



Materials I Need:

**\*\*Please note that lesson plans will now include options in the each section, for grades 1-6, so that you may teach to the different skill levels of your group of Bible students.**

Memory Work: 1<sup>st</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup> : Ezekiel 18:32  
3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> : Ezekiel 18:30-32

Prophet	Ezekiel
People	Exiles in Babylon
Prophecy	God's Glory Won't Mix with Your Sin
Principle	Accept God's Word, Don't Resist Him

Aim Questions:

1. What unusual things has Ezekiel done up to this point to get the Israelites attention back on God? How did the Israelites respond?
2. Whose failed escape does Ezekiel act out?
3. What did God compare the false prophets with? (*fresh white paint on a rotting old wall*)
4. What were the Israelites worshipping, making promises to, giving their devotion and obedience to? (*Idols, even the Israelite leaders!!!*)
5. Does God have first place in your heart? If God doesn't, what has first place in your heart? Be honest. Pray to God to help you!


**Hook:** All five of these hooks can be used as stations. To use them all, you might want to join another class for manpower to run the stations. Have big fun!


**HEART BOX.** Object Lesson. Bring in a cardboard box with construction paper hearts on 4 sides. Have an opening cut in the top. Inside have two trophies and a bowl of "goo" such as GAK. Label the opening: **Reach inside and feel what was in the Israelites' hearts.** Have small slips of paper available for the Bible students to write what they think was in the Israelites' hearts. **DEBRIEF:** After everyone has had an opportunity to guess, begin reading the answers and lead the students to discuss idols, what they are and can be.

**COOKIES.** Craft. Make heart shaped sugar cookies so that each Bible student can have two. You will need chocolate, vanilla icing, & plastic knives. Have the Bible students write their names on a paper towel and place two cookies on the towel. Let the students ice their hearts: one with chocolate and the other with vanilla. With the plastic knife write SIN in the chocolate icing. In the vanilla icing have the students write GLORY. Snack time will be later.

**PROVERBS.** Discussion. What's a proverb? Bring in several books of modern-day proverbs such as "Life's Little Instruction Book". Give some examples to the Bible students and see if they can come up with others. As a class think of as many current proverbs or 'sayings' as you can. Here are a few examples to get you started: 1. "Finders keepers; losers weepers" 2. "What goes around, comes around" 3. "An apple a day keeps the doctor away" 4. "Sticks and stones may break my bones, but names will never hurt me" 5. "Last one is a rotten egg". **DEBRIEF:** Discuss how truthful some of these proverbs actually are. Explain that in today's Adventure we will hear how God said He would put an end to a proverb or saying that the people had made up. Listen to hear what God's

response was. (Ezekiel 12:23-28) Do you really believe that what God says He means; that what He says will be fulfilled?


 **PACKING LIST.** Discussion/Visual. Discuss what items your students would pack if they were leaving for a trip on foot and didn't know when they would be able to return home. Write all suggested items on a large piece of butcher paper. Inform the students at this point that they would actually have to carry these things. Try to eliminate unnecessary items. Imagine how hard this was for the captives who were leaving for Babylon!

 **ALL PACKED.** Discussion/Visual. Bring a suitcase packed with items you would include on a trip. Talk with students about what you might add if you were leaving home with no idea exactly where you were going or for how long.



### **Book:**

#### **Presentation Ideas -**

 **HOLE IN THE WALL.** Illustration or overhead. Ezekiel leaves through a hole in the wall.  
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#### **Bible Adventure -**

We've heard about some unusual things the prophet Ezekiel did in order to get God's message to the people. We also know that God was having Ezekiel deliver the messages in this way because He could not get them to listen to His words. God told Ezekiel that His people were blind and deaf to His voice because they were so rebellious. Have you been wondering what God would ask Ezekiel to do next? Let's find out what it was.

To understand this next prophecy better, I want you to think back to the prophecies of Jeremiah to King Zedekiah of Judah. Do you remember how Zedekiah reacted to Jeremiah's prophecies? He kept denying the truth of them, didn't he? Again and again he asked Jeremiah for a word from the Lord, and when it came he would say, "That's not going to happen." Finally King Zedekiah and a group of his soldiers attempted to escape Jerusalem one night, but they were captured by the Babylonians, just as Jeremiah had predicted. Keep in mind though, that at the time Ezekiel was prophesying, this event had not yet happened. God wanted to reinforce Jeremiah's prophecy, so He asked Ezekiel to act out the event of His people taken captive in a foreign land. Ezekiel got out his suitcase and packed in broad daylight, where everyone could see. Then after dark, the people watched as he went to the city wall, dug through it with his bare hands, and crawled through, carrying his suitcase with him. Ezekiel covered his face so that he could not see the land around him. Of course the people asked him what he was doing. Ezekiel answered that God's message to them was that this is what would happen to those still living in Jerusalem. Their king would be captured trying to escape the Babylonians, the city would fall, and the people taken captive. Remember, these exiles were thinking that they would not be staying in Babylon for any 70 years, as God had told them. They held on to the false hope that they would soon be going home to Jerusalem. God had Ezekiel act out this drama so that they would understand the certainty of God's judgment falling on them. The people had been putting their confidence in false prophets who told them their captivity would only last a little while and that there would be peace in Jerusalem. The people had even made up a little saying: "The days go by and every vision comes to nothing." (Ezekiel 12:22). The prophecies of Ezekiel, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Zephaniah, Hosea, and Habakkuk had not come true yet so the people thought they never would. They preferred to listen to the false prophets who told them they would be returning quickly and safely to Jerusalem. Ezekiel told them, "The days are near when every vision will be fulfilled." (Ezekiel 12:23b) God said these false prophets were like fresh white paint put on a rotting old wall. They looked good on the outside but if you looked closely they were crumbling, falling apart, and not to be trusted.

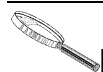
"Well then," the people thought, "Ezekiel's prophecies won't come true for a long time--at least not until we're already dead."

"No," God said, "None of my words will be delayed any longer; whatever I say will be fulfilled, declares the Sovereign Lord."

