

Zechariah 12:1-14

Mourning for the Pierced One

Review (11)

- Poetry About Destruction(v1-3)
- Acting Out Prophecy
 - Rejection of Messiah (v4-14)
- The Beast (Foolish Shepherd)
(v15-17)

Today's Outline (12:1-14)

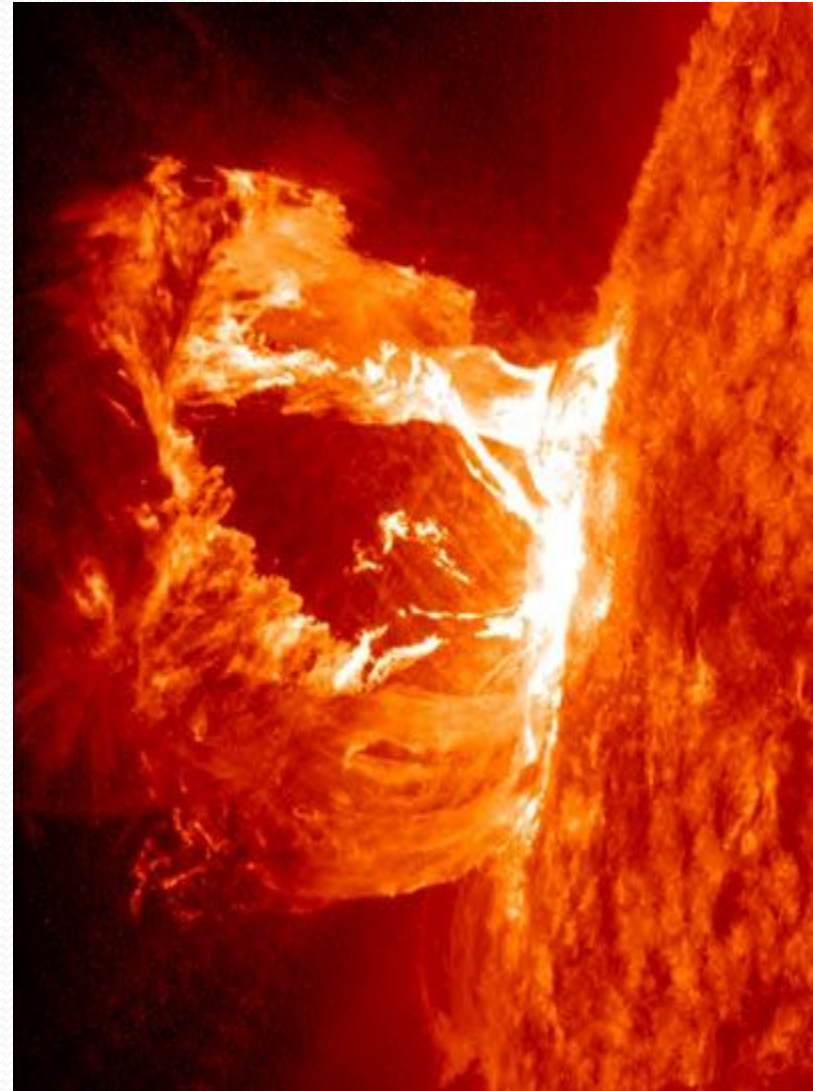
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(Versions) Verse 1

- **NKJV** The burden of the word of the LORD against Israel.
- **NLT** This message concerning the fate of Israel came from the LORD:
- **NIV** A prophecy: The word of the LORD concerning Israel.
- **ESV** The oracle of the word of the LORD concerning Israel:

We Did NOT come from Monkeys (V1)

The Sun consumes about **600 million tons of hydrogen per second.** (That's 6×10^8 tons.) For comparison, the mass of the Earth is about 1.35×10^{21} tons. This would mean the Sun consumes the mass of the Earth in about 70,000 years.



Spiritually Impaired (v2)

im·paired im'pe(ə)rd/ *adjective*

- having a disability of a specified kind.



When is “That Day”? (v3)

Joel 2:31

The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before the great and the terrible Day of the Lord come.

Zep 1:14

The great Day of the Lord is near, it is near, and hasteth greatly, even the voice of the Day of the Lord: the mighty man shall cry there bitterly.

Zechariah 14:1

Behold, the Day of the Lord cometh, and thy spoil shall be divided in the midst of thee.

Joel 3:14, Amos 5:18, Amos 5:20, Obadiah 1:15. Zep 1:7, Zep 1:8, Zep 1:18, Zep 2:2, Zep 2:3, Malachi 4:5, Acts 2:20, 1 Col 5:5, 2 Col 1:14, 1 Thes 5:2, Phil 1:10, Phil 2:16, 2 Peter 3:10

Strengthened by God (v3)



Strengthened by God (v4)

The Results of Disobedience

Deuteronomy 28:28-29

*The Lord will strike you with **madness** and **blindness** and **confusion** of heart. 29 And you shall grope at noonday, as a blind man gropes in darkness; you shall not prosper in your ways; you shall be only oppressed and plundered continually, and no one shall save you.*

Strengthened by God (v5-6)



Strengthened by God (v7-9)

Hebrew Interlinear Bible

Zech 12:9 *In that day shall the LORD defend the inhabitants of Jerusalem; and he that is feeble among them at that day shall be as David; and the house of David [shall be] as God, as the angel of the LORD before them.*

Strengthened by God (v7-9)

Deity of Christ Claim

The weakest will be like a mighty man and the true strength will be the root of Jesse the Son of David!
(God Almighty)

Mourning for the One Pierced(v10)

Jeremiah 30:7 (*NLT*)

In all history there has never been such a time of terror.

It will be a time of trouble for my people Israel. Yet in the end they will be saved!

Mourning for the One Pierced(v10)

Romans 11:25-26

For I do not desire, brethren, that you should be ignorant of this mystery, lest you should be wise in your own opinion, that blindness in part has happened to Israel until the fullness of the Gentiles has come in. 26 And so all Israel will be saved, as it is written:

*“The Deliverer will come out of Zion,
And He will turn away ungodliness from
Jacob;*

Mourning for the One Pierced(v11)

2 Kings 23:29

In his days Pharaoh Necho king of Egypt went to the aid of the king of Assyria, to the River Euphrates; and King Josiah went against him. And Pharaoh Necho killed him at Megiddo when he confronted him.

Mourning for the One Pierced(v11)

2 Chronicles 35:24-25 (NLT)

...And all Judah and Jerusalem mourned for him. 25 The prophet Jeremiah composed funeral songs for Josiah, and to this day choirs still sing these sad songs about his death. These songs of sorrow have become a tradition and are recorded in The Book of Laments.

Mourning for the One Pierced(v12)

David = *King*

Nathan = *Profit*

Levi (Shimei Grandson) = *Priest*

***Deep Mourning
For the Messiah
is a Deeply Personal Thing***

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