

Book of Zechariah

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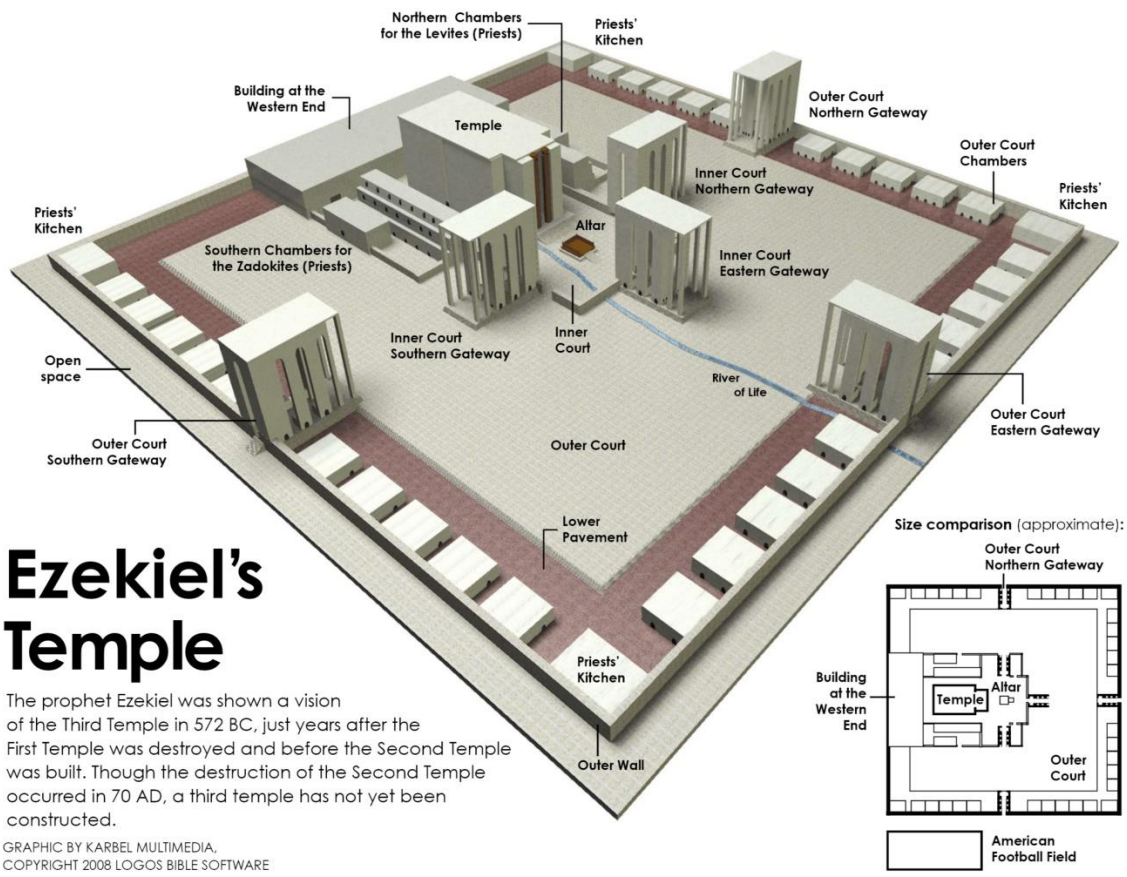
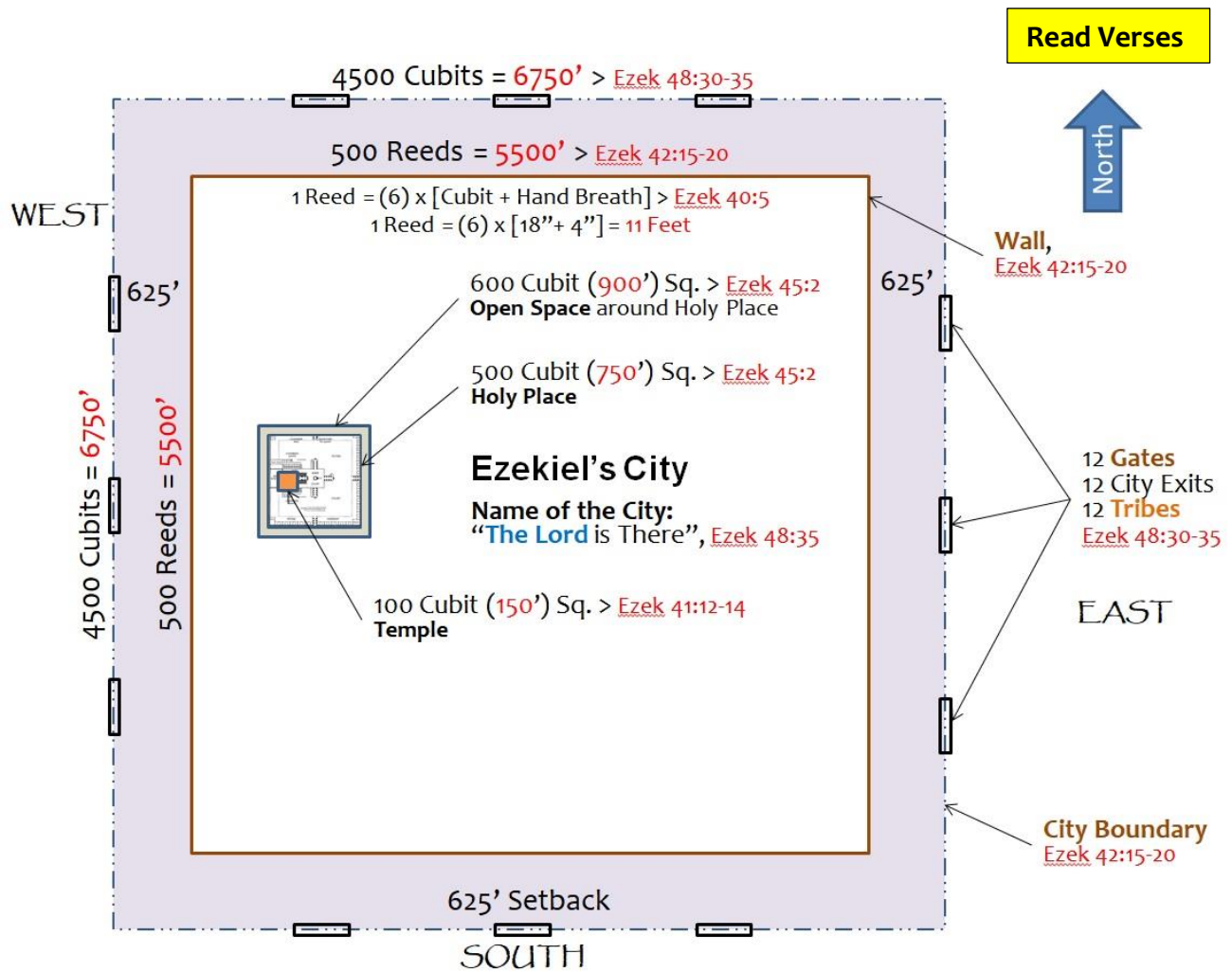
Interpretation of: The Vision of the Horses and Riders, Zechariah 1:7-17

