

Major Truth From the Minor Prophets

Temple Baptist Church
July 11, 2021
Part 63a

HOSHEA
732-722

In 722 BC, Israel fell to Assyrian ruler Sargon II, and ceased to exist.

NAHUM

JEREMIAH

ZEPHANIAH

AMON
643-641

DANIEL

EZEKIEL

HABAKKUK

OBADIAH?

JEHOAHAZ (Shallum)
609

JEHOIACHIN (Jeconiah or Coniah)
598-597

Temple Destroyed

70 Years

Temple Rebuilt

HAGGAI ZECHARIAH

MALACHI?

JOEL?

AHAZ (Jehoahaz)

735-716

HEZEKIAH

716-687

MANASSEH

697-643

JOSIAH

641-609

JEHOIAKIM (Eliakim)

609-598

ZEDEKIAH (Mattaniah)

597-586

THE EXILE: Judah fell to King Nebuchadnezzar of Babylon. Many of the inhabitants were deported to Babylon. In 539 BC, Babylon fell to the Medes and Persians. In 538 BC, King Cyrus of Persia issued a proclamation allowing the Jewish people to return to Palestine. Some Jews stayed in Babylon, but those who returned went back in several groups over many years. The Temple was rebuilt in 516 BC, 70 years after its destruction.

Governor Sheshbazzar
536? - ?

Governor Zerubbabel (Zorobabel)
Dates unknown

Governor Ezra
457-?

Governor Nehemiah
444-432

Legend

JOSIAH
641-609

Name of king and years of reign.

AMOS

Name of prophet and approximate dates of influence.

Governor Nehemiah

Leaders of the Jewish people after they returned from the Exile in Babylonia.

?

Dates Unknown

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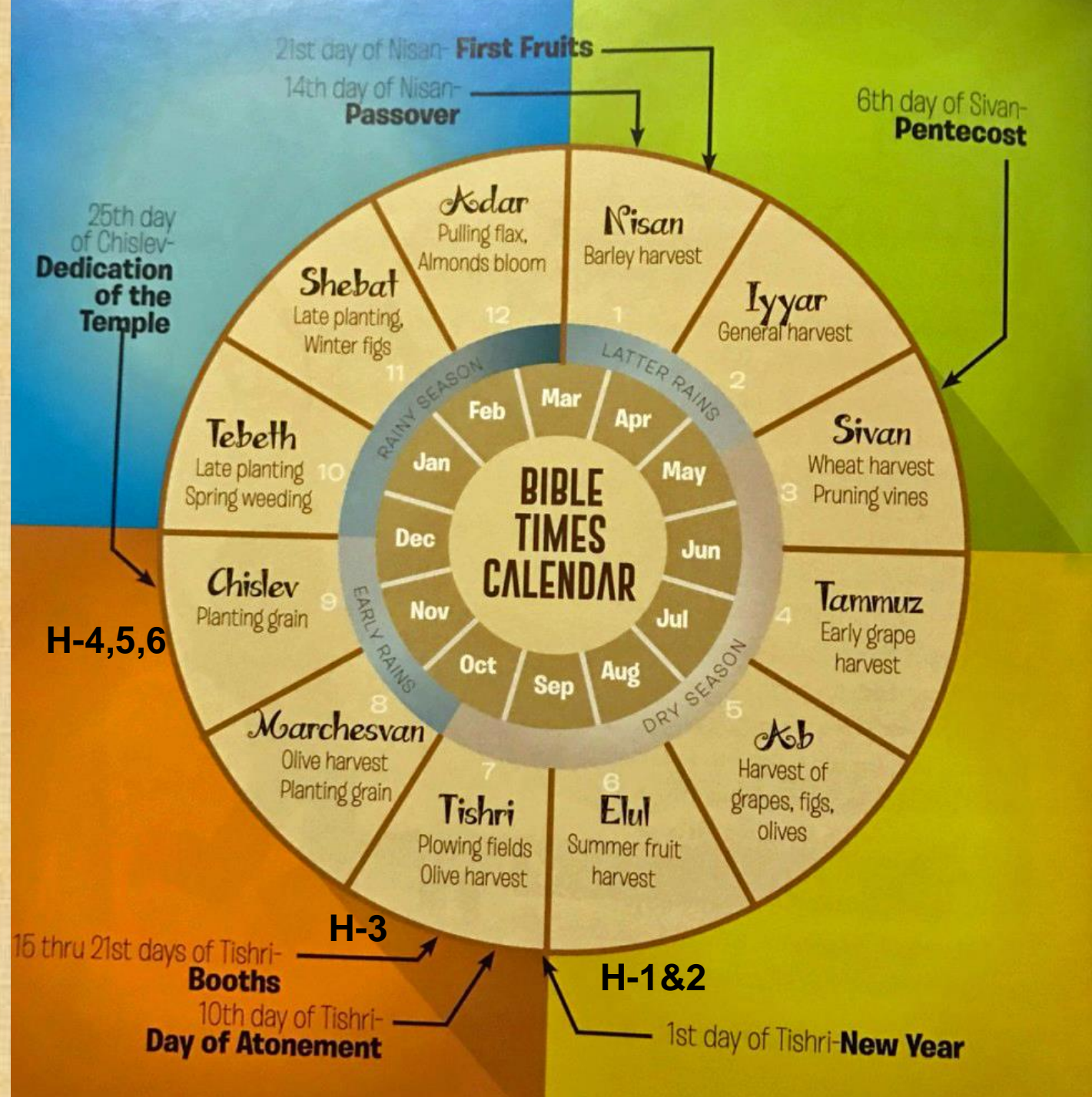
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The Relationship