"Okay then," thought the people, "What if someone great like Moses went to God and pleaded for us? Wouldn't God forgive us and protect us?" But God's people would not escape that way either. These people had broken their promises to God and were now worshipping idols--even Israel's leaders were guilty of it. Now they were making promises to their idols, giving to them what only God deserved to have, their devotion and their obedience. Their sin was so great that God declared that even if Noah or Daniel or Job, all great men of God, were there with the rest of the Israelites, they would be saved from the coming judgment, but the sinful Israelites would not. Israel's disobedience was so great that nothing was going to save her. Yes, they were God's chosen people, but they had ignored God's warnings and continued in their sin, almost daring God to do something about it. God would do something about it. Listen to His words; "Therefore, O house of Israel, I will judge you, each one according to his own ways." God was holding each one responsible for his own sin. God said the Israelites had set up idols in their hearts. The problem as God saw it was not in the idols themselves. God knew that they were lifeless pieces of wood or metal. The real problem was in the hearts of men who refused to give God the glory and praise that is His alone. Instead, they fashioned false gods that would allow them to live their lives as they pleased. Even worse, the people refused to take responsibility for their own sin. They tried to blame it on their parents and grandparents. God would not accept this excuse. Each person makes his own choices. The coming judgment was well-deserved by God's people. God had once again been slow to anger, but now it was time to deal with this continuing sin. God said to them, "The soul who sins is the one who will die." (Ezekiel 18:4b) Don't doubt it.

Remember all the questions the Israelites asked God after Ezekiel had told them judgment was soon to come? "You're not really going to judge us, are you, God? You're not going to judge us for a long time, are you? Can't we get someone great like Daniel or Noah or Job to save us from your anger?" These wayward people were not into simply admitting they were wrong and had been involved in evil--they argued with God, revealing their disbelief in God's words and their unwillingness to turn away from their sin. Have you ever found yourself doing something like this? When you hear something from God's Word that makes you squirm inside because you know you're not living up to it, how do you react? Do you argue with God or try to put fresh white paint on the rotten wall like the false prophets did, trying to pretend everything is OK?

Can you put your finger on what was the real problem with the people of Israel? The book of Romans, chapter 1, says it pretty well "...although they knew God, they neither glorified Him as God nor gave thanks to Him.....although they claimed to be wise, they became fools and exchanged the glory of the immortal God for images made to look like mortal man and birds and animals and reptiles." Anything that we place in our hearts above God is an idol. If God does not have first place in our hearts, the natural result is that we will make excuses for our sin. All our attitudes will be formed by whatever we have given first place to. If your idol is yourself, it will be seen in your life in the form of selfishness, greed, and lies. The throne in our hearts is God-shaped--only He has the right to sit there. Anything else we allow to sit there will result in sin and in wounding our relationship with Him. Don't become fools like the Israelites did--make sure God always has first place in your heart.



### Look:



**FALSE PROPHETS' WHITE-WASHED WALL.** Worksheet. Look up the scriptures and fill in the missing blanks. Discuss how the wicked deeds of the false prophets showed through their whitewashed words. **3EZE30.GF2 and 3EZE30.GF2ANSWERS**



**THE GREAT DEBATE.** Drama/Debate. Teachers this presentation would really be more effective if done in costume. It is not entirely a full script but should be used as notes. A review of past lessons could be incorporated. **3EZE30.GF7**



**IDOLS IN THE HEART.** Worksheet. Color the sinful hearts black. Color the hearts that please God red. Pray now in your group that your hearts will please God. **3EZE30.GF3**



**WILL IT FIT?** Game. Divide the class into groups of 3 or 4 students. Give each group a large piece of butcher paper and a pair of scissors. Show them a lightly packed backpack, gym bag, or a small suitcase. Instruct each group to cut a hole (as round as possible) in its piece of paper that's just big enough for the bag or suitcase to fit through. When groups are finished, let them try to fit the

bag through the hole in each paper. The group with the smallest hole that doesn't tear is the winner. (Small prizes could be inside the bag or suitcase.)

**WILL IT FIT?** Worksheet. Follow the instructions on the worksheet and discuss what truth Ezekiel was demonstrating when he went through the wall with his suitcase. **3EZE30.GF4**

**WHITE-WASHED WALL.** Object Lesson. Prepare your whitewashed wall well ahead of the day it's needed. Soak a piece of wafer-board or particle board in water for several hours. Then allow it to dry for a couple of days. When dry, paint or spray the board white. Present the board to your class. Read Ezekiel 13:10-16. Allow students to break off small pieces. They may want to keep them as a reminder not to be like the false prophets who were nothing but a cover-up!

**A-MAZE-ING.** Worksheet. The idols in their hearts caused the people to stumble. Solve the maze without going over any stumbling blocks!! (Ezekiel 14:3-8) **3EZE30.GF5**

**HOLE IN THE WALL.** Relay. You will need 2 bags and 2 tires for this relay. At the front of the room have two tires set up so that students can crawl through them. Divide the class into two groups and give each starting person a bag. The goal is to get all the team members with the bag through the tire and back to the group. How to play: The first person takes the bag, tosses it through the tire, crawls through the hole in the wall, picks up the bag, and runs it back to their group. The second person grabs the bag and does the same until all the team members have taken the bag and escaped through the hole in the wall. The first team to have all their members complete the task and seated, wins the game.



### Took:

**JUMPIN' 4 P'S.** Jump rope ditty. Don't forget when you hear the rope hit the ground, it's time to jump in. Have fun with this cardiovascular. You too, Steve M!!!

The Prophet is Ezekiel  
The People are --- Exiles in Babylon  
The Prophecy --- God's Glory Won't Mix  
With Your Sin.  
The Principle---Accept God's Word  
Don't Resist Him!  
These are the 4 P's  
Got 'em from Ezekiel  
Now it's time to jump out

**IDOLS.** Discussion. What is distracting you from giving God your full attention? What are the idols in your life? (TV, sports star, movie star, your muscles, trophies, Super Nintendo, CD ROM, girlfriend/boyfriend, etc.)

