# The Book of **ZECHARIAH**

- 1 Zechariah exhorts to repentance. 7 The vision of the horses. 12 Comfortable promises are made to Jerusalem.
- 1 ¶ In the eighth month, in the second year of Darius, the Word of Jehovah came to Zechariah, the son of Berechiah, the son of Iddo the prophet, saying,
- 2 With wrath Jehovah has been angry with your fathers.
- 3 And you say to them, So says Jehovah of Hosts: Turn back to Me, a statement of Jehovah of Hosts, and I will turn back to you, says Jehovah of Hosts.
- 4 Do not be as your fathers, to whom the former prophets have proclaimed to them, saying, So says Jehovah of Hosts: Turn back now from your evil ways and your evil doings. But they did not attend or hearken to Me, a statement of Jehovah.
- 5 Your fathers, where *are* they? And the prophets, do they live forever?
- 6 But My words and My statutes which I commanded My servants the prophets, did they not overtake your fathers? And they turned back and said, As Jehovah of Hosts planned to do to us, according to our ways and according to our doings, so He has done with us.
- 7 ¶ On the twenty-fourth day of the eleventh month, it is the month Shebat, in the second year of Darius, the Word of Jehovah was to Zechariah, the son of Berechiah, the son of Iddo, the prophet, saying,
- 8 I saw at night. And, behold! A Man riding on a red horse. And He stood in the midst of the myrtle trees in the ravine. And behind Him were red, reddish brown, and white horses.
- 9 And I said, My lord, what are these? And the angel who was speaking with me said to me, I will make you see what these are.
- 10 And the Man who stood among the

- those whom Jehovah has sent to walk about in the earth.
- 11 And they answered the Angel in the midst of the myrtle trees, and said, We have walked about through the earth, and, behold, all the earth dwells and is at rest.
- 12 And the Angel of Jehovah answered and said, O Jehovah of Hosts, until when will You not have compassion on Jerusalem, and on the cities of Judah, which You have abhorred these seventy years?
- 13 And Jehovah answered the angel who was speaking with me with good words, words of comfort.
- 14 So the angel who was speaking with me said to me, Cry out, saying, So says Jehovah of Hosts: I am jealous for Jerusalem and for Zion, with a great jealousy.
- 15 And with great wrath I am angered at the nations at ease; in that I was but a little angry, and they helped for evil.
- 16 Therefore thus says Jehovah: I have returned to Jerusalem with compassions; My house shall be built in it, a statement of Jehovah of Hosts, and a line shall be stretched over Jerusalem.
- 17 Cry out again, saying, So says Jehovah of Hosts: My cities shall again overflow with goodness, and Jehovah shall comfort Zion, and shall choose Jerusalem.
- 18 ¶ And I lifted up my eyes and saw, and, behold, four horns!
- 19 And I said to the angel who was speaking with me, What are these? And he answered me, These are the horns that have scattered Judah, Israel, and Jerusalem.
- 20 And Jehovah made me see four craftsmen.
- 21 And I said, What are these coming to do? And He spoke, saying, These are the horns which have scattered Judah, so that no man lifts up his head. But these have come to terrify them, to throw down the horns of the nations who lifted up their myrtle trees answered and said, These are horn over the land of Judah, to scatter it.