Haggai – My Festival -

Jewish Calendar





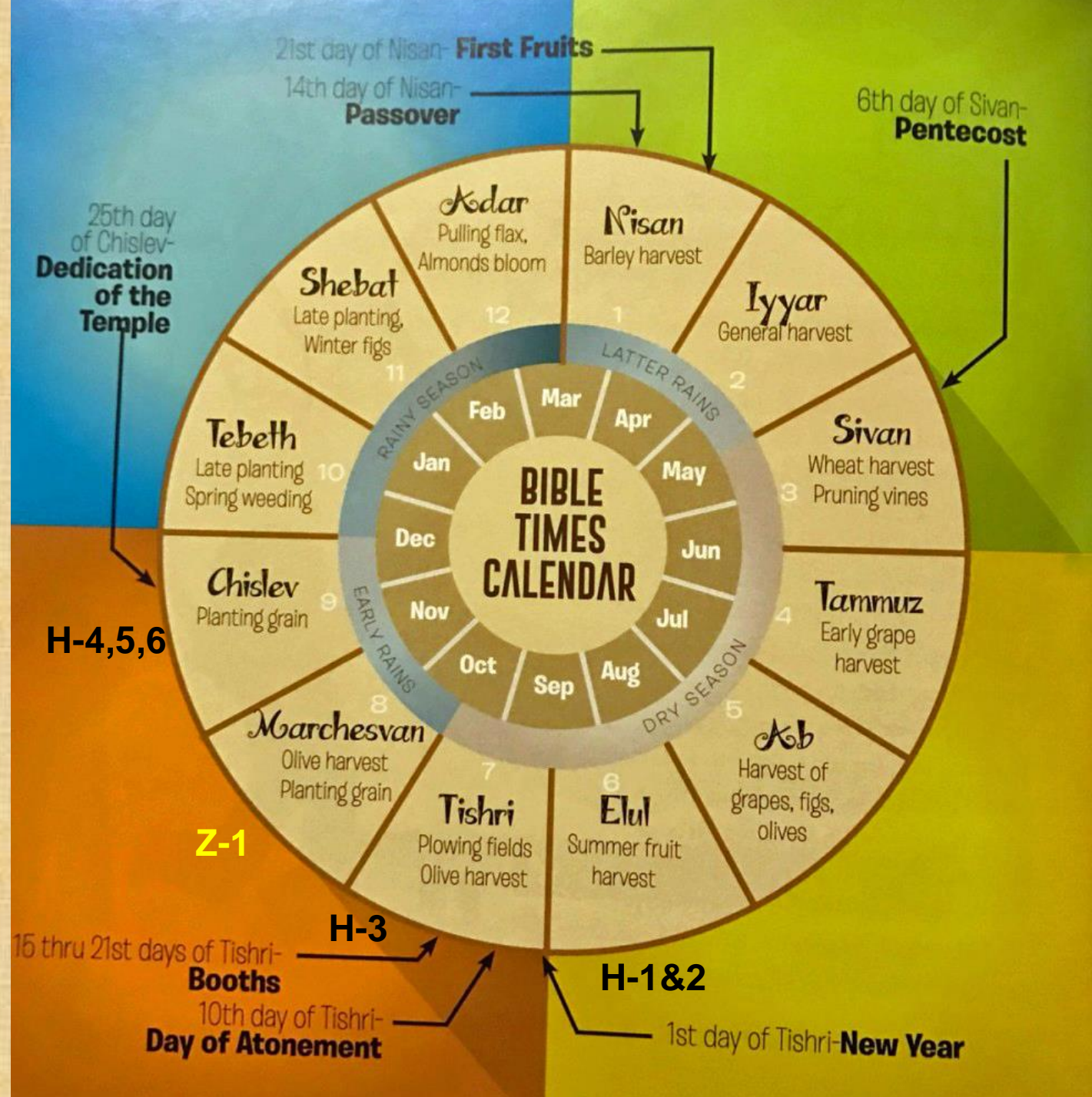
Zechariah

– Whom Jehovah Remembers –