**TRUE FRIENDS.** Drama. Ezekiel 13:22 & 23, tell about how the false prophets were discouraging the righteous and encouraging the wicked in their sin. We need to watch out for people like this. Ask for 6 volunteers from the class who would like to do some acting. Have the first 2 students dramatize a situation where *FRIEND #1* wants to do something good or right (maybe tell the truth or share something with a friend) and *FRIEND #2* discourages him. Now replace *FRIEND #2* (with *FRIEND #3*) and have him encourage *FRIEND #1* in the same situation. Next, ask two more students to dramatize a situation where *FRIEND #4* wants to do something sinful (maybe steal or cheat) and *FRIEND #5* encourages him. Replace *FRIEND #5* (with *FRIEND #6*) and have him discourage the same sinful behavior. We will get all kinds of advice from our friends. Which advice should we listen to? What kind of advice should we give to others?

- WHAT'S IN YOUR HEART.** Worksheet. Who (or what) is God in your life? Cut off the lower portion of the worksheet. Choose a "god" to glue into place on the heart. **3EZE30.GF6**
- WHO'S GOD IN YOUR HEART.** Object Lesson. Prepare a heart-shaped candy box by putting in small objects or pictures that represent things that might take God's place in a young person's life. Show the box to your students and discuss its contents. Do they (and you) struggle to keep some of these things from taking God's place?
- WORSHIP BOOKLET.** Devotional. **Option 1:** Continue to re-inforce the importance of the 4 P's of a daily devotional life. Introduce this week's "practice" sections with the half sheet symbols in view. **3EZE30.GF8** Half sheet symbols - Practice. **3EZE30GF8.1-6** **Option 2:** Give the Glory to God. **Prayer, Passage and Praise** Check with your students and see how they are doing with their own devotional books. Has it changed their lives, remember the Scripture is given for life change. Ask them how their lives have changed? **3EZE30.GF9**



**EZEKIEL LEAVES THROUGH A  
HOLE IN THE WALL**

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## THE FALSE PROPHETS' WHITEWASHED WALL

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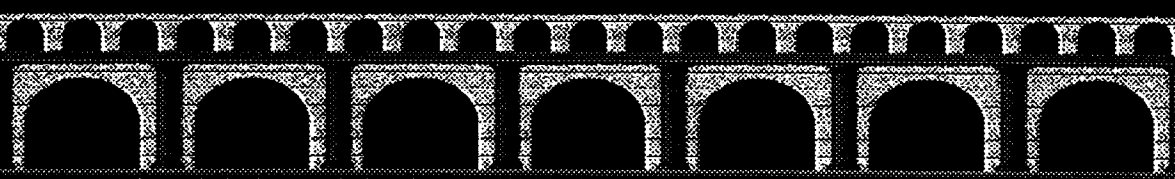
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*“Because they lead my people astray, saying, “Peace, when there is no peace, and because, when a flimsy wall is built, they cover it with whitewash, therefore tell those who cover it with whitewash that it is going to fall.” Ezekiel 13:10-11*



## THE FALSE PROPHETS' WHITEWASHED WALL



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**PROFANED  
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Ezekiel 13:19



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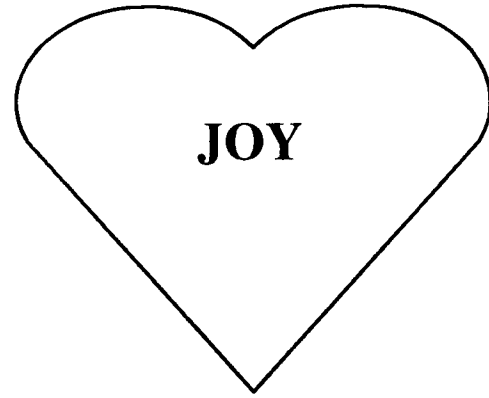
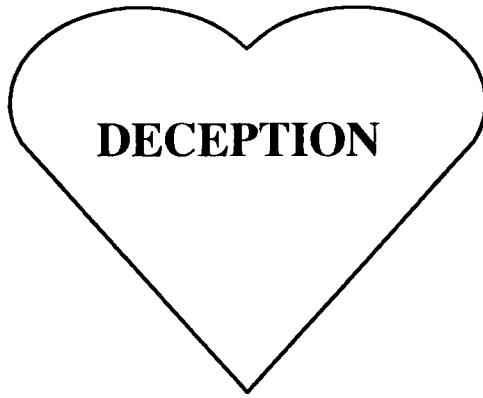
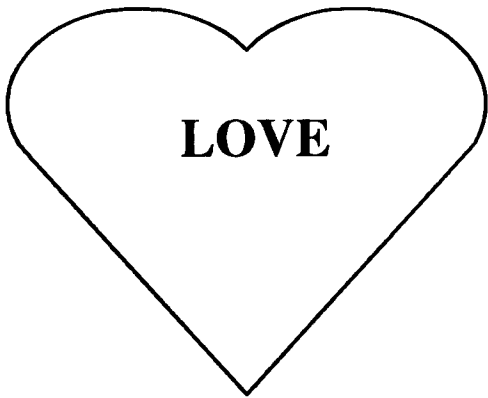


**MAGIC  
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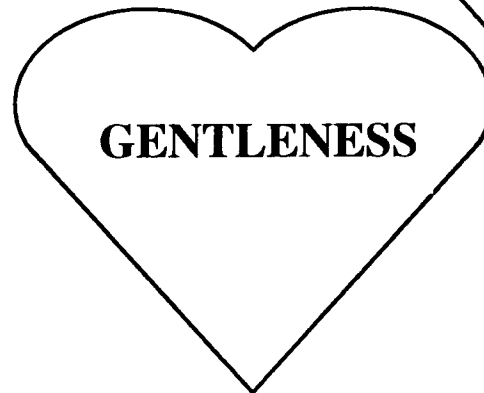
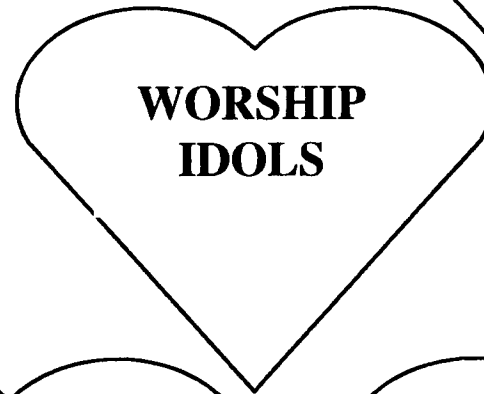