- 1 Jehovah, in the care of Jerusalem, sends to measure it. 6 The redemption of Zion.
- 1 ¶ And I lifted up my eyes and saw, and, behold, A man, and a measuring line in his hand!
- 2 And I said, Where are you going? And he said to me, To measure Jerusalem, to see what is its breadth and what is its length.
- 3 And, behold, the angel who was talking with me went out, and another angel went out to meet him,
- 4 and said to him, Run, speak to this young man, saying, Jerusalem will dwell like unwalled villages, for the multitude of men and livestock in her midst.
- 5 And I will be to her a wall of fire all around, and I will be for glory in her midst, a statement of Jehovah.
- 6 ¶ Ho! Ho! Flee then from the land of the north, says Jehovah. For I have scattered you as the four winds of the heavens, a statement of Jehovah.
- 7 Ho, O Zion! Escape, you who live with the daughter of Babylon.
- 8 For so says Jehovah of Hosts: He has sent Me after glory, to the nations who plundered you; for he who touches you touches the pupil of His eye.
- 9 For, behold, I will wave My hand over them, and they shall be a prize for their servants. And you shall know that Jehovah of Hosts has sent Me.
- 10 ¶ Sing and rejoice, O daughter of Zion. For, behold, I come; and I will dwell in your midst, says Jehovah.
- 11 And many nations shall be joined to Jehovah in that day, and they shall be to Me for a people. And I will dwell in your midst; and you shall know that Jehovah of Hosts has sent Me to you.
- 12 And Jehovah shall possess Judah, His portion in the holy land, and He shall again choose Jerusalem.
- 13 All flesh, be silent before Jehovah. For He is aroused out of His holy habitation.

## Zechariah 3

- 1 Under the type of Joshua, the restoration by the Angel of Jehovah, 8 Christ the Branch.
- priest standing before the Angel of Jeho- are to the seven lamps on its top;

- vah, and Satan standing at his right hand to accuse him.
- 2 And Jehovah said to Satan, Jehovah rebuke you, Satan! And, Jehovah who has chosen Jerusalem rebuke you! Is this not a brand snatched out of the fire?
- 3 And Joshua was clothed with filthy garments, and he stood before the Angel.
- 4 And He answered and spoke to those who stood before Him, saying, Remove the filthy garments from him. And He said to him, See, I have caused your iniquity to pass from you, and I will clothe you with a stately robe.
- 5 And I said, Let them set a clean turban on his head. And they set a clean turban on his head and clothed him with clothing. And the Angel of Jehovah stood by.
- 6 And the Angel of Jehovah charged Joshua, saying,
- 7 So says Jehovah of Hosts: If you will walk in My ways, and if you will keep My charge, even you shall also judge My house, and shall also keep My courts, and I will give to you to walk in the midst of these standing by.
- 8 ¶ Hear now, O Joshua the high priest, you and your companions who are sitting before you; for they are men of symbol.
- 9 For, behold, I will bring forth My Servant, the BRANCH. For behold, the stone which I have given before Joshua, on the one stone *are* seven eyes. I will engrave its engraving, says Jehovah of Hosts, and I will remove the iniquity of that land in one dav.
- 10 In that day, a statement of Jehovah of Hosts, you shall call each man to his friend to sit under the vine and under the fig tree.

#### Zechariah 4

By the golden candlestick is predicted success of Zerubbabel's foundation.

- 1 ¶ And the angel who was speaking with me returned and awakened me, as a man is awakened out of his sleep.
- 2 And he said to me, What do you see? And I said, I see, and behold, a lampstand, all of it gold, and a bowl on its top, and its 1 ¶ And he made me see Joshua the high seven lamps on it, and seven spouts which

- the right of the bowl, and one on its left.
- 4 And I answered and said to the angel who was speaking with me, saying, What are these, my lord?
- 5 And the angel who was speaking with me answered and said to me, Do you not know what these are? And I said, No, my lord.
- 6 And he answered and spoke to me, saving, This is the Word of Jehovah to Zerubbabel, saying, Not by might, and not by power, but by My Spirit, says Jehovah of Hosts.
- 7 Who are you, O great mountain? Before Zerubbabel you shall become a plain. And he shall bring forth the capstone with shouts: Grace! Grace to it!
- 8 And the Word of Jehovah was to me, saying,
- 9 The hands of Zerubbabel have laid the foundation of this house; his hands shall also finish it. And you shall know that Jehovah of Hosts has sent me to you.
- 10 For who has despised the day of small things? For they shall rejoice and shall see the plummet stone in the hand of Zerubbabel. These seven *are* the eyes of Jehovah; they run to and fro through all the earth.
- 11 ¶ And I answered and said to him, What are these two olive trees on the right of the lampstand, and on its left?
- 12 And I answered a second time and said to him, What are the two clusters of olive trees beside the two golden pipes, emptying the golden oil from themselves?
- 13 And he spoke to me, saying, Do you not know what these are? And I said, No, my lord.
- 14 And he said, These *are* the two sons of fresh oil who stand by the Lord of the whole earth.