Zechariah

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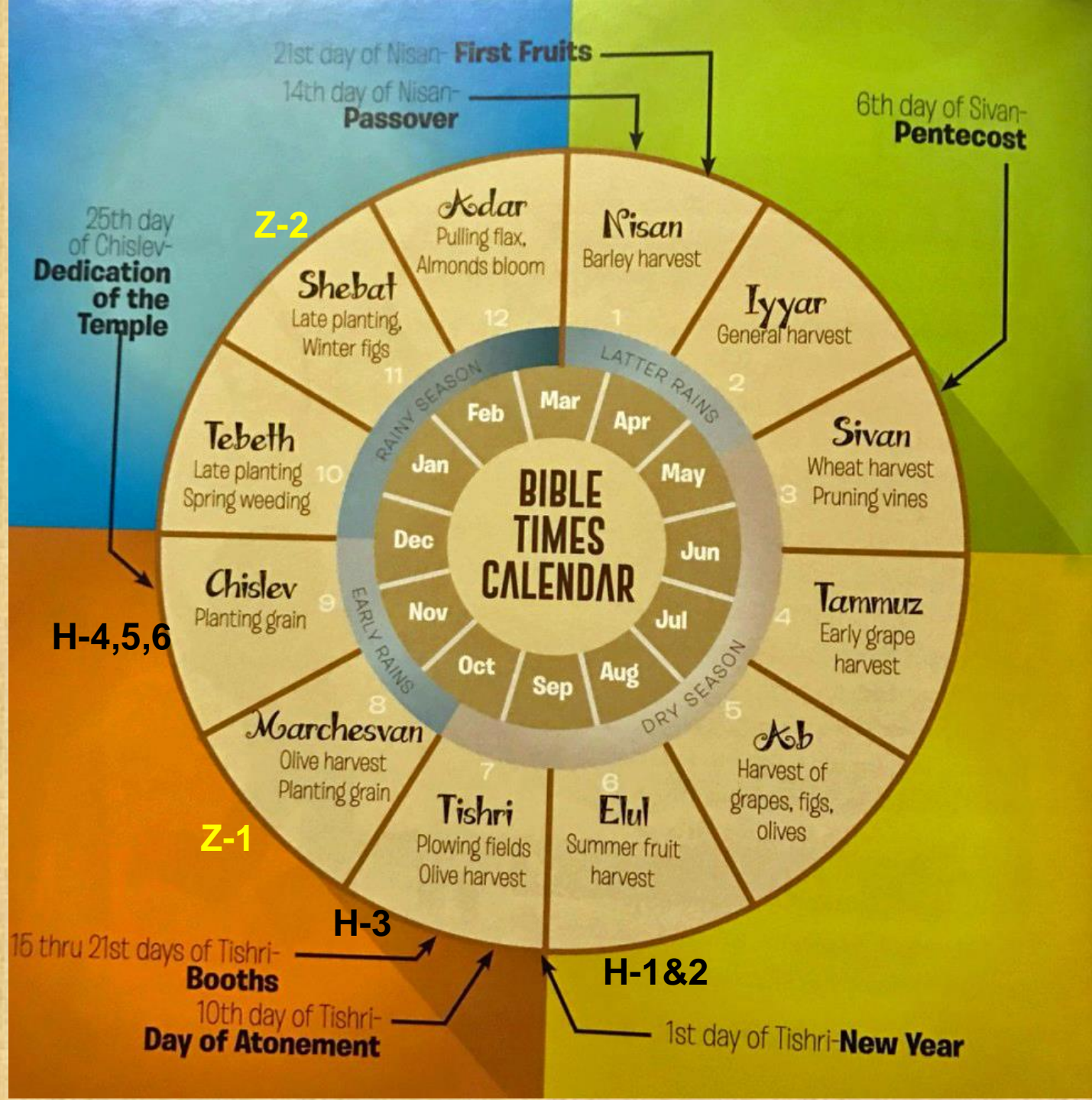
Jewish Calendar