II. The word of the Lord came to Zechariah the Prophet, 1:7-11 ¶

- A. 7 On the **twenty-fourth day** of the **eleventh month**, (**Feb 15th**)
 - 1. which is the **month Shebat**, in the second year of **Darius (I)**, (**519BC**)
- B. **the word of the Lord** came to **Zechariah** the **prophet**, 1:7
 - 1. the son of Berechiah, the son of Iddo, 1:7(the Vision was) as follows:
- C. 8 **I** (**Zechariah**) saw (a Vision) at **night**, 1:8
 - 1. and behold, **a man** (**the angel, the angel of the Lord, Jesus**) was riding on a **red horse**, 1:8
 - 2. and **he** (**the angel, the angel of the Lord, Jesus**) was standing among the **myrtle trees** 1:8
 - a. which were in the **ravine**, 1:8
 - 3. (**the angel of the Lord, Jesus** was riding on a **red horse**) with **red** (horses), **sorrel** (red brown, horses) and **white horses** behind **him** (**Jesus**), 1:8
- D. 9 Then **I** (**Zechariah**) said, “**My lord**, what are **these** (horses/rider) ?” 1:9
 - 1. And **the angel** (**the angel of the Lord, Jesus**) who was speaking with **me** said to **me**, 1:9
 - 2. “**I** (**the angel of the Lord, Jesus**) will show **you** what **these** (horses/riders behind me) are.” 1:9
- E. 10 And **the man** (**the angel of the Lord, Jesus**) who was (riding on a Red Horse) standing among the **myrtle trees** answered and said, 1:10a
 - 1. “**These** (horses/riders behind **Jesus**) are **those** (Angels) whom **the Lord** has sent to **patrol** the **earth**.” 1:10b
 - 2. 11 So **they** (the Angels on horses behind **Jesus**) answered **the angel of the Lord** (**Jesus**), 1:10c
 - a. **who** (the Man, **the angel, the angel of the Lord, Jesus**) was standing among the **myrtle trees** and said, 1:10d
 - 3. “**We** (the Angels on horses behind **Jesus**) have **patrolled** the **earth**, 1:10e
 - a. and behold, all the **earth** is peaceful and quiet.” 1:10f