**FALSE  
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Ezekiel 13:9

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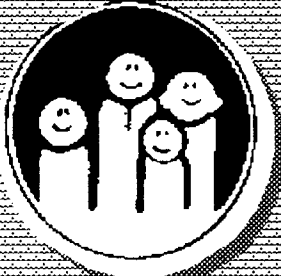


**IDOLS IN THEIR HEARTS**

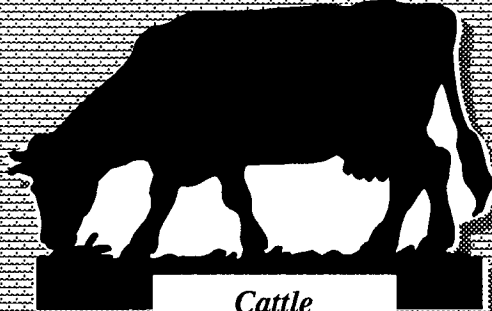


# WILL IT FIT?

Cross out the items that will not fit through  
“the hole in the wall”



*Family*



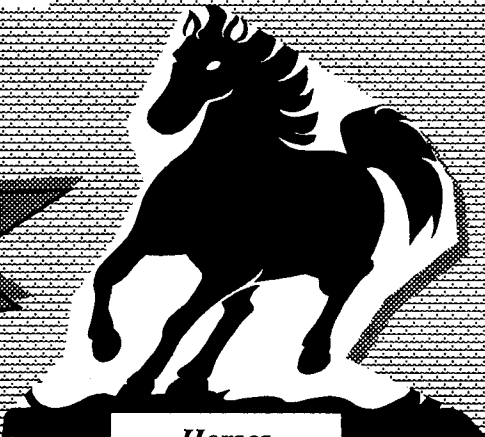
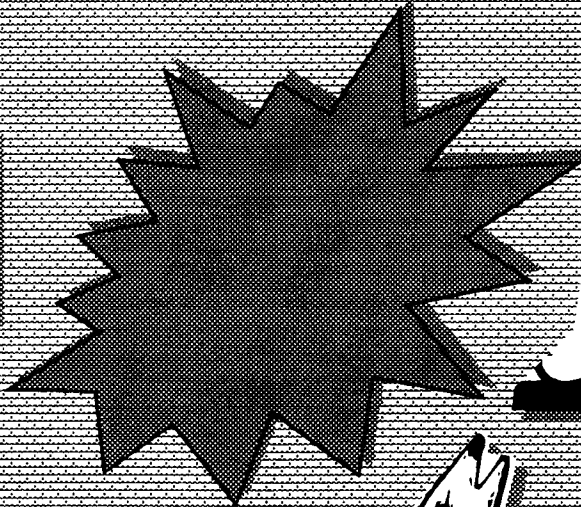
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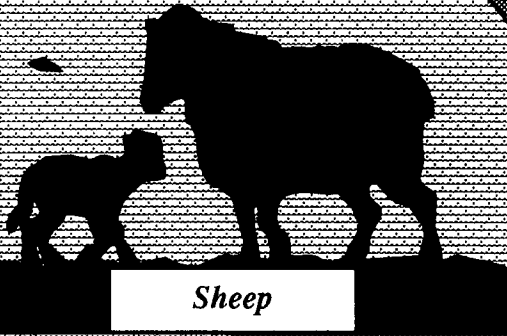
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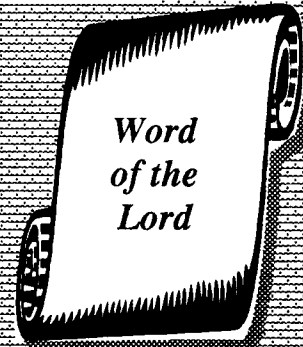
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*Pets*



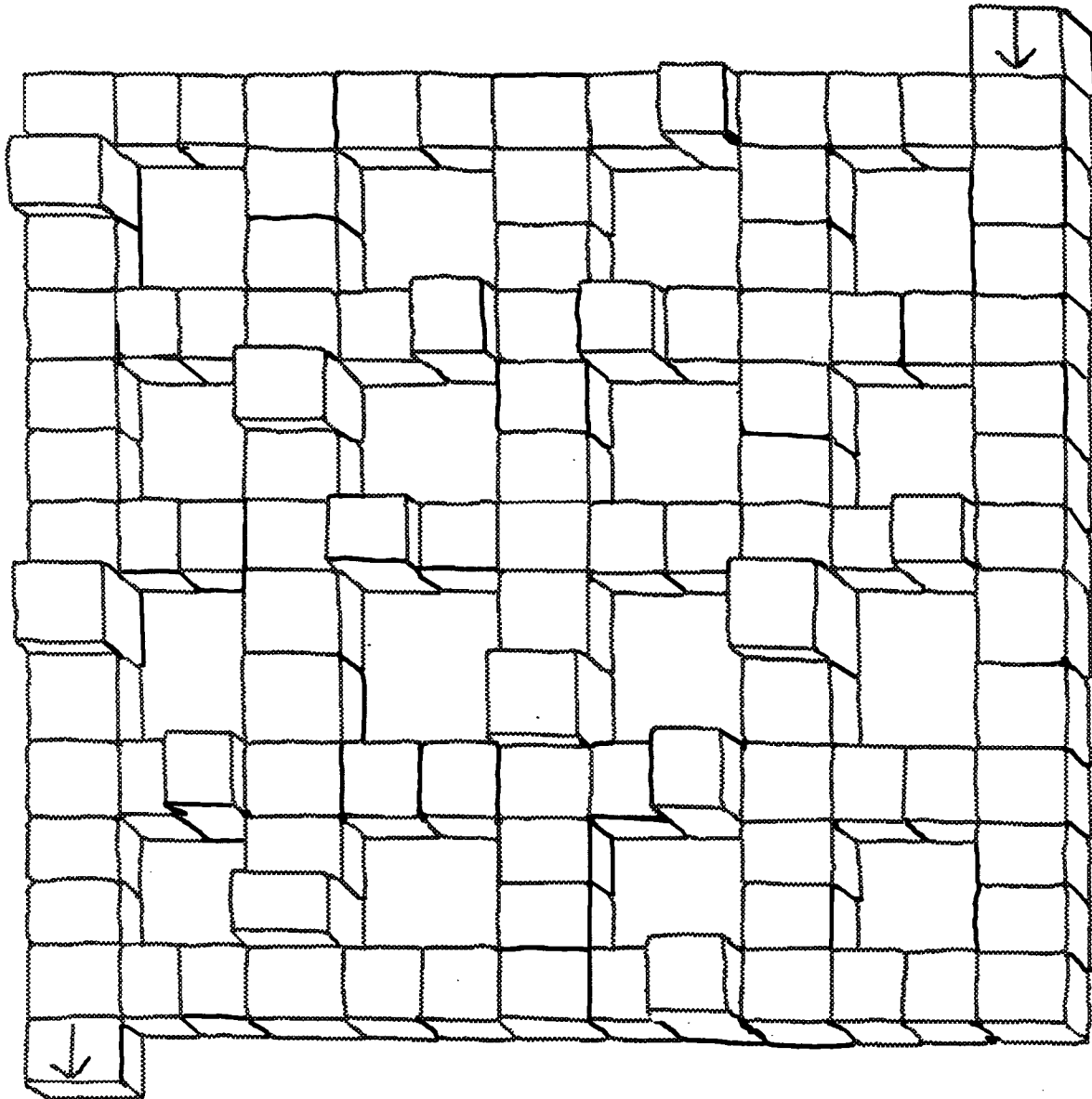
Ezekiel 12:5 “While they watch, dig through the wall and take your belongings out through it.”

