

ZECHARIAH—8 VISIONS and the INTERPRETING ANGEL

VISION ONE 1:8 I saw by night . . .

1:9, 13, 14 *The angel who talked with me*

VISION TWO 1:18 Then I raised my eyes and looked . . .

1:19 *And I said unto the angel who talked with me . . .*

VISION THREE 2:1 Then I raised my eyes and looked . . .

2:3

VISION FOUR 3:1 He showed me . . .

(3:1—he)

VISION FIVE 4:2 What do you see? So I said, I am looking . . .

4:1, 4, 5

VISION SIX 5:1 Then I turned and raised my eyes and saw . . .

5:5

VISION SEVEN 5:5, 9 Then the angel . . . said to me, Lift your eyes now,
and see . . .

5:10

VISION EIGHT 6:1 Then I turned and raised my eyes and looked . . .

6:4-5

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The Branch/BRANCH Motif in Old Testament Prophecy

---Isaiah: a Messianic title for the Lord Jesus, Who does
and will yield spiritual fruit

4:2- -

11:1-5- -

---Jeremiah: Davidic descendant Who would rule over the
nation Israel on the Davidic throne

23:5-8- -

---Zechariah: joins the royal and priestly offices

3:8- -

6:12- -

The Word of God and the Book of Zechariah

1. "The word of the LORD came to Zechariah" (1:1)

Three times a specific date is given:

"In the eighth month of the second year of Darius" 1:1

"On the twenty-fourth day of the eleventh month . . . in the second year of Darius" 1:7

"Now in the fourth year of King Darius it came to pass that the word of the LORD came to Zechariah, on the fourth day of the ninth month" 7:1

See also 4:8 6:9 7:1, 4, 8 8:1, 18

2. "Thus says the LORD of hosts" (1:3)

1:3 (3x) 1:4 (2x) 1:14 1:16 (2x) 1:17

2:5 2:6 (2x) 2:8 2:10

3:7 3:9 3:10

4:6 5:4 6:12 7:9 7:13

8:1 8:3 8:4 8:6 (2x) 8:7 8:9

8:11 8:14 (2x) 8:17 8:19 8:20 8:23

"The LORD of hosts" is used many more times in post-exilic prophets.

ZECHARIAH: the man, 1:1

ZECHARIAH: (he whom) the LORD remembers

(Zechariah's dad) BERECHIAH: (he whom) the LORD blesses

(Zechariah's grandpa) IDDO: at the appointed time

"The LORD will not forget His covenant promises to bless Israel
at the appointed time."

Zechariah

Berechiah

Isaiah, Hezekiah, Elijah, etc.

Cf. hallelujah hallel (praise) u (let us) jah (Yahweh)

---Many "Zechariah"s in the Old Testament: 28 or 29

---Matthew 23:35 may be a reference to the prophet/author Zechariah

---The only Minor Prophet who was also a priest

(Major Prophets who were also priests: Jeremiah and Ezekiel)