By the flying scroll is shown the curse of thieves and those who swear.

- 1 ¶ And turning back I lifted up my eyes and saw, and, behold, a flying scroll!
- 2 And he said to me, What do you see? And I answered, I see a flying scroll; its length is twenty cubits, and its width ten cubits.
- goes forth over the face of the whole earth. I my lord?

- 3 and two olive trees *are* beside it, one on For from now on all who steal shall be cleared away according to it; and all who swear from now on shall be cleared away according to it.
  - 4 And I will bring it forth, says Jehovah of Hosts. And it shall go into the house of the thief, and into the house of the one who swears falsely by My name. And it shall remain within his house and shall finish it. and its timber, and its stones.
  - 5 ¶ And the angel who was speaking with me went out, and said to me, Now lift up your eyes and see what this is that goes forth.
  - 6 And I said, What is it? And he said, This is the ephah that goes forth. And he said, This is their form in all the earth.
  - 7 And, behold, a lead cover was lifted up, and this is a woman sitting in the middle of the ephah.
  - 8 And he said, This is wickedness. And he cast her into the midst of the ephah; and he threw the lead weight over its opening.
  - 9 And I lifted up my eyes and saw. And, behold, two women came out. And the wind was in their wings; for they had wings like the wings of the stork. And they lifted up the ephah between the earth and the heavens.
  - 10 And I said to the angel who was speaking with me, Where are they going with the ephah?
  - 11 And he said to me, To build a house for it in the land of Shinar; and it shall be made ready and placed there on its own place.

### Zechariah 6

- 1 The vision of the four chariots. 9 By the crowns of Joshua is made to see the temple and kingdom of Christ the Branch.
- 1 ¶ And I turned back and lifted up my eyes and saw, and, behold, four chariots were coming from between two mountains; and the mountains were mountains of bronze.
- 2 With the first chariot were red horses, and with the second chariot black horses,
- 3 and with the third chariot white horses, and with the fourth dappled and strong colored horses.
- 4 And I answered and said to the angel 3 And he said to me, This is the curse that who was speaking with me, What are these,

- These *are* the four spirits of Heaven who go forth from standing before the Lord of all the earth.
- 6 The black horses in it go into the north country, and the white go after them; and the dappled *ones* go forth into the south
- 7 And the strong *colored ones* went forth and sought to go, to walk about in the earth. And he said, Go! Walk about in the earth. And they walked about in the earth.
- 8 And he cried out to me, and spoke to me, saying, Behold, these who go into the north country have caused My Spirit to rest in the north country.
- 9 ¶ And the Word of Jehovah was to me,
- 10 Take from Heldai, from Tobijah, and from Jedaiah, from the exiles who have come from Babylon; and in that day you go in and go into the house of Josiah, the son of Zephaniah.
- 11 And take silver and gold, and make a crown, and set it on the head of Joshua, the son of Jehozadak, the high priest.
- 12 And speak to him, saying, So says Jehovah of Hosts, saying, Behold! A Man! THE BRANCH is His name! And He shall spring up out of His place, and He shall build the temple of Jehovah.
- 13 And He shall build the temple of Jehovah; and He shall bear the majesty, and shall sit and rule on His throne. And He shall be a priest on His throne; and the counsel of peace shall be between the two of them.
- 14 And the crowns shall be for a memorial in the temple of Jehovah, to Helem, and to Tobijah, and to Jedaiah, and to Hen, the son of Zephaniah.
- 15 And the distant *ones* shall come and build in the temple of Jehovah. And you shall know that Jehovah of Hosts has sent me to you. And *this* shall be, if listening you will listen to the voice of Jehovah your God.

