

The Law Exposes the Danger Zechariah 5

I. Multiple Visions from God (Messianic and Millennial) (Zechariah 1–6)

A. Introduction and Message of Warning (Zechariah 1:1–6)

B. Ten Visions (All in One Night) (Zechariah 1:7–6:15)

*God's **Judgment**

1. Riders under Myrtle Trees (Zechariah 1:7–17)
2. Four Horns (Zechariah 1:18–19)

*God's **Rebuilding**

3. Four Smiths (Zechariah 1:20–21)
4. Man with Measuring Line (Zechariah 2)

*God's **Cleansing** – Head and Heart

5. Joshua and Satan (Zechariah 3:1–7)

*God's **Deliverer** - Jesus

6. The Branch (Zechariah 3:8–10)

*God's Plan to **overcome** the world

7. Golden Candlestick and Two Olive Trees (Zechariah 4)

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8. Flying Roll – The **Bible** (Zechariah 5:1–4)

1 Then I turned, and lifted up mine eyes, and looked, and behold a **flying roll**.

2 And he said unto me, What seest thou? And I answered, **I see a flying roll**; the **length** thereof is **twenty cubits**, and the **breadth** thereof **ten cubits**.(15x30 feet)

- **Measurements of The Holy Place** (Exodus 26:16-18)
- **Measurement of Solomon's porch** (I Kings 6:3)

3 Then said he unto me, **This is the curse that goeth forth over the face of the whole earth**: for every one that **stealeth** shall be cut off as on this side according to it; and every one that **swareth** shall be cut off as on that side according to it.

4 I will bring it forth, saith the LORD of hosts, and it shall enter into **the house of the thief**, and into the house of him that **swareth falsely by my name**: and it shall remain in the midst of his house, and shall consume it with **the timber thereof and the stones thereof**.

The Law **condemns**:

Romans 7:7-11

7 What shall we say then? **Is the law sin**? God forbid. Nay, **I had not known sin, but by the law**: for I had not known lust, except the law had said, Thou shalt not covet.

8 But sin, taking occasion by the commandment, wrought in me all manner of concupiscence. **For without the law sin was dead.**

9 For I was alive without the law once: **but when the commandment came, sin revived, and I died.**

10 And the commandment, which was ordained to life, I found to be unto death.

11 For sin, taking occasion by the commandment, deceived me, **and by it slew me.**

9. Woman and the Ephah (Zechariah 5:5–11)

a. Monetary Gain Measured (Zechariah 5:5-6)

5 Then the angel that talked with me went forth, and said unto me, **Lift up now thine eyes, and see what is this that goeth forth.**

6 And I said, **What is it?** And he said, This is **an ephah (measure for grain)** that goeth forth. He said moreover, This is their **resemblance (eye; appearance)** through all the earth.

b. Represent a desire to get more riches (Zechariah 5:7-8)

7 And, behold, there was lifted up a **talent (a coin)** of **lead (lead)**: and this is a woman that **sitteth in the midst of the ephah.**

8 And he said, **This is wickedness.** And **he cast it into the midst of the ephah;** and **he cast the weight of lead upon the mouth** thereof.

c. We want Babylon (Zechariah 5:9-11)

9 Then lifted I up mine eyes, and looked, and, behold, **there came out two women, and the wind was in their wings;** for they had wings like the wings of a **stork (large carnivorous bird)**: and they **lifted up the ephah between the earth and the heaven.**

10 Then said I to the angel that talked with me, **Whither do these bear the ephah?**

11 And he said unto me, **To build it an house in the land of Shinar (plain in Babylon):** and it shall be established, and set there upon her own base.

***God's Rule Book**

8. Flying Roll (Zechariah 5:1–4)

***God's Plan for our Living**

9. Woman in the Ephah (Zechariah 5:5–11)