

Ezekiel – week #8

REVIEW

- Ezekiel is a _____ living among the _____ in _____
- Ezekiel likely came to Babylon in the 2nd deportation, but who came in the 1st?
- Jeremiah said that the captivity would last _____ years

Upon what things does God focus Israel's thinking over the course of Ezekiel's work?
(NOTE: Comparing the time reference in 1:2 with that of 29:17 we see his work spanning a period of roughly _____ years)

#1) God's justification for rendering judgements against Israel & Judah

Spiritual Adultery

- a) 16:6-15 – They were profoundly _____ for all God had done
- b) 16:25 – They were prolifically _____
- c) 20:18-21 – They had been _____ unfaithful as in the wilderness
- d) 23:1-49 – Oholah & Oholibah (_____ & _____) practiced murderous idolatry even sacrificing their _____ (see 23:36-39)

#2) Judgments against them

- I. Against false _____ – 13:1-23
- II. Against unjust _____ 22:23-31 – Priests, princes, prophets were Godless in their behavior but also the _____ as well – God looked for a man who would build up the _____ and stand in the _____ but he found none (see 22:30)
- III. Judgments against Israel's _____ such as Ammon, Moab, Edom, Philistia, Tyre, Sidon & Egypt 25-32
- IV. Perhaps the saddest judgements were against the _____ of Israel – 34:1-10

#3) Signs & parables to show the exiles what God was doing in Judea

- ⇒ 12:1-16 (esp. 13) – Dig a hole in the wall and _____ with baggage in the night – the prince will go to Babylon but not _____ it (Jeremiah 39:4-7)
- ⇒ 17 – The Two _____ – Babylon & Egypt
- ⇒ 21:1-7 – Ezekiel is to _____ with breaking heart and bitter _____
- ⇒ The _____ Pot – 24:1-14 – Jerusalem is the pot
- ⇒ 24:15-27 – Ezekiel's _____ dies
- ⇒ 24:1-2 – The _____ begins – 33:21 – Jerusalem falls to Nebuchadnezzar