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Myrtle Trees



Feast of Tabernacles Four Species



The symbolism is as follows:

- The ***lulav-date palm*** has taste but no smell, symbolizing those who study Torah but do not possess good deeds.
- The ***hadass-myrtle*** has a good smell but no taste, symbolizing those who possess good deeds but do not study Torah.
- The ***aravah-willow*** has neither taste nor smell, symbolizing those who lack both Torah and good deeds.
- The ***etrog-citron*** has both a good taste and a good smell, symbolizing those who have both Torah and good deeds.

Feast of Tabernacles - Four Species

Horses in the Bible



Revelation - Horse Colors

NT:3022

leukos (lyoo-kos'); from luke ("light"); white:

KJV - white.

NT:4450

purrhos (poor-hros'); from NT:4442; fire-like, i.e. (specifically) flamecolored:

KJV - red.

NT:3189

melas (mel'-as); apparently a primary word; black:

KJV - black.

NT:5515

chloros (khlo-ros'); greenish, i.e. verdant, dun-colored:

KJV - green, pale.

Dun Colored



OT:122

Zechariah - Horse Colors

adom (aw-dome'); from OT:119; rosy:

KJV - red, ruddy.

OT:3836

laban (law-bawn'); or (Gen 49:12) laben (law-bane'); from OT:3835; white:

KJV - white.

OT:8320

saruq (saw-rook'); from OT:8319; bright red (as piercing to the sight), i.e. bay:

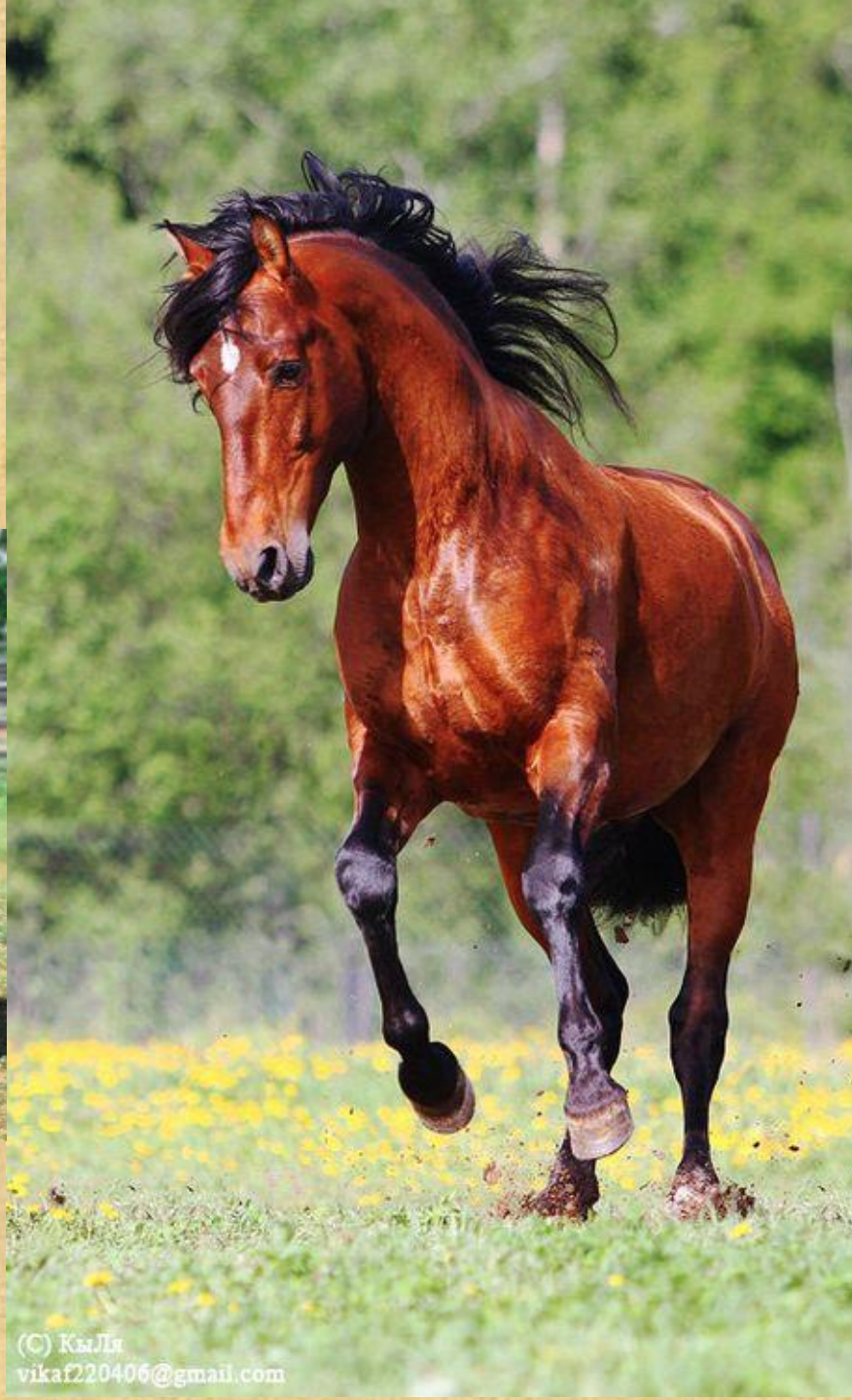
KJV - speckled.

