October 30, 2025

Series: "Exploring Ezekiel"

# Corruption of the Temple and its Consequences

Ezekiel 8-11 - Tom Lawrence

### **Review**

- 1. God's Message: Ezekiel is God's Watchman, called to proclaim both the imminent judgment and the eventual restoration of God's chosen people.
- 2. The Theme of Ezekiel: "You will know that I am the Lord."

# Vivid Vision, by the numbers

1 Vision, 4 Sections, 70 Elders, 6 men, Zero Glory, 2 Prophecies

When: Sep 17, 592 B.C. (8:1)

# Section 1: Idolatry in the Temple (8:1-13)

Act 1: Willful Idolatry (The image of <u>Jealousy</u>) (1-6)

Act 2: Wicked Wall Art (7-13)

"Law of Solid Ground: Leaders Pay for Conduct No One Sees"

Act 3: Weeping for Tammuz (14-15)

Act 4: Worshipping the Sun (16-18)

# **Section 2: Idolators Killed (9:1-11)**

## Section 3: God's Glory Departs (10:1-22)

### Section 4: Ungodly Leaders Judged (11:1-25)

God looks at the leader's heart

Healthy leadership is marked by:

- Personal integrity, Biblical identity, Godly intimacy
- Personal consistency, pure motives, Biblical priorities
- Humble servant's heart, healthy relationships
- Principled decisions balanced with love for God's people

### **Dates worth noting:**

Nov. 6, 13, 20 – "Exploring Ezekiel" study Dec. 2 – Christmas Lunch at Tacoma Country & Golf Club Feb. 12 – "Exploring Ezekiel" resumes Mar. 26 – "Exploring Ezekiel" concludes

April 9-19 - LC3 Holy Land Trip

### **Suggested Resources:**

Exploring Ezekiel, by Amir Tsarfati

SteveMillerResources.com; Follow Steve on the Foreshadows Report Podcast (on the Telegram app)
Follow Amir Tsarfati at Behold Israel; Follow him on Telegram; watch latest Prophecy Updates

Amir's update on Wednesday: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xwa83Jl1wx0