Why did God tell Ezekiel to do this?

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# Stumbling Block Maze

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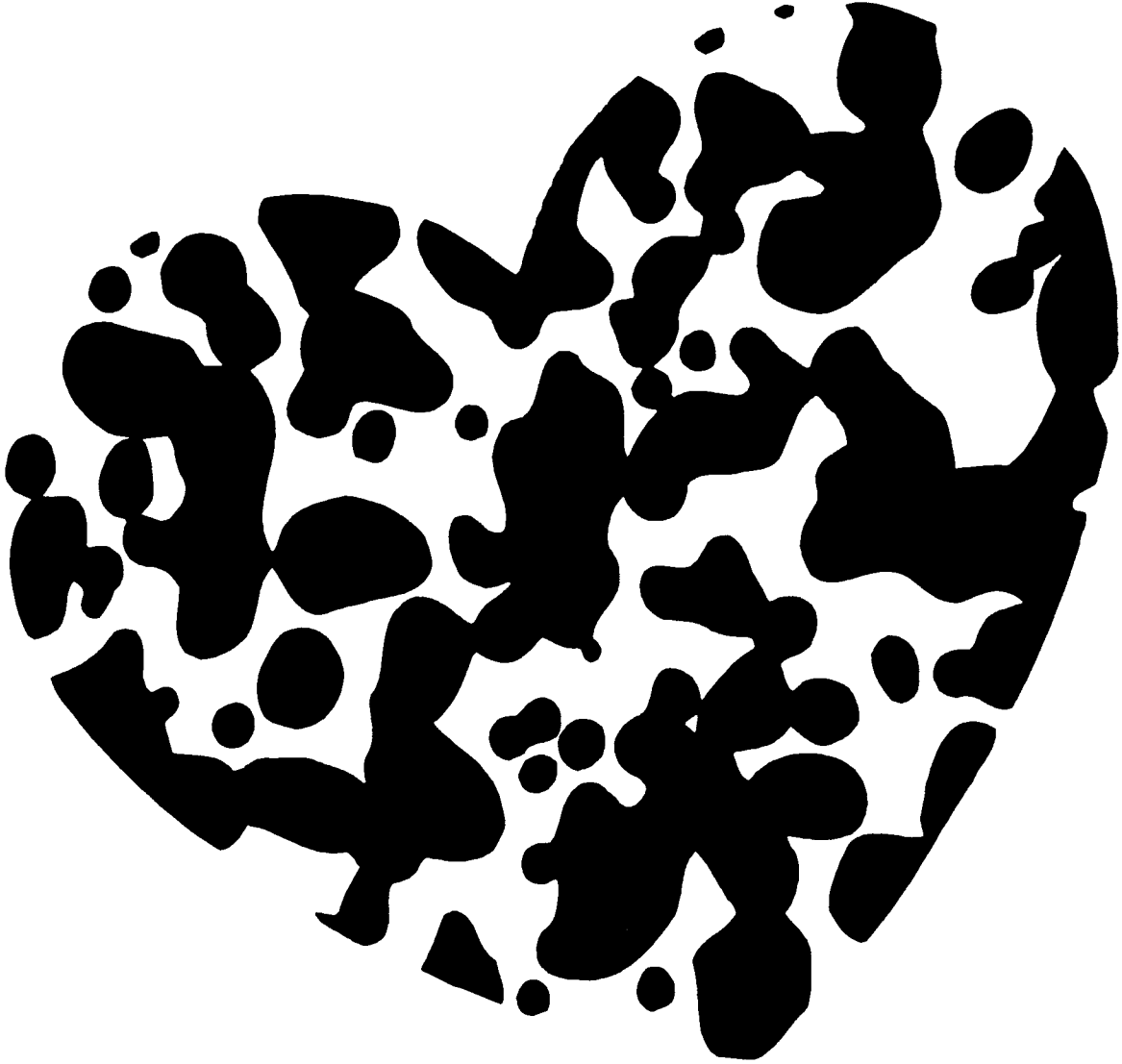
FINISH

Ezekiel 14:3 ... these men have set up idols in their hearts and put wicked stumbling blocks before their faces.

What is a "Stumbling block" ?

