from me.

"THE PROPHET'S CALL"
Ezekiel 1:1 - 5:17

1. What was significant to you from the lesson last week?

DAY 1 - READ Ezekiel 1:1-28

2. What happened to Ezekiel as he was beside the Kebar River?

3. What facts do you learn in vs. 3 about Ezekiel?

4. Briefly describe the features of the four living things:

a. form

b. faces

c. wings

d. feet

5. Describe the following concerning the wheels:

a. appearance

b. movement

c. relationship to the living beings

6. Describe briefly . . .

a. the firmament

b. the throne

7. How is the figure with the appearance of a man described?

8. What similarities do you find in this vision and Revelation 4?

9.a. When Ezekiel saw the appearance of the likeness of the glory of God, what did he do?

b. What is the reminder in Psalm 33:8?

DAY 2 - READ Ezekiel 2:1 - 3:3

10.a. Who stood Ezekiel on his feet?

b. (IN-DEPTH) From your Bible knowledge, what do you know about the Holy Spirit?

11.a. By what term or phrase was Ezekiel called?

b. What commission was he given?

c. How is vs. 7 an encouragement to us today?

12.a. God said Israel was a rebellious house. To demonstrate his obedience,

what was Ezekiel told to do?
b. What was on it?

c. Ezekiel 3:3 - So I _____ and it _____ mouth.

DAY 3 - READ Ezekiel 3:4-27

13.a. What did God tell Ezekiel "up front" in vs. 7?

b. What extra strength would he have so he need not fear?

14.a. In vs. 12-15 the Spirit returned Ezekiel to Tel Abib. Vs. 14 says he went "in bitterness and in the anger of my spirit" (NIV). What do you think that means?

b. Ezekiel felt the strong hand of the Lord on him. What do we learn in these Scriptures about the pressure of duty toward God?
Jeremiah 20:9

Acts 4:20

1 Corinthians 9:16

c. Please share a time when you felt the "strong hand of the Lord" on your life.

15. What did Ezekiel do for seven days?

16.a. What was Ezekiel to be for the house of Israel?

b. How do you think Christians today perform that same service for the world?

17. Briefly give the responsibility assigned to Ezekiel in vs. 18-21.

18. In the vision on the plain:

a. What did Ezekiel see?

b. How would God silence him?

c. When would he be able to speak?

d. Who else was supernaturally silenced in Luke 1:18-21?

DAY 4 - READ Ezekiel 4:1-17

19. Hebrew prophets proclaimed the Word of God through actions as well as words. What was Ezekiel to do with the brick/clay tablet?

20. As Ezekiel had symbolically demonstrated the siege and fall of Jerusalem, now he would symbolically demonstrate by his posture the discomfort of captivity that the people's sin had earned. What was he to do and for how long?

Israel --

Judah --

21.a. Ezekiel was given instruction concerning bread and water. This would be a sign of what?

b. How did the Lord show mercy to His prophet?

DAY 5 - READ Ezekiel 5:1-17

22.a. How was Ezekiel to use the sword?

b. Ezekiel was to divide the hair in thirds. Of what was this symbolic according to verse 12?

23.a. God said (vs. 5) Jerusalem was set at the center of the nations. What would the destruction of Jerusalem be to those neighboring nations in vs. 15?

b. In what way do you think Jerusalem is the "center of the nations" today?

26.a. Write Romans 15:4

- b. What instruction did God give Ezekiel in this lesson that would also be applicable to today's Christian?