III. the angel of the LORD to the LORD of hosts, How Long will You be Angry, 1:12-17 ¶

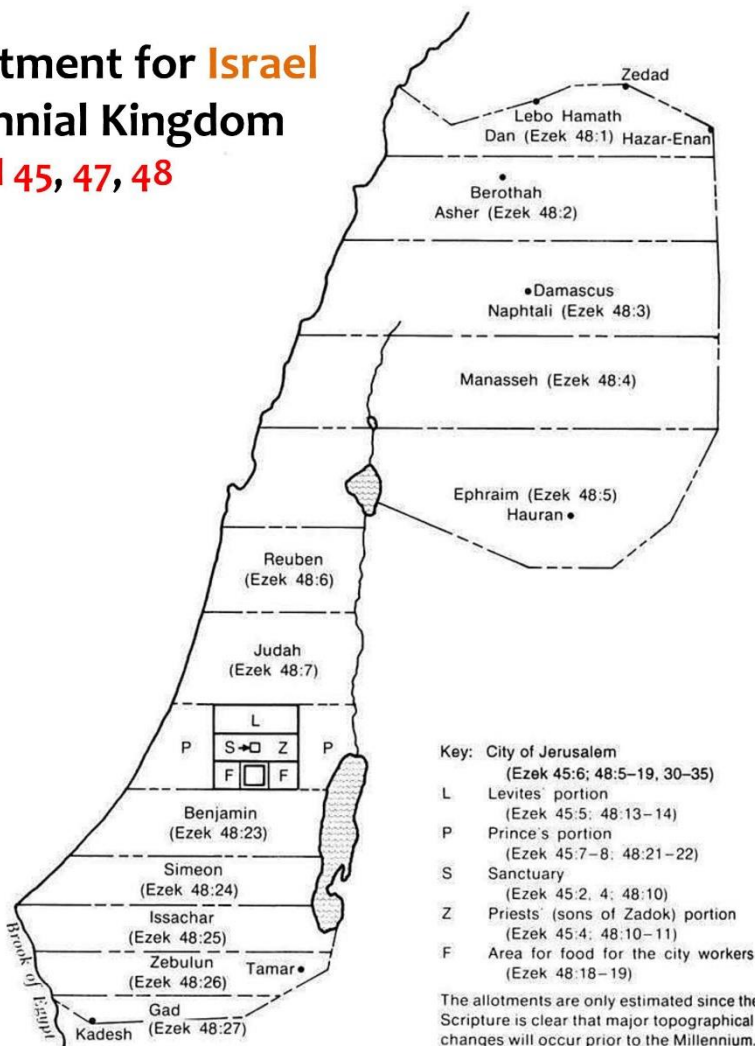
- A. 12 Then **the angel of the LORD** (**Jesus**) said, “O **LORD of hosts** (**the Father**), 1:12a
 - 1. how long will **You** (**Father**) have **no compassion** for **Jerusalem** and the cities of **Judah**, 1:12b
 - 2. with which **You** (**Father**) have been **indignant** these **seventy years** (of Exile) ?” 1:12c
- B. 13 **The LORD** (**the Father**) answered **the angel** (**of the Lord, Jesus**) **who** was speaking with **me** 1:13
 - 1. with gracious words, comforting words. 1:13
- C. 14 So **the angel** (**of the Lord, Jesus**) who was speaking with **me** (**Zechariah**) said to **me**, 1:14
 - 1. “**Proclaim**, saying, ‘Thus says **the LORD of hosts** (**the Father**), 1:14
 - 2. “**I** (**the Father**) **am** exceedingly **jealous** for **Jerusalem** and **Zion**. 1:14
- D. 15 “But **I** (**the Father**) **am** very **angry** with **the nations** who are at ease; 1:15
 - 1. **for** (Reason) while **I** was only a **little angry**, **they** (**the nations**) furthered the disaster.” 1:15
- E. 16 **Therefore** (because of that) thus says **the LORD** (**the Father**), 1:16
 - 1. “**I will** (**the Father**) **return** to **Jerusalem** (during the Millennial Kingdom, **Rev 20**) with **compassion**; 1:16
 - 2. **My house** (Ezekiel’s **Temple**, **Ezek 40-48**) will be **built** in **it** (**Jerusalem**),” (about 875 feet sq.) (during the Millennial Kingdom, **Rev 20**) declares **the LORD of hosts**, 1:16
 - 3. “and a **measuring line** will be stretched over **Jerusalem**.” ’ 1:16 (City will be 4500 cubits (6750 feet) square, **Ezek 48:16**)
- F. 17 “Again, proclaim (**Zechariah**), saying, ‘Thus says **the LORD of hosts** (**the Father**), 1:16
 - 1. “**My cities** (during the Millennial Kingdom, **Rev 20**) will again overflow with prosperity, 1:16
 - 2. and **the LORD** will again comfort **Zion** and again choose **Jerusalem**.” ’ 1:16



