

What Comes First When Rebuilding: Ezra 3:1-7 Explained Sermon Challenge

Name: _____ Date: _____

BEFORE THE SERMON: When everything falls apart, what should come first? (2 points)

Money Protection God Comfort

REBUILDING CHALLENGE:

Circle the SIX items that were important in today's sermon. (2 points each)

Jerusalem Altar Zerubbabel Jeshua Burnt Offerings Temple Goliath Jericho

♦ Bonus: Which TWO do NOT belong? _____

KEY VERSE: Ezra 3:3 And they set the altar upon his bases; for fear *was* upon them because of the people of those countries: and they offered burnt offerings thereon unto the LORD, *even* burnt offerings morning and evening.

What stands out to you in this verse? _____ (2 points)

SERMON OUTLINE TRACKER:

Point 1: The City Was In _____ (2 points)

Point 2: The First Thing They _____ (2 points)

Point 3: They Worshiped While They Were _____ (2 points)

Point 4: They Returned To The _____ Of God (2 points)

Point 5: The Foundation Of _____ (2 points)

QUICK LISTENING CHALLENGE: How did the people gather together in Jerusalem? (3 points)

As One Man By Families By Tribes By Cities

FIND IT IN YOUR BIBLE: Ezra 3:1 Ezra 3:2-3 Ezra 3:4-6 (3 points each if found)

BIG IDEAS: What did Israel rebuild before the Temple? _____ (2 points)

What comes first reveals what? _____ (2 points)

PRIORITIES CHALLENGE: Which THREE things did the sermon say Israel could have rebuilt first? (2 points each)

Walls Houses Security Altar Palace Throne

QUICK LISTENING CHALLENGE: What was the first thing they built? (2 points)

Temple Walls Altar Houses

TRUE OR FALSE (3 points each)

Jerusalem was in ruins. TRUE FALSE

The people gathered together as one man. TRUE FALSE

- Israel rebuilt the Temple first. TRUE FALSE
- Fear was upon the people. TRUE FALSE
- They stopped worshipping because they were afraid. TRUE FALSE
- They returned to the Word of God. TRUE FALSE
- What comes first reveals what matters most. TRUE FALSE

WHO WAS IT? Who helped build the altar? _____ (3 points)
Who was the son of Jozadak? _____ (3 points)
Who was the son of Shealtiel? _____ (3 points)

QUICK LISTENING CHALLENGE: What phrase was emphasized throughout the sermon? (2 points)
 God Helps Those Who Help Themselves What Comes First Reveals What Matters Most Follow Your Heart Trust Your Feelings

PERSONAL APPLICATION: What should come first in your life right now? (2 points each)

What lesson from today's sermon do you need to apply? _____

ONE THING I LEARNED: _____ (2 points)

ONE SENTENCE SUMMARY (2 points): _____

DISCUSSION: What should have been rebuilt first? The Altar The Walls
Why? _____ (2 points)

TRICK QUESTION CHALLENGE: What was NOT yet laid in verse 6? (1 point)
 The Altar The Walls The Temple Foundation The City Gates

FINAL CHALLENGE: What comes first reveals what _____ most. (2 points)

One question I have for the preacher that wasn't answered (2 points): _____

Other comments or notes: _____

★ Score: _____ / 100 Points ► Initial (I completed this honestly on my own): _____

95-100 = Rebuilding Champion 90-94 = Faithful Builder 80-89 = Altar Restorer

70-79 = Good Listener 60-69 = Bible Student Below 60 = Keep Growing