Zechariah 1:12-17

(Part 2) Vision of Horses

Review

- Jesus is back in the mix (on red horse)
- Israel is lowly, but not for long! (myrtle trees in the hollow)
- He is once again going to lift them up! (white horse)
- Which team are you on?

Today's Outline

- Jesus our advocate
- Good news is to be shouted!
- Do exactly what God says
- When God is for you, you win

Jesus our advocate (v12)

Advocate: a person who publicly supports or recommends a particular cause or policy

1 John 2:1 My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.

Jesus our advocate (v12)

• 1 Timothy 2:5

For there is one God and one <u>Mediator</u> between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus,

• Hebrews 7:25 Therefore He is also able to save to the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.

Jesus our advocate (v12)

Intercession: the action of intervening on behalf of another.



Good news is to be shouted! (v13-14a)

Proclaim: kä·rä'קָרָא

to call, call out, recite, read, cry out,

proclaim



Good news is to be shouted! (v13-14a)

- 1 Chronicles 16:23 Sing to the LORD, all the earth; Proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day.
- Isaiah 52:7 How beautiful upon the mountains Are the feet of him who brings good news, Who proclaims peace, Who brings glad tidings of good things, Who proclaims salvation, Who says to Zion, "Your God reigns!"

Good news is to be shouted! (v13-14a)

1 Peter 2:9

But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light;

Zealous: kin·ä' קְנָאָה (v14b)

ardour, zeal, jealousy, enthusiasm or passion.

Jealousy (v14b)



Zealous – Lovingly Protect



Do exactly what God says (v15)

Deuteronomy 12:32

"Whatever I command you, be careful to observe it; you shall not add to it nor take away from it.

When God is for you, you win(v16-17)

Romans 8:31 (ESV)

What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?

Deuteronomy 32:30 (NLT)

How could one person chase a thousand of them, and two people put ten thousand to flight, unless their Rock had sold them, unless the Lord had given them up?

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