OT:8319

sharaq (shaw-rak'); a primitive root; properly, to be shrill, i.e. to whistle or hiss (as a call or in scorn):

KJV - hiss.

Bay Colored



Four Horns



Four Horns



Four Nations



~ Golden Age ~
BABYLON the Great
"the Lion"
Chaldean Dynasty
(634-562 B.C.)
King Nebuchadnezzar II

~ Silver Age ~
Achaemenid Empire
"the Bear"
Medians and Persians
(550-330 B.C.)
King Cyrus the Great

~ Bronze Age ~
Greco-Macedonia
"the Leopard"
Hellenistic Era
(336-323 B.C. / 168 B.C.)
Alexander the Great

~ Iron Age ~
Roman Empire
"the Beast"
Western and Eastern
(44 B.C. - 476 A.D.)
Reign of the "Caesars"

~ MODERN AGE ~
"NEW"
ROMAN EMPIRE
10 Kings / Kingdoms
(? European Union ?)
NEW WORLD ORDER

Babylonian Destruction of Jerusalem



Four Carpenters



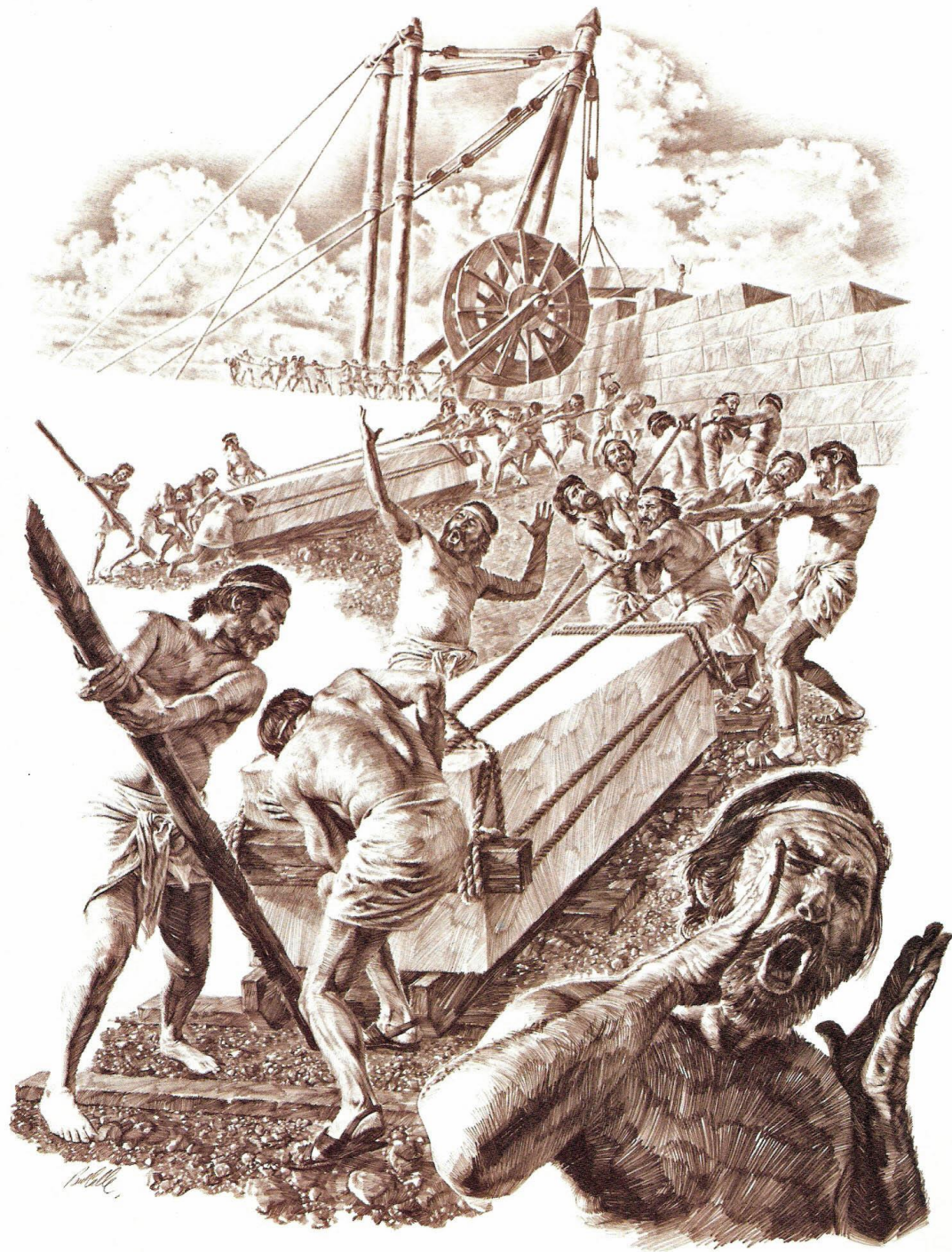
Fray

OT:2729

charad (khaw-rad'); a primitive root; to shudder with terror; hence, to fear; also to hasten (with anxiety):

KJV - be (make) afraid, be careful, discomfit, fray (away), quake, tremble.