- 1 The captives inquire of fasting. 4 Zechariah reproves their fasting. 8 Sin the cause of their captivity.
- Darius, the Word of Jehovah was to the land of desire a waste.

- 5 And the angel answered and said to me, Zechariah, in the fourth of the ninth month, in Chisley.
  - 2 And Sharezer and Regem-melech, and his men, had sent to Bethel to entreat the face of Jehovah,
  - 3 to speak to the priests who belong to the house of Jehovah of Hosts, and to the prophets, saying, Should I weep in the fifth month, consecrating myself as I have done these many years?
  - 4 The Word of Jehovah of Hosts was to me, saying,
  - 5 Speak to all the people of the land, and to the priests, saying, When you fasted and mourned in the fifth and seventh months, even those seventy years, did you truly fast to Me, even to Me?
  - 6 And when you ate, and when you drank, was it not for you, those eating, and for you, those drinking?
  - 7 Are not these the words which Jehovah proclaimed by the former prophets, when Jerusalem was inhabited and prosperous with her cities round about her, and the Negeb and the Lowland were inhabited?
  - 8 ¶ And the Word of Jehovah was to Zechariah, saying,
  - 9 So says Jehovah of Hosts, saying, Judge true judgment, and practice kindness and pity, each man with his brother.
  - 10 And do not oppress the widow, and the fatherless, the alien, or the afflicted one. And do not devise evil in your heart, of a man *against* his brother.
  - 11 But they refused to listen, and gave a stubborn shoulder, and they made their ears heavy from hearing.
  - 12 And they made their heart adamant from hearing the Law and the words which Jehovah of Hosts has sent by the former prophets through His Spirit. And great wrath was from Jehovah of Hosts.
  - 13 And it will be, just as He called, and they did not listen; so they called, and I did not listen, says Jehovah of Hosts.
- 14 But I stormed them away on all the nations whom they did not know. And the land is desolated behind them, from pass-1 ¶ And it was in the fourth year of King | ing and from turning back; for they made

- 1 The restoration of Jerusalem. 9 They are encouraged to the building by Jehovah's favor to them. 16 Good works are required of them.
- 1  $\P$  And the Word of Jehovah was to me, saving.
- 2 So says Jehovah of Hosts: I was jealous for Zion with great jealousy, and I was jealous for her with great wrath.
- 3 So says Jehovah: I have returned to Zion, and will dwell in the midst of Jerusalem. And Jerusalem shall be called a City of Truth, and the mountain of Jehovah of Hosts, the Holy Mountain.
- 4 So says Jehovah of Hosts: There shall yet be old men and old women sitting in the open places of Jerusalem; and a man with his staff in his hand from his many days.
- 5 And the open places of the city shall be full of boys and girls playing in its open places.
- 6 So says Jehovah of Hosts: If it is being wonderful in the eyes of the remnant of this people in those days, will it also be wonderful in My eyes? a statement of Jehovah of Hosts.
- 7 So says Jehovah of Hosts: Behold, I will save My people from the land of the rising sun and from the land of the setting sun.
- 8 And I will bring them, and they shall live in the midst of Jerusalem. And they shall be for a people to Me, and I will be for God to them, in truth and in righteousness.
- 9 ¶ So says Jehovah of Hosts: Let your hands be made strong, you who hear in these days these words by the mouth of the prophets, that in the day the house of Jehovah of Hosts is founded, the temple is to be built.
- 10 For before those days there was no wages for man, and there was no wages for animal; and there was no peace to him going out or coming in from the distressing one. For I set every man, a man against his neighbor.
- 11 But now I will not be to the remnant of this people as in former days, a statement of Jehovah of Hosts.
- 12 For the seed will have prosperity, the vine shall give its fruit, and the ground shall give its produce, and the heavens shall give | Israel shall be toward Jehovah,