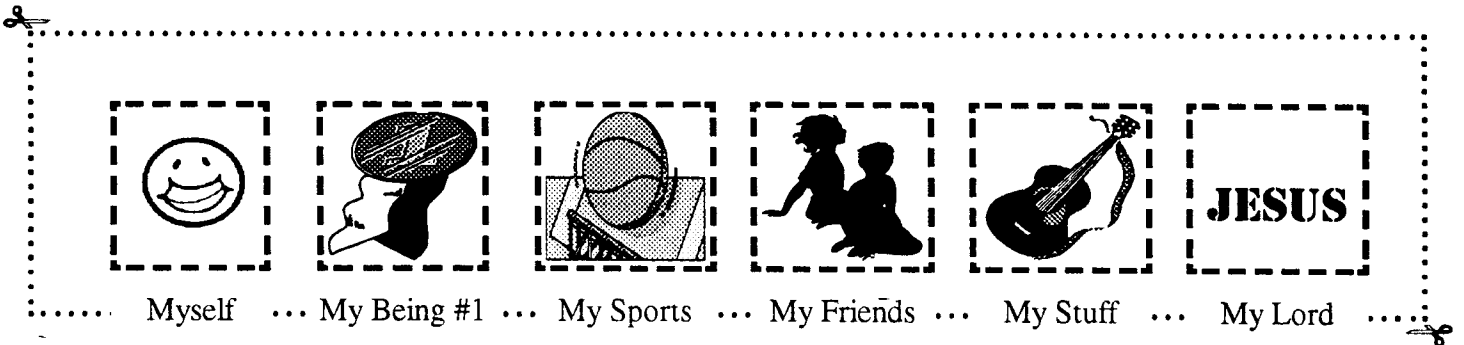
# WHAT'S IN YOUR HEART?

God said that the elders of Israel had set up idols in their hearts. Who or what is God in your heart?



Cut out one of these "gods" and glue it on your heart

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## The Great Debate

Set the stage for a debate modeled after a modern political debate. (Two podiums would be ideal.) Be sure students know that a debate like this didn't actually take place, but that these ideas and arguments did come from today's passage in Ezekiel. The following is not a full script, but should be used as notes.

### **CHARACTERS:**

*Ezekiel:* a prophet who speaks for God.

*Elder (or elders) of Judean captives in Babylon:* False prophet(s) The teacher who plays this part could use his real name such as 'Elder Steve.'

Moderator

Moderator begins by introducing the debaters. He then explains the rules of the debate as follows: Each question will be addressed to one of the opponents. This opponent will have first opportunity to give his answer. The other debater will then give his answer to the question. Lastly, the first participant will be allowed time for a short rebuttal. Opponents will take turns being first to answer. Finally, each debater will make a closing statement. The moderator will state the questions and call on each participant at the proper time.

- **QUESTION #1: WILL GOD REALLY JUDGE THE PEOPLE OF JUDAH AND DESTROY JERUSALEM?**

*Ezekiel:* This is what the sovereign LORD says: "...The days are near when every vision will be fulfilled. (12:23) But I, the LORD will speak what I will and it shall be fulfilled without delay. For in your days, you rebellious house, I will fulfill whatever I say. (12:25)

*Elder:* We have a saying among our people that goes like this: "The days go by and every vision comes to nothing." (12:21). God's prophets have been predicting doom for years now; but still, Jerusalem stands. We don't believe judgment will ever come, but if it does, why should it come now? Things will just keep going as they have before. The vision he sees is for many years from now, and he prophesies about the distant future. (12:27)

*Ezekiel:* This is what the Sovereign LORD says: "None of my words will be delayed any longer; whatever I say will be fulfilled, declares the Sovereign LORD."

- **QUESTION #2: WHO SHOULD WE BELIEVE? EZEKIEL OR ALL THE OTHER PROPHETS?**

**Elder:** Ezekiel is always so negative. He sounds like Jeremiah most of the time. All he talks about is destruction and suffering. We don't want to hear that! All the other prophets are so much more positive. They tell us to trust God - that He will deliver us from our enemies and make us prosperous again. We'd much rather believe what they're saying. Besides, there are so many of them. Why should we take Ezekiel seriously when he's all by himself?

**Ezekiel:** Those other prophets prophesy out of their own imaginations saying: "Hear the word of the LORD!" (13:2). Their visions are false and their divinations a lie. They say, "The LORD declares," when the LORD has not sent them; *yet they expect their words to be fulfilled.* (13:6) Have they not lied when they say, "The LORD declares," though He has not spoken? (13:7) They lead the people astray, saying, "Peace," when there is no peace. Their predictions are like a flimsy wall that's painted to look good on the outside, but it won't stand up when the LORD sends torrents of rain, hailstones, and violent winds! God will tear down their flimsy wall of imaginary prophesies. When it falls, you will see that He is the LORD.(13:10-16)

**Elder:** Ezekiel, you just discourage us at a time when we need to think positively! We will listen to the other prophets and be encouraged. (13:22)

- **QUESTION #3:** GOD LOVES HIS CHOSEN PEOPLE. HE WOULDN'T LET HARM COME TO THEM WOULD HE?

**Ezekiel:** You think you are different than other nations; that even though God judges their sin, He won't judge yours. God says that if all the nations were like trees in a forest, the people living in Jerusalem would be like a useless vine - good for nothing except to be burned. Because of their sin, He has set His face against them. He will consume them and you will know that He is the LORD. (Chapter 15) The word of the LORD came to me: "Son of man, these men have set up idols in their hearts and put wicked stumbling blocks before their faces. Should I let them inquire of me at all?" You want to hear God's prophets for entertainment, but you won't believe! (14:3-4) God really will destroy you unless you repent and turn from your idols and detestable ways. (14:6)

**Elder:** God has preserved all His people before because of one man who had His favor. We think that someone like Noah or Job or even young Daniel will come along and plead with God for us. The LORD will be pleased by this righteous man and save us all - like He has so many times before.

**Ezekiel:** Don't put your hope in that idea. God says, " If a country sins and I cut off it's food supply, or send wild beasts, or bring a sword against it, or send a plague into that land, as surely as I live, even if Noah, Daniel and Job were in it, they would save only themselves by their righteousness." (14:12-21)

- **QUESTION #4: IS GOD BEING UNFAIR OR UNJUST?**

**Elder:** We have a saying among the people that goes like this: “The fathers eat sour grapes, and the children’s teeth are set on edge.” What we mean is that God sometimes punishes children for what their parents do wrong - or even their grandparents. Even if we repent and do what God wants, He may punish us for our parents’ sin. Or maybe our children will be punished for our sin; you never know! It really won’t matter what we do, good or bad, because God won’t judge us on our own account anyway. (18:2)

**Ezekiel:** “As surely as I live, declares the Sovereign LORD, you will no longer quote this proverb in Israel. The soul who sins is the one who will die.” (18:3,4) Suppose a righteous man has a violent and wicked son. The righteous man will surely live; but will the son live? No! He will be responsible for the detestable things he has done. Then suppose this wicked man has a son who sees his father’s sin, but doesn’t do such things. He lives righteously like his grandfather. Will God punish him for his father’s sin? No! He will surely live. Each man will get credit for what he has done, righteous or wicked. (18:5-20) What’s more, there is hope even for the wicked if he turns away from his sin. (18:21)

**Elder:** We still see no connection between our sin and current events.

- **CLOSING STATEMENTS:**

**Elder:** We will close with one last proverb from the people. Everybody is saying, “The way of the LORD is not just.” (18:25-29) God will do as He pleases no matter what we do, but we still don’t think we have to worry too much. God will go easy on us like He has before.

