



ZECHARIAH

Return to me, and I will return to you

Return of the King

Zechariah 14

June 23, 2024

We've come to the end of the book of Zechariah. Many scholars state this chapter is the most difficult of all the prophecies found in this book. We're going to approach this passage with the idea that this passage is looking at the second coming of Christ and what will happen when He returns.

Order Of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

From Revelation 4:8-11

Leader: *Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!*

All: *Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power,*

Leader: *for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.*

All: *Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!*

Songs of Praise

**Holy Holy Holy
Sing To The King**

Offering

Confession of Sin

Merciful God - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit - we come to you in humble repentance. Father, we have resisted your love for us and spurned your commands. Lord Jesus, we have often failed to follow you as our king and to rejoice in gratitude for your grace. Holy Spirit, we have often ignored your presence and sought to live life through our own power. In your mercy Lord God, forgive us, cleanse us and empower us to live life in fellowship with you and by the power of your grace. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Song of Declaration

Is He Worthy?

Confession of Faith

Heidelberg Catechism #104

Q. What is God's will for you in the fifth commandment?

A. That I honor, love, and be loyal to my father and mother and all those in authority over me; that I submit myself with proper obedience to all their good teaching and discipline; and also that I be patient with their failings—for through them God chooses to rule us.

Pastoral Prayer

Children's Message

Sermon

Return of the King

Zechariah 14

Pastor James Brignac

Song of Response

Behold Our God

Benediction

Sermon Notes

It seems to point to the last great struggle of the powers of evil with the Church, which is to be ended by the coming of Christ in great power, and the complete establishment of his kingdom of glory. – T.V, Moore

Reaction to the King

What is the first thing we see in the return of the king?

Why should we not be shocked by the reaction to the return of Christ?

John 15:18

***What is the experience of most Christians today?
How is it different?***

Return of the King

Where do we see the deliverance of the LORD in the Bible?

How does Revelation 21 help us understand our passage today?

Revelation 21:3

What is being fulfilled in v. 9?

Philippians 2:9-11

The fact that He (Jesus) is King over all has always been true. He shall now really be regarded as what He actually is, for men will have come to a true knowledge of him. -

H.C. Luepold

Redeemed by the King

What judgment will be faced by the nations?

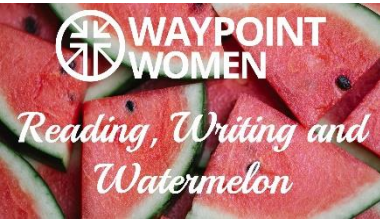
*Deuteronomy 28:22, Judges 7,
1 Samuel 14, 2 Chronicles 20:23*

What blessing comes to those who survive the judgment?

How does this passage connect to the overarching story of the Bible??

Philippians 1:6

Announcements



July 23 at 6:30 PM
Details coming soon!



August 16-18
Ponte Vedra Presbyterian Church



M.E.A.T
July 15 at 7:00 PM

Learn *God's ways*
of handling money.



Ramsey Financial Peace University
Detail on our web site



Multiple small groups formed
Contact Pastor James for info



Every Friday at 8:00 AM
Contact Carl Hill for details

Discussion Questions

1. What is your biggest takeaway from the book of Zechariah?
2. How should we approach difficult passages or books of the Bible?
3. Read John 15:18. How does this help us understand the persecution we may experience?
4. How do you think about the return of Christ? Why don't we think and talk about Christ's return much as Christians?
5. What do most people associate with the "end times?"
6. Why is it essential to put every passage of scripture into the bigger story of the Bible?