- their dew; and I will cause the remnant of this people to inherit all these.
- 13 And it shall be, as you were a curse among the nations, O house of Judah and house of Israel, so I will save you, and you shall be a blessing. Do not fear; let your hands be made strong.
- 14 For so says Jehovah of Hosts, As I purposed to break you when your fathers provoked Me to wrath, says Jehovah of Hosts, and I was not moved to pity,
- 15 so again I have purposed in these days to do good to Jerusalem, and the house of Judah. Do not fear.
- 16 These *are* the things that you shall do. Let each man speak truth with his neighbor. Judge with truth and judgment for peace in your gates,
- 17 and let *each* man devise no evil in your heart against his neighbor, and do not love a false oath. For all these I hate, a statement of Jehovah.
- 18 ¶ And the Word of Jehovah of Hosts was to me, saying,
- 19 So says Jehovah of Hosts: The fast of the fourth *month*, and the fast of the fifth, and the fast of the seventh, and the fast of the tenth, shall become for joy and gladness and pleasant feasts to the house of Judah; even love truth and peace.
- 20 So says Jehovah of Hosts: Peoples shall come again and ones living in many cities.
- 21 And one living in one city will go to another, saying, Let us go at once to seek the favor of the face of Jehovah, and to seek Jehovah of Hosts; I will go also.
- 22 And many peoples and mighty nations shall come to seek Jehovah of Hosts in Jerusalem, and to entreat the face of Jehovah.
- 23 So says Jehovah of Hosts: In those days ten men out of all languages of the nations shall take hold, and will seize the skirt of a man, a Jew, saying, Let us go with you, for we have heard that God is with you.

## Zechariah 9

- 1 Jehovah defends His people. 9 Zion is exhorted to rejoice for the coming of Christ.
- 1 ¶The burden of the Word of Jehovah against the land of Hadrach, and its resting place, Damascus, when the eye of man, and all the tribes of

- Sidon, though they are very wise.
- 3 And Tyre shall build a fortress for herself, and shall pile up silver like the dust, and gold like the mud of the streets.
- 4 Behold! The Lord will dispossess her, and He will strike her wealth in the sea. and she shall be devoured with fire.
- 5 Ashkelon shall see and fear; and Gaza shall writhe in great pain; and Ekron shall be ashamed for her hope. And the king shall perish from Gaza, and Ashkelon shall not be inhabited.
- 6 And a bastard shall dwell in Ashdod, and I will cut off the pride of the Philistines.
- 7 And I will take away his blood out of his mouth, and his abominations from between his teeth. But the remnant, even he, shall be for our God. And he shall be as a chief in Judah, and Ekron, like a Jebusite.
- 8 And I will camp around My house from an army, from one passing by, and from one returning. And one oppressing shall not pass through them again. For now I have seen with My eyes.
- 9 ¶ Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your King comes to you! He is righteous and being victorious, lowly, and riding on a she-ass, even on a colt, the son of sheasses. (Matthew 21:5)
- 10 And I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim and the horse from Jerusalem. And the bow of war shall be cut off, and He shall speak peace to the nations. And His dominion shall be from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth.
- 11 Also you, by the blood of your covenant I have sent out your prisoners from the pit; no water is in it.
- 12 ¶ Turn to the stronghold, O prisoners of the hope! Even today I declare I will return double to you.
- 13 For I have bent Judah for Me as a bow; I filled it with Ephraim. And I will stir up your sons, O Zion, against your sons, O Greece, and make you as the sword of a mighty man.
- 14 And Jehovah will be seen over them, and His arrow shall go out as lightning; and the Lord Jehovah shall blow the rams' horn and shall go forth with the tempests of the south.

- 2 and Hamath also borders on it; Tyre and 1 15 Jehovah of Hosts shall defend them. And they shall devour and subdue the slingstones. And they shall drink and be boisterous, as with wine. And they shall be full like a bowl, like the corners of the altar.
  - 16 And Jehovah their God shall save them in that day as the flock of His people; for they are as stones of a crown, lifted up as a banner over His land.
  - 17 For how *great* is His goodness and His beauty! Grain shall make the young men flourish, and new wine the virgins.

