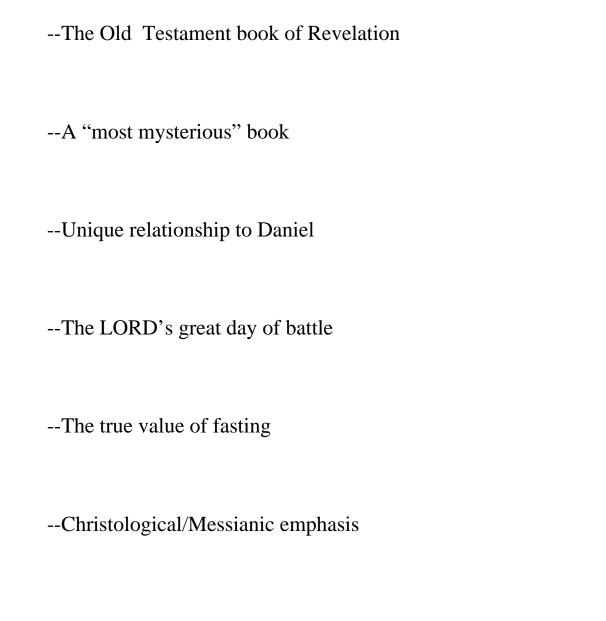
SOME MAJOR CONTRIBUTIONS OF ZECHARIAH



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TWO-FOLD PURPOSE of the book of ZECHARIAH

 To urge the immediate completion of the building of the LORD's Temple in Jerusalem

2. To further instruct the Jewish nation as to its future in Messianic times

ZECHARIAH'S VISIONS—chapters 1 to 6

- 1. Man & horses among myrtle trees 1:8 -- The LORD will again be merciful to Jerusalem 1:14, 16, 17 2. Four horses, four craftsmen 1:18-20 -- Those who scattered Judah are cast out 1:21 3. Man with measuring line 2:1 -- The LORD will be a protective wall of fire around Jerusalem 2:3-5 4. Cleansing of Joshua 3:4 -- The Servant, the BRANCH, comes to save 3:8-9 5. Golden lampstand and olive trees 4:2-3 -- The LORD empowers Israel by His Spirit 4:6 6. Flying Scroll 5:1 --Dishonesty is cursed 5:3 7. Woman in the basket 5:6-7 --Wickedness will be removed 5:8-9 8. Four chariots 6:1
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