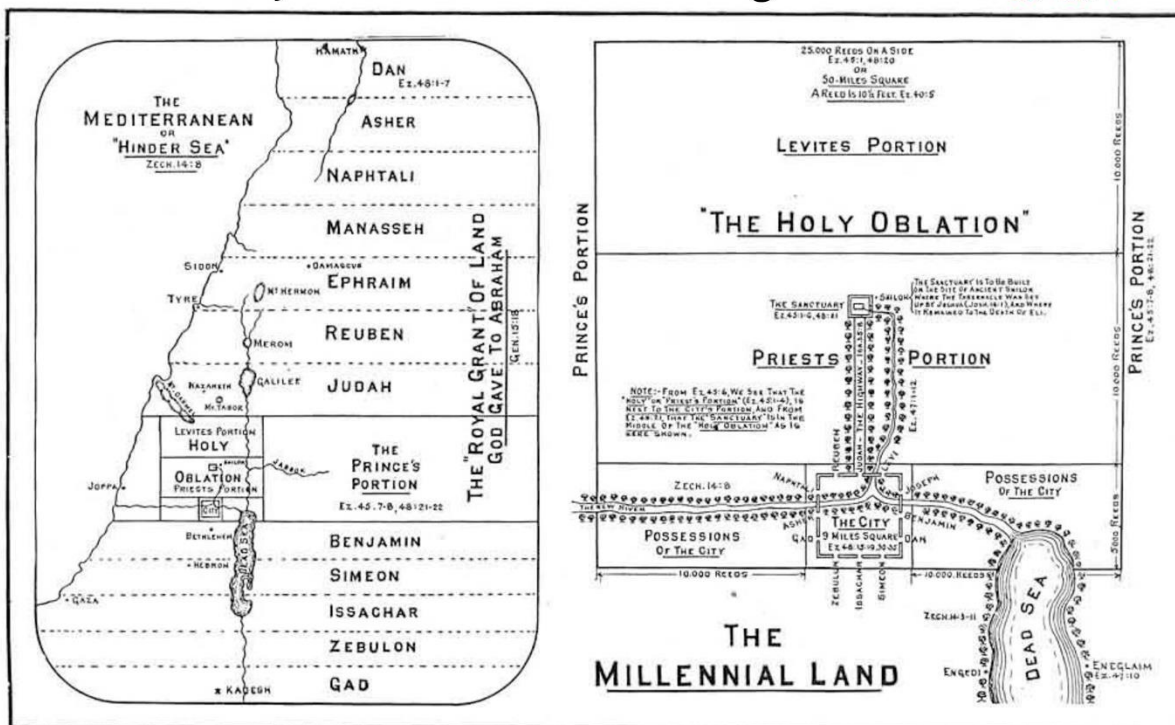
Land Allotment for Israel – Ezekiel 45, 47, 48