- 1 Jehovah is to be sought, and not idols. 5 As He visited His flock for sin, so He will save and restore them.
- 1 ¶ Ask rain from Jehovah in the time of the latter rain. Jehovah shall make lightnings. And He gives them showers of rain, grass to each man in the field.
- 2 For the family idols speak iniquity, and the divining *ones* have seen a lie and have told false dreams; they comfort in vain. Therefore they pulled up *stakes* like a flock; they were afflicted because there was no shepherd.
- 3 My anger is kindled against the shepherds, and I will call to account the hegoats. For Jehovah of Hosts has cared for His flock, the house of Judah, and made them as His splendid horse in battle.
- 4 From Him *came* the cornerstone, from Him the nail, from Him *came* the bow of war, and from Him every one oppressing together.
- 5 ¶ And they shall be like mighty *ones* who trample the mud of the open places in the battle. And they shall fight because Jehovah is with them, and they shall make the riders of horses ashamed.
- 6 And I will make stronger the house of Judah, and I will save the house of Joseph. And I will return to save them, for I have pity on them. And they shall be as though I had not cast them off, for I am Jehovah their God, and I will answer them.
- 7 And Ephraim shall be like a mighty one, and their heart shall be glad as by wine. And their sons shall see and be glad; their heart shall rejoice in Jehovah.

- 8 I will whistle for them and gather them, increase as they were increased.
- 9 And I will sow them among the peoples, and they shall remember Me in distant places, and they shall live with their sons and return.
- 10 And I will return to save them out of the land of Egypt and gather them out of Assyria. And I will bring them into the land of Gilead and Lebanon, for space shall not be found for them.
- 11 And He shall pass through the sea of distress and strike the waves in the sea, and all the depths of the Nile shall dry up. And the pride of Assyria shall go down, and the scepter of Egypt shall turn away.
- 12 And I will make them strong in Jehovah, and they shall walk about in His name, a statement of Jehovah.

- 1 The destruction of Jerusalem. 3 The elect being cared for, the rest are rejected.
- 1 ¶ Open your doors, O Lebanon, and the fire will devour your cedars.
- 2 Howl, fir tree, for the cedar has fallen, because the majestic trees have been destroyed. Howl, O oaks of Bashan, for the inaccessible forest has come down.
- 3 A voice of the wailing of those shepherding is heard, for their splendor is destroyed. A voice of the roaring of young lions is heard, for the pride of Jordan is destroyed.
- 4 ¶ For so says Jehovah my God: Feed the flock of the slaughter.
- 5 Those who buy them kill them and are not held guilty. And the one selling them says, Blessed be Jehovah, for I am rich. And their shepherds do not pity them.
- 6 For I will not again pity those living in the land, a statement of Jehovah. But, behold! I will cause to be found the men, each man into his neighbor's hand, and into his king's hand. And they shall crush the land, and I will not deliver out of their hand.
- 7 And I fed the flock of slaughter, the true humble one of the flock. And I took two staffs for Myself: the one I called Kindness, and the other I called Union. And I fed the flock.

- 8 And I cut off three shepherds in one for I have redeemed them. And they will month. And My soul was straightened with them, and their soul also abhorred Me.
  - 9 And I said, I will not feed you; that which dies, let it die; and what is to be cut off, let it be cut off. And let the remnant, let each woman, eat the flesh of her neighbor.
  - 10 And I took My staff Kindness and cut it it in two, to break My covenant which I had cut with all the peoples.
  - 11 And it was broken in that day, and so the humble *one* of the flock watching Me knew that it was the Word of Jehovah.
  - 12 And I said to them, If it is good in your eyes, give My price; and if not, let it go. And they weighed My price, thirty pieces of silver.
  - 13 And Jehovah said to Me, Throw it to the potter, the magnificent price at which I was valued by them. And I took the thirty pieces of silver and threw it to the potter in the house of Jehovah.
  - 14 Then I cut in two My second staff Union, that I might break the brotherhood between Judah and Israel.
  - 15 ¶ And Jehovah said to me, Again take to yourself the vessels of a foolish shepherd.
  - 16 For, behold, I will raise up a shepherd in the land; he shall not care for those who are cut off; not will he seek the young; not will he heal that which is broken; not will he sustain that which stands. But he shall eat the flesh of the fat, and tear off their hoofs.
  - 17 Woe to the worthless shepherd who abandons the flock! The sword shall be against his arm and against his right eye. Withering His arm shall be withered, and darkening his right eye shall be darkened.