**Ezekiel:** You say the LORD’s ways are not just but is it not your ways that are unjust? (18:25-29) Some day you will know that the LORD has done nothing without a reason. (14:23) God must judge your sin, but that’s not what he really wants. “For I take no pleasure in the death of anyone, declares the Sovereign LORD. Repent and Live!” (18:32) “If a wicked man turns away from all the sins he has committed and keeps all my decrees and does what is just and right, he will surely live; he will not die. None of the offenses he has committed will be remembered against him.”(18:21-22) “Repent! Turn away from all your offenses; then sin will not be your downfall.” (18:30)





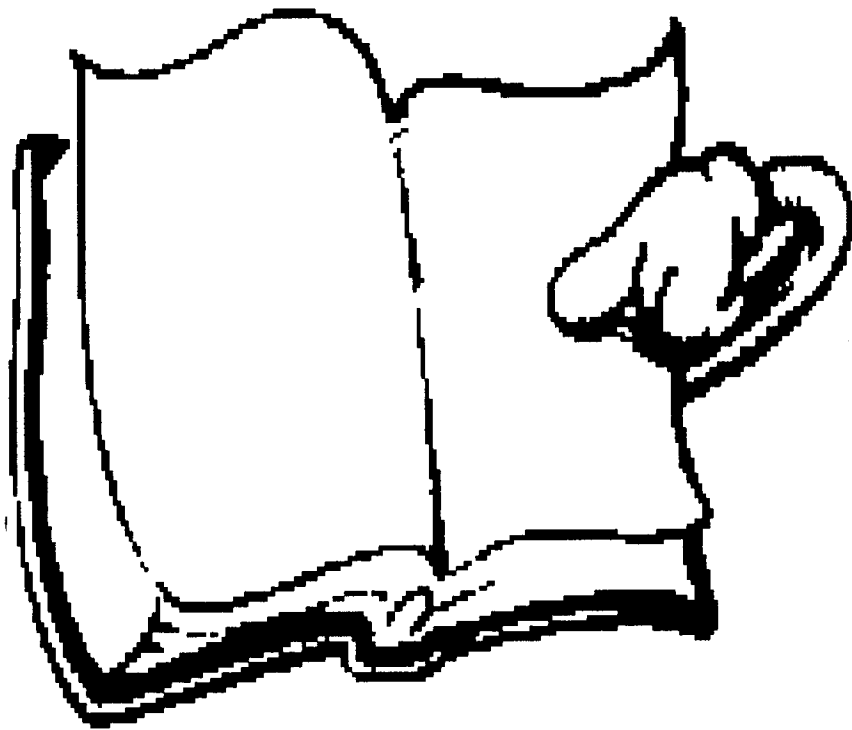
**PRAISE**

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**PRAYER**

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**PASSAGE**

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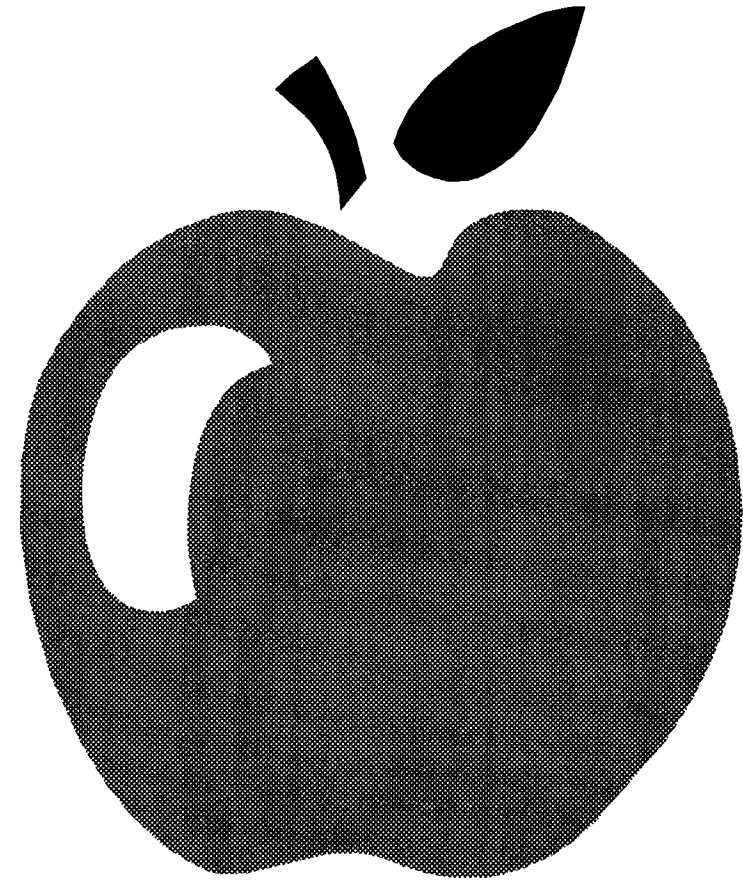
**Being on time!**