2nd Temple Construction

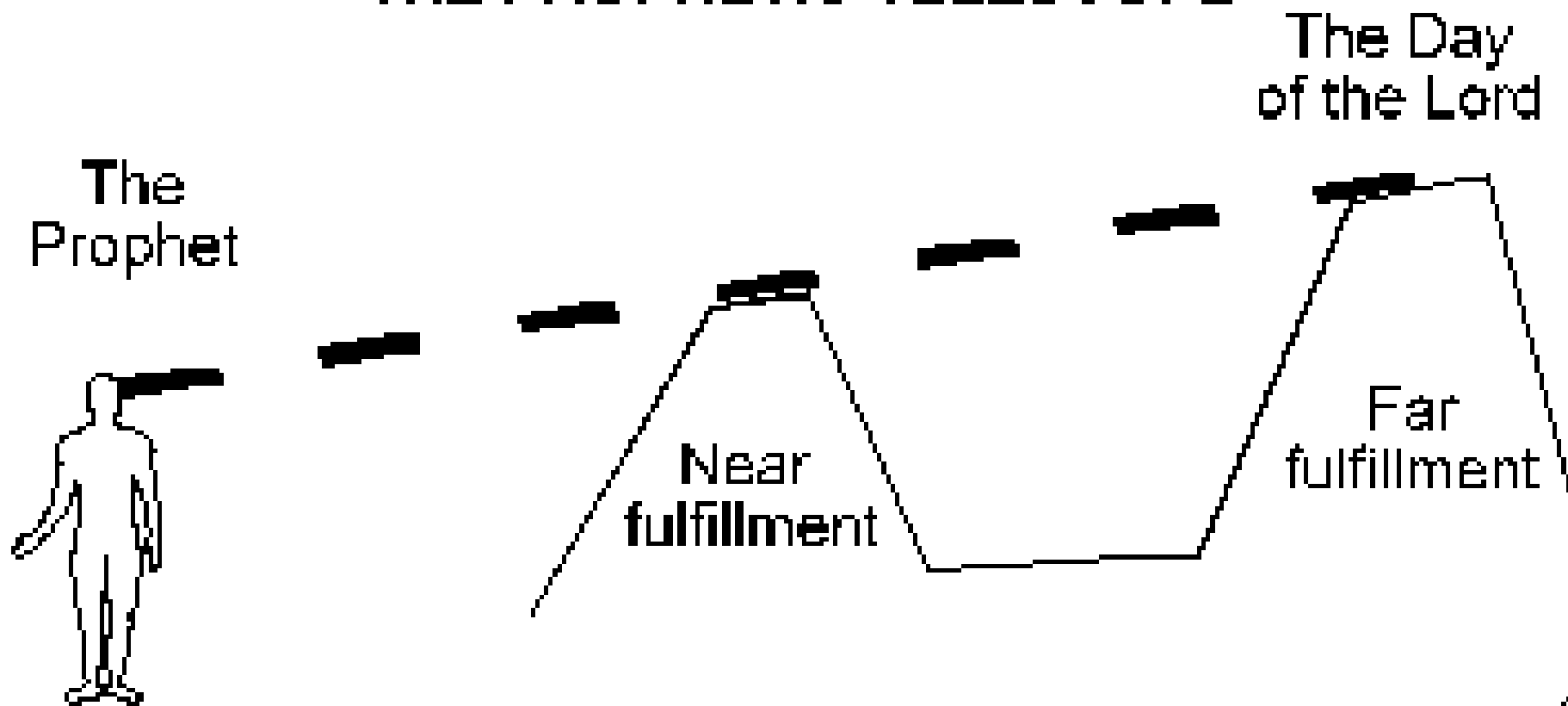


Herod's Temple

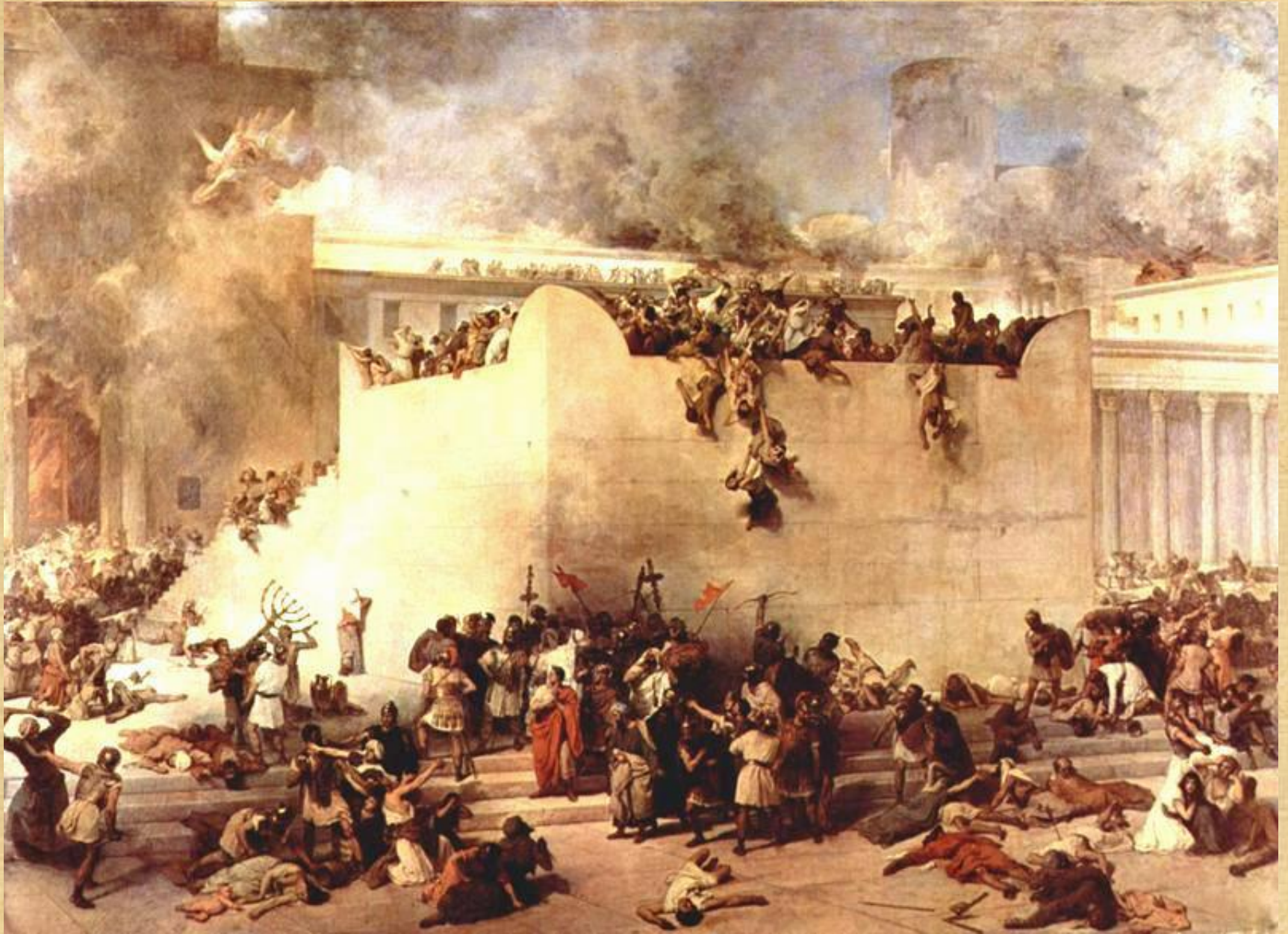


