Zechariah 2:1-13 **Jerusalem in the Kingdom Age**

Vision of the Measuring Line

- 1 Then I raised my eyes and looked, and behold, a man with a measuring line in his hand.
- 2 So I said, "Where are you going?"

And he said to me, "To measure Jerusalem, to see what is its width and what is its length."

- 3 And there was the angel who talked with me, going out; and another angel was coming out to meet him,
- 4 who said to him, "Run, speak to this young man, saying: 'Jerusalem shall be inhabited as towns without walls, because of the multitude of men and livestock in it.
- 5 For I,' says Yahweh (the Lord), 'will be a wall of fire all around her, and I will be the glory in her midst."

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- 6 "Up, up! Flee from the land of the north," says Yahweh (the Lord); "for I have spread you abroad like the four winds of heaven," says Yahweh (the Lord).
- 7 "Up, Zion! Escape, you who dwell with the daughter of Babylon."
- 8 For thus says Yahweh Tsebaovt (the Lord of hosts): "He sent Me after glory, to the nations which plunder you; for he who touches you touches the apple of His eye.
- 9 For surely I will shake My hand against them, and they shall become spoil for their servants. Then you will know that Yahweh Tsebaovt (the Lord of hosts) has sent Me.
- ¹⁰ "Sing and rejoice, O daughter of Zion! For behold, I am coming and I will dwell in your midst," says Yahweh (the Lord).
- "Many nations shall be joined to Yahweh (the Lord) in that day, and they shall become My people. And I will dwell in your midst. Then you will know that Yahweh Tsebaovt (the Lord of hosts) has sent Me to you.
- 12 And Yahweh (the Lord) will take possession of Judah as His inheritance in the Holy Land, and will again choose Jerusalem.
- 13 Be silent, all flesh, before Yahweh (the Lord), for He is aroused from His holy habitation!" NKJV

Facts Revealed:

Vision of the Measuring Line [Zechariah 2:1-5]

- → Jerusalem is measured because Yahweh will be the glory within her and a wall of fire all around her representing His protection of His people.
- ♦ 'Jerusalem shall be inhabited as towns without walls, because of the multitude of men and livestock in it.

Future Joy of Zion and Many Nations [Zechariah 2:6-13]

- ❖ Yahweh is calling His people to flee from the land of the north and from Babylon.
- ❖ Yahweh will gain glory when He punishes the nations that plundered His people.
- ♦ Those who touch the people of Yahweh touch the apple of His eye.
- ♦ When Yahweh destroys those who plundered His people, their substance will be spoil for His people.

- ♦ Then you will know that Yahweh Tsebaovt has sent His messenger to you.
- ♦ A time for rejoicing when Yahweh is dwelling in the midst of His people during the Kingdom Age.
- ♦ Many nations will be joined to Yahweh and become His people with Yahweh dwelling in Jerusalem and known by all.
- ♦ Yahweh will in fact take possession of Judah and choose Jerusalem.
- ♦ The call for silence before Yahweh is appropriate as He is known as King of kings and Lord of Lords over all the earth, having come to earth out of His Holy habitation.