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***Serving Others***

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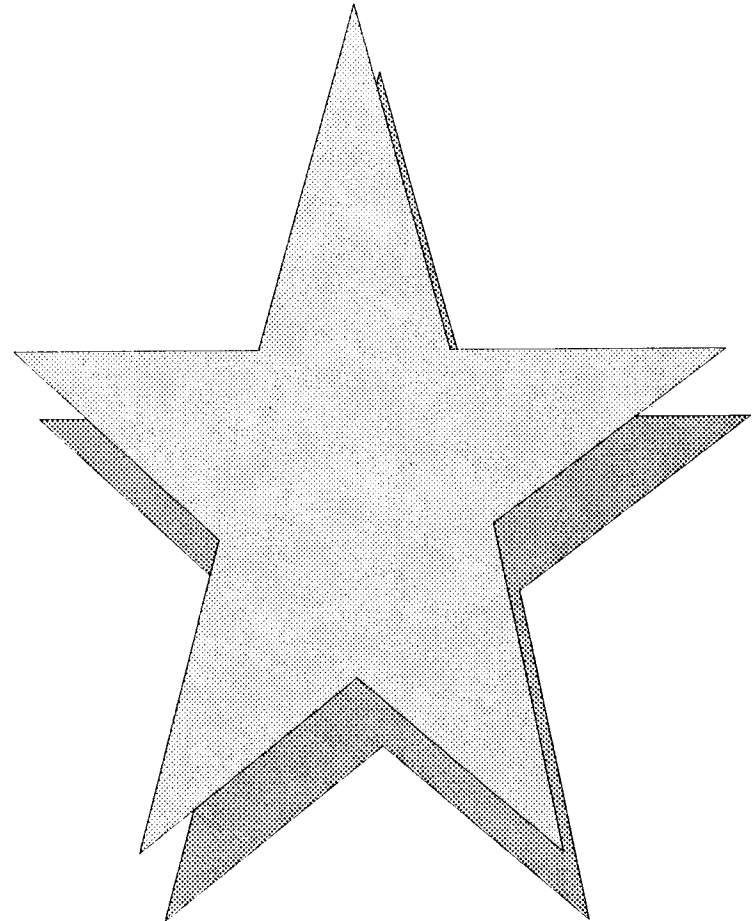
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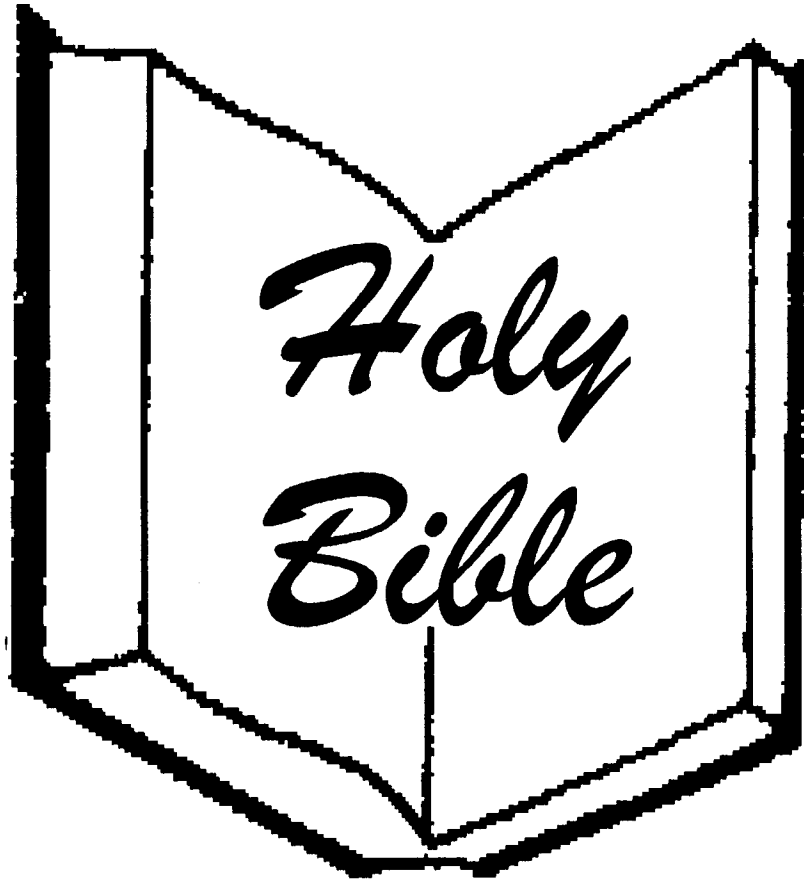
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***Excellence - Doing My Best***

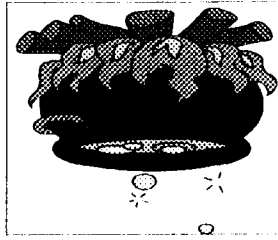
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*Daily Devotions*

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Ezekiel Chapters 20-24



GIVE THE GLORY  
TO GOD

**MONDAY-**

**Prayer** - Pray for your family; their specific needs; for them to see Christ actively working in your life.

**Passage** - Read Ezekiel 20. What is a metaphor? Find the metaphors used in Chapter 20.

**Praise** - Sing: Unto Thee Oh Lord / We Are A Family Of Families

**TUESDAY-**

**Prayer** - Pray for victory over areas in your life that you tend to let slide. Repeating sin knowing all you have to do is ask God's forgiveness is wrong thinking. (Lying, cheating, anger?)

**Passage** - Read Ezekiel Chapter 21. Who does God use as His Sword of Judgment?

**Praise** - Sing: Mighty Warrior / Victory In Jesus

**FRIDAY-**

**Prayer** - Pray for our missionaries in Venezuela and France.

**Passage** - Read Ezekiel Chapter 24. How many times is the phrase used? Who dies in this chapter and what does Ezekiel do?

**Praise** - Sing: Unto Thee Oh Lord / This Is The Day

**SATURDAY-**

**Prayer** - Pray for God's Glory to shine through you!

**Passage** - Go back through these 5 chapters. What stood out for you? Write down where the passage that spoke to your heart is found (chapter and verse).

**Praise** - Sing: Shine Jesus Shine / Yes, Lord, Yes

**WEDNESDAY-**

**Prayer** - Pray for your teachers to see a difference in your life; that you would be a positive ad for Christ. Preach the Word at all times, use words if necessary!

**Passage** - Read Ezekiel 22. How did God show His displeasure over Jerusalem's disobedience? Could God find anyone to stand in the gap? What does it mean to stand in the gap?

**Praise** - Praise the Lord with your actions.

**THURSDAY-**

**Prayer** - Pray for relatives today that they will have their eyes and hearts opened to Christ.

**Passage** - Read Ezekiel 23. What do you think the theme of this chapter is?

**Praise** - Sing: Praise The Name Of Jesus