

Ezekiel 14:12-20
Four Judgments on Israel

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I. The Famine

Ezekiel 14:12 The word of the LORD came again to me, saying,
13 Son of man, when the land sinneth against me by trespassing grievously, then will I stretch out mine hand upon it, and will break the staff of the bread thereof, and will send famine upon it, and will cut off man and beast from it:

Q1. God told Ezekiel that ____ the land sins against him by _____ grievously, he would send a _____.

Note: Land refers to all twelve tribes of Israel as a nation.

To trespass is to go to a place you are told not to or to be disobedient.

When the whole nation of Israel, not just individuals, teaches what is wrong but does them willingly, they have trespassed grievously.

Revelation 6:5 “And when he had opened the third seal, I heard the third beast say, Come and see. And I beheld, and lo a black horse; and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand.

6 And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and *see* thou hurt not the oil and the wine.”

Ezekiel 14:14 Though these three men, Noah, Daniel, and Job, were in it, they should deliver *but* their own souls by their righteousness, saith the Lord GOD.

Q2. Even if _____, _____ and _____ were in the land at the time of judgment, they could only _____ themselves, not the nation of Israel.

2. The noisome Beast

Ezekiel 14:15 If I cause noisome beasts to pass through the land, and they spoil it, so that it be desolate, that no man may pass through because of the beasts:

Q3. The land would be desolate ___ God sent noisome beasts.

Ezekiel 14:16 *Though* these three men *were* in it, *as* I live, saith the Lord GOD, they shall deliver neither sons nor daughters; they only shall be delivered, but the land shall be desolate.

Revelation 6:7 “And when he had opened the fourth seal, I heard the voice of the fourth beast say, Come and see.

8 And I looked, and behold a pale horse: and his name that sat on him was Death, and Hell followed with him. And power was given unto them over the fourth part of the earth, to kill with sword, and with hunger, and with death, and with the beasts of the earth.”

3. The Sword

Ezekiel 14:17 Or *if* I bring a sword upon that land, and say, Sword, go through the land; so that I cut off man and beast from it:

18 *Though* these three men *were* in it, *as* I live, saith the Lord GOD, they shall deliver neither sons nor daughters, but they only shall be delivered themselves.

Q4. The land would be cut off from man and beast ___ God sent a sword.

Revelation 6:3 “And when he had opened the second seal, I heard the second beast say, Come and see.

4 “And there went out another horse *that was* red: and *power* was given to him that sat thereon to take peace from the earth, and that they should kill one another: and there was given unto him a great sword.”

4. The Pestilence

Ezekiel 14:19 Or *if* I send a pestilence into that land , and pour out my fury upon it in blood, to cut off from it man and beast:

20 *Though* Noah, Daniel, and Job, *were* in it, *as* I live, saith the Lord GOD, they shall deliver neither son nor daughter; they shall *but* deliver their own souls by their righteousness.

Q5. The land would be cut off from man and beast ___ God sent a pestilence. This will happen during the Tribulation Period. Jeremiah 30:4-7

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