Zechariah

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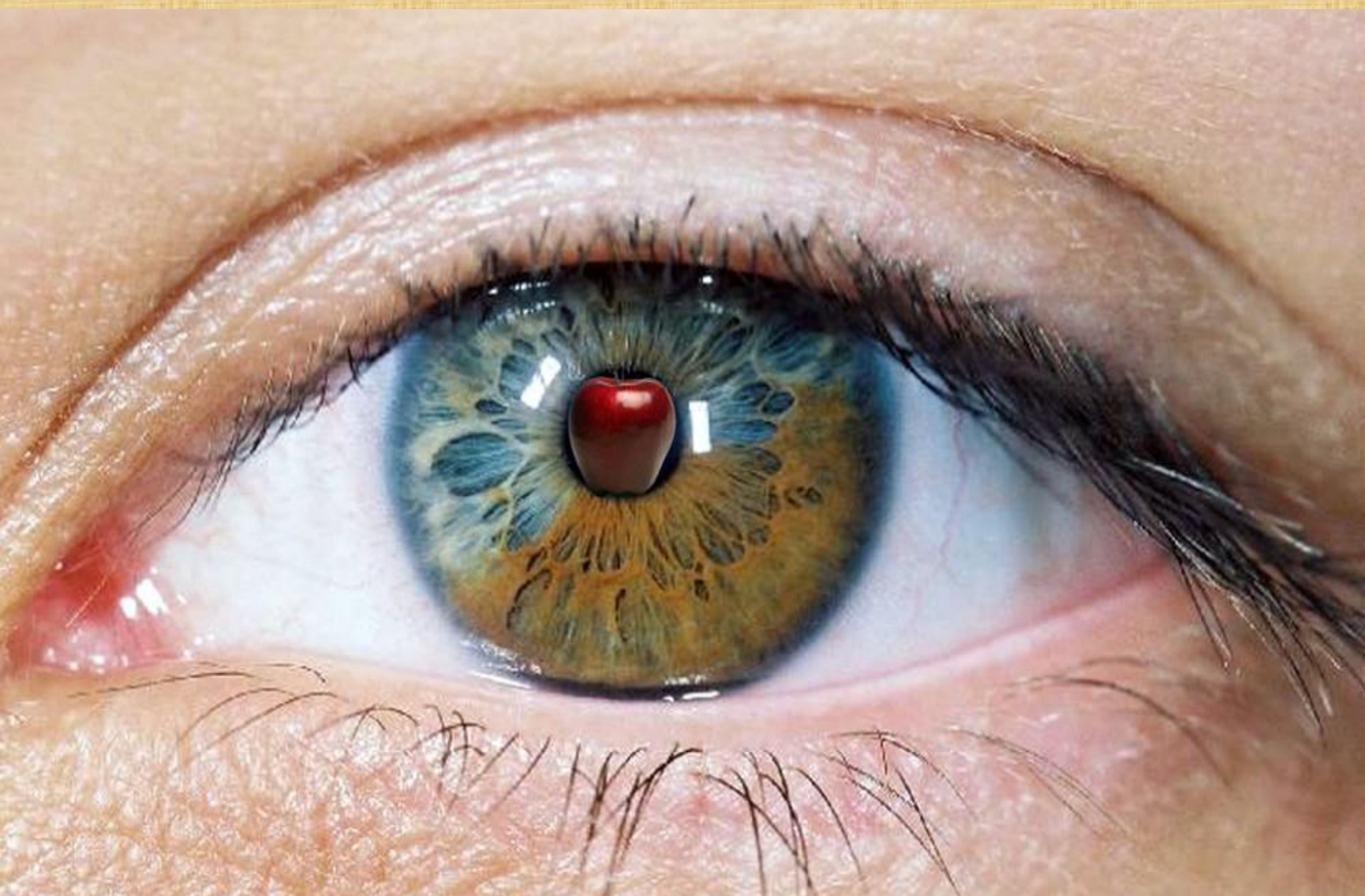
Roman Destruction of the 2nd Temple



Roman Destruction of Jerusalem



Apple of My Eye



~Next Week~
Zechariah 2&3