#### Zechariah 12

- 1 Jerusalem a cup of trembling to herself, 3 and a burdensome stone to her adversaries. 6 The victorious restoring of Judah.
- 1 ¶ The burden of the Word of Jehovah for Israel, a statement of Jehovah, who stretches forth the heavens, and founds the earth, and who forms the spirit of man within him.
- 2 Behold! I will make Jerusalem a cup of reeling to all the peoples round about, and it shall also be against Judah in the siege against Jerusalem.

- heavy stone for all the peoples; all loading it cutting will be cut. And all the nations of the earth will be gathered against it.
- 4 In that day, a statement of Jehovah, I will strike every horse with panic and his rider with madness, says Jehovah. And I will open My eyes on the house of Judah, and I will strike every horse of the peoples with blindness.
- 5 And the leaders of Judah shall say in their heart, Those living in Jerusalem shall be my strength in Jehovah of Hosts, their
- 6 In that day I will make the leaders of Judah like a hearth of fire among the wood, and like a torch of fire among cut grain. And they shall devour all the peoples round about, on the right hand and on the left hand. And Jerusalem shall be inhabited again in her place, in Jerusalem.
- 7 Jehovah also shall save the tents of Judah first, so that the glory of the house of David and the glory of the one living in Jerusalem may not be magnified above Judah.
- 8 In that day Jehovah shall defend around those living in Jerusalem. And it will be, he being feeble among them in that day shall be like David, and the house of David shall be like God, like the Angel of Jehovah before them.
- 9 ¶ And it shall be in that day, I will seek to destroy all the nations that come against Jerusalem.
- 10 And I will pour out on the house of David, and on those living in Jerusalem, the Spirit of grace and of prayers. And they shall look on Me whom they have pierced; and they shall mourn for Him, as one mourns for an only son, and they shall be bitter over Him, like the bitterness over the first-born.
- 11 In that day the mourning in Jerusalem shall be great, like the mourning of Hadadrimmon in the valley of Megiddo.
- 12 And the land shall mourn, families by families being alone: the family of the house of David being alone, and their wives being alone; the family of the house of alone:

- 3 And in that day I will make Jerusalem a | 13 the family of the house of Levi being alone, and their wives being alone; the family of Shimei being alone, and their wives being alone:
  - 14 all the families who remain, family by family being alone, and their wives being alone.

- 1 The fountain to purge for impurity and sin, 2 from idolatry, and false prophecy. 7 The death of Christ, and the trial of a third part.
- 1 ¶ In that day a fountain shall be opened to the house of David and to those living in Jerusalem, for sin and for impurity.
- 2 And it shall be in that day, a statement of Jehovah of Hosts, I will cut off the names of the idols out of the land, and they shall not be remembered again. And I also will cause the prophets and the unclean spirit to pass out of the land.
- 3 And it shall be when any shall prophesy again, and his father and his mother who gave him birth shall say to him then, You shall not live, for you speak lies in the name of Jehovah. And his father and his mother who gave him birth shall pierce him when he prophesies.
- 4 And it shall be in that day, the prophets shall be ashamed, *each* man of his vision when he prophesies, and they shall not wear a hairy garment to deceive.
- 5 But he shall say, I am not a prophet; I am a man, a tiller of the ground, for a man caused me to possess it from my youth.
- 6 And *one* shall say to Him, What *are* these wounds between Your hands? And He shall answer, Those with which I was struck in the house of those who love Me.
- 7 ¶ O sword, awake against My Shepherd, and against the Man who is My Associate, a statement of Jehovah of Hosts. Strike the Shepherd and the sheep will be scattered. And I will turn My hand on the little ones.
- 8 And it shall be in all the land, a statement of Jehovah, two parts in it shall be cut off and perish, but the third shall be left in it.
- 9 And I will bring the third part through the fire, and I will refine them as silver is Nathan being alone, and their wives being refined. And I will test them as gold is tested. They shall call on My name, and I

will answer them. I will say, It is My | Gate, to the Corner Gate, and from the people, and they shall say, Jehovah is my God.