Land Allotment for Israel in Millennial Kingdom

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Land and City for Israel in Millennial Kingdom – Ezekiel 45, 47, 48



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Read Paragraph > **Zechariah 1:18-21** **Vision of: Four Horns and Four Craftsman**

Working Outline > **Zechariah 1:18-21** (Paragraphs ¶ from NAS Bible)

II. Four Horns which scattered **Judah, Israel** and **Jerusalem.**” **1:18-21** ¶ (**Feb 15th**) (**519BC**) (**Night**)

A. **18** Then **I** (**Zechariah**) lifted up **my** eyes and looked, and behold, there were **four horns**.

1. **19** So **I** (**Zechariah**) said to **the angel** (**Jesus**) who was speaking with **me**,

2. “What are **these** (four horns) (Nations) ?”

3. And **he** (**Jesus**) answered **me**,

4. “**These** (4) are the **horns** (Nations) which have scattered **Judah, Israel** and **Jerusalem.**”

B. **20** Then **the LORD** showed **me** (**Zechariah**) **four craftsmen**.

1. **21** **I** (**Zechariah**) said, “What are **these** (four craftsmen) coming to do?”

2. And **he** (**Jesus**) said,

3. “**These** (four horns) are the **horns** (Nations) which have scattered **Judah**
a. so that no **man** lifts up **his head**;

4. but **these** (4) **craftsmen** have come to terrify them (4 horns) (4 Nations),

a. to throw down the **horns** (Kings) of **the nations**

b. **who** (Kings) have lifted up **their horns** (Kings) (Nations) against **the land of Judah**

c. **in order to** (Reason) scatter **it** (**the land of Judah**).”

Questions of the Text: Zechariah 1:18-21 **Vision of: Four Horns and Four Craftsman**

Immediate Audience: **Zechariah**

Intended Audience: **Nation of Israel**

Immediate Application: **Nation of Israel**

Personal Application: Don't **You** be Like **Israel**

Q1: What did **Zechariah** see, in **1:18**? **A:**

Q2: What is a **Horn** in Prophecy? **Read** **Dan 7:24** **Read** **Rev 17:22** **A:**

Q3: Who are these **4 Horns**, in **1:19b**? **A:**

Q4: What **4 Horns** or **4 Nations** scattered **Israel**? **A:**

See Chart

Q5: What did **Zechariah** see, in **1:20**? **A:**

Q6: What are these **4 Craftsmen**, in **1:21**? **The Lord** gives a Two Part Response

A6: **The Lord** first, doesn't answer the Question, But instead, Repeats Verse **19b**.

“**These** (4) are the **horns** (Nations) which have scattered **Judah, Israel** and **Jerusalem.**” **1:19b**

“**These** (4 horns) are the **horns** (4 Nations) which have scattered **Judah**” **1:21b**

A6: **The Lord** then, does answer **Zechariah's** Question, **Verse 21b**.

Q7: What 2 things did these **4 Craftsmen** come to do, in **Verse 21b**?

A: **4 Craftsmen** have come to:

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Q8: Who are these (**4 Nations**) that are to be terrified and thrown down?

A:

Q9: So who are these **4 Craftsmen**, in **Verse 20** and **21**?

A:

After Exile - Gentile Kingdoms

NO Kingdom of Israel

Age of the Gentiles, Luke 21:24
586 BC to Second Coming of Christ



Daniel's - Gentile Kingdoms

<p>1st Babylonian Empire 605 - 539 BC Daniel 7:4</p>		<p>King Nebuchadnezzar Head Fine Gold, Dan 2:37-38 Rule Over All the Earth</p>
<p>2nd Medo-Persian Empire 539 - 531 BC Daniel 7:5</p>		<p>2nd Kingdom Breast - Arms Silver, Dan 2:37-38</p>
<p>3rd Grecian Empire 531 - 168 BC Daniel 7:6</p>		<p>3rd Kingdom - Rule Earth Belly - Thighs Bronze, Dan 2:39</p>
<p>4th United Roman Empire 168 BC - 476 AD Daniel 7:7</p>		<p>4th Kingdom Legs of Iron, Dan 2:35, 40 Kingdoms Crushed</p>
		<p>Feet of Iron - Clay, Crushed by Stone, Dan 2:34</p>

The 4 Horns are, 4 Gentile Nations, of Daniel 2 and Daniel 7