

# *Zechariah*

(5) The Fourth Vision, continued

## *The commission, The Branch, The Stone...3:6-8*

After 'Joshua' is forgiven, made righteous (vs.4-5), what does Christ command? vs.6-7a

**Conditional: IF you walk in my ways and keep my requirements, then...**

And what is the reward IF this now-saved Joshua obeys? vs.7b

**Then you will govern My house, have charge of My courts, and have a place w/Angels...**

What is the parallel to this in the New Testament? ICor.3:10-13; Rev.11:17-18; Eph.4:1

**All believers will be judged and rewarded at the Bema Seat of Christ.**

What is the next promise from The Lord? vs.8 see Is.11:1-9; Jer.23:5-6; Zech.6:11-15

**It's the promise of the coming of Christ, BRANCH of the lineage of David. Millenium...**

Comment on this description of Christ.

**It shows His humanity. Son of Man and Son of God. Jesus must be from David, Mt.1:1**

What is the next promise from The Lord? vs.9 4:10; Rev.5:6

**The Stone, w/ seven eyes, with an inscription engraved on it. A symbol of Christ's deity**

How is Christ described in these passages? Ps.118:22-23; Mt.21:42; Eph.2:19-22; IPet.2:7

**He is the Chief Cornerstone. This is Christ as the first stone of God's new Kingdom.**

How is Christ described in these passages? Is.8:14; IPet.2:8; Rom.9:32-33

**He is a Stone of stumbling. Speaks of Israel tripping over Christ. Not looking for Him.**

How is Christ described in these passages? Ps.118:22-23; Mt.21:42

**He is the Rejected Stone. Israel (the builders) rejected Him. Not what they wanted...**

How is Christ described in these passages? Ex.17:6; ICor.10:4 (see also Num.20:8-11)

**He is the Smitten Stone. From Whom flows the water of life. Smitten ONCE, only.**

How is Christ described in this passage? Dan.2:34-35; 44-45

**He is the coming Smiting Stone. He will crush the earthly kingdoms and establish HIS.**

## *The work of the Stone...3:9-10*

What will happen in the day of The Stone? vs.9 see 12:10-13:1

**The Lord Almighty says, "I will remove the sin of this land in a single day". Israel saved.**

What else will happen in that day? vs.10 IKings 4:25 Mic.4:4

**There will be peace and prosperity in Israel! Everyone will be at peace and unafraid.**

What must this vision have been like to Joshua, the High Priest?

**It must have been like a refreshing breeze! The Lord was coming to make it all Right!**