- 1 The destroyers of Jerusalem destroyed. 4 The coming of Christ. 12 The plague of Jerusalem's enemies. 16 The remnant shall turn to the Lord.
- 1 ¶ Behold, the day of Jehovah comes. and your plunder shall be divided in your midst.
- 2 For I will gather all the nations to battle against Jerusalem. And the city shall be captured, and the houses plundered, and the women ravished. And half the city shall go into exile and the rest of the people shall not be cut off from the city.
- 3 And Jehovah shall go out and fight against those nations, like the day He fought in the day of battle.
- 4 And His feet shall stand in that day on the Mount of Olives, which is before Jerusalem on the east; and the Mount of Olives shall divide from its middle, from the east even to the west, a very great valley. And half of the mountain shall move north, and half of it south.
- 5 And you shall flee to the valley of My mountains, for the valley of the mountains shall reach to Azal. And you shall flee as you fled from before the earthquake in the days of Uzziah, king of Judah. And Jehovah my God shall come, and all the holy ones with You.
- 6 And it will be in that day, there shall not be light; the holy *ones* will shrink.
- 7 And it will be one day which shall be known to Jehovah; not day and not night, but it will be, there will be light at evening time.
- 8 ¶ And it shall be in that day, living waters shall go out from Jerusalem, half of them toward the eastern sea, and half of them toward the western sea: in summer and in winter it shall be.
- 9 And Jehovah shall be King over all the earth. In that day there shall be one Jehovah, and His name one.
- 10 All the land shall be turned as a plain from Geba to Rimmon south of Jerusalem. Benjamin's Gate to the place of the First of Jehovah of Hosts any more.

- Tower of Hananeel to the king's winepresses.
- 11 And they shall live in it. And there shall not again be a shutting in, but Jerusalem shall dwell safely.
- 12 And this shall be the plague with which Jehovah will strike all the peoples who have fought against Jerusalem: their flesh will rot while they stand on their feet, and their eves will rot in their sockets, and their tongues will rot in their mouths.
- 13 And it shall be in that day, a great panic of Jehovah shall be among them; and they shall each man seize the hand of his neighbor, and his hand shall rise up against the hand of his neighbor.
- 14 And Judah also shall fight at Jerusalem. And the wealth of the surrounding nations shall be gathered, gold, and silver, and clothing, very much.
- 15 And so shall be the plague of the horse, the mule, the camel, and the ass, and all the cattle which shall be in those camps, like this plague.
- 16 ¶ And it shall be, everyone who is left from all the nations who came up against Jerusalem shall go up from year to year to worship the King, Jehovah of Hosts, and to keep the Feast of Booths.
- 17 And it shall be, whoever will not go up from the families of the earth to Jerusalem to worship the King, Jehovah of Hosts, even there shall be no rain on them.
- 18 And if the family of Egypt does not go up, and not come in, even not on them will be rain, but the plague with which Jehovah shall strike the nations who do not come up to keep the Feast of Booths.
- 19 This shall be Egypt's offense, and the offense of all nations who do not come up to keep the Feast of Booths.
- 20 In that day there shall be on the bells of the horses, HOLY TO JEHOVAH. And the pots in the house of Jehovah shall be like the bowls before the altar.
- 21 And every pot in Jerusalem and in Judah shall be holy to Jehovah of Hosts. And all those who sacrifice shall come and take of them, and boil in them. And in that And it shall rise and dwell in its place, from day there shall not be a trader in the house