# Morning Watch Crystallization-Study of 1 & 2 Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, & Esther (1) – Week 11 June 12-18, 2023

The Intrinsic Significance of Ezra's Ministry and Nehemiah's Leadership—to Build Up the Church as the House of God and the Kingdom of God by Living Out and Working Out the New Jerusalem

#### Monday 6/12

## Rev. 21:11-12, 18

**11** Having the glory of God. Her light was like a most precious stone, like a jasper stone, as clear as crystal.

12 It had a great and high wall and had twelve gates, and at the gates twelve angels, and names inscribed, which are the names of the twelve tribes of the sons of Israel:

**18** And the building work of its wall was jasper; and the city was pure gold, like clear glass.

## **Rev. 4:3**

**3** And He who was sitting was like a jasper stone and a sardius in appearance, and there was a rainbow around the throne like an emerald in appearance.

#### Eph. 2:21-22

21 In whom all the building, being fitted together, is growing into a holy temple in the Lord;

22 In whom you also are being built together into a dwelling place of God in spirit.

## 2 Cor. 5:17

**17** So then if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old things have passed away; behold, they have become new.

#### Eph. 3:17-19

**17** That Christ may make His home in your hearts through faith, that you, being rooted and grounded in love,

**18** May be full of strength to apprehend with all the saints what the breadth and length and height and depth are

**19** And to know the knowledge-surpassing love of Christ, that you may be filled unto all the fullness of God.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Crystallization...1 and* 2 *Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther... – Week 11, Day 1* 

Tuesday 6/13

Eph. 5:26

**26** That He might sanctify her, cleansing her by the washing of the water in the word,

#### 1 Pet. 1:22

**22** Since you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth unto unfeigned brotherly love, love one another from a pure heart fervently,

#### Heb. 4:12

12 For the word of God is living and operative and sharper than any two-edged sword, and piercing even to the dividing of soul and spirit and of joints and marrow, and able to discern the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

## Psa. 119:9, 140

**9** With what should a young man keep his way pure? By guarding it according to Your word.

140 Your word is very pure, And Your servant loves it.

#### Isa. 55:11

**11** So will My word be which goes forth from My mouth; It will not return to Me vainly, But it will accomplish what I delight in, And it will prosper in the matter to which I have sent it.

## 2 Thes. 3:5

**5** And the Lord direct your hearts into the love of God and into the endurance of Christ.

## 1 John 2:5

**5** But whoever keeps His word, truly in this one the love of God has been perfected. In this we know that we are in Him.

## 1 John 4:16

**16** And we know and have believed the love which God has in us. God is love, and he who abides in love abides in God and God abides in him.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Crystallization...1 and* 2 *Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther... – Week 11, Day* 2

# Wednesday 6/14

## Ezra 7:6

**6** This Ezra went up from Babylon, and he was a scribe skilled in the law of Moses, which Jehovah the God of Israel had given; and the king granted him all his request according to the hand of Jehovah his God upon him.

# Neh. 13:24

24 And as for their children, half spoke in the

language of Ashdod; and none of them could speak the language of Judah, but they spoke the language of the respective peoples.

## 1 Cor. 2:16

**16** For who has known the mind of the Lord and will instruct Him? But we have the mind of Christ.

## 1 Cor. 14:31

**31** For you can all prophesy one by one that all may learn and all may be encouraged.

#### Titus 1:9

**9** Holding to the faithful word, which is according to the teaching of the apostles, that he may be able both to exhort by the healthy teaching and to convict those who oppose.

## John 6:63

**63** It is the Spirit who gives life; the flesh profits nothing; the words which I have spoken to you are spirit and are life.

## John 1:4-5

4 In Him was life, and the life was the light of men.

**5** And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Crystallization...1 and* 2 *Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther...* – *Week* 11, Day 3

# Thursday 6/15

# 1 Pet. 5:10

**10** But the God of all grace, He who has called you into His eternal glory in Christ Jesus, after you have suffered a little while, will Himself perfect, establish, strengthen, and ground you.

## John 1:16

**16** For of His fullness we have all received, and grace upon grace.

## Rev. 21:14

14 And the wall of the city had twelve foundations, and on them the twelve names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.

## 1 Cor. 15:10

**10** But by the grace of God I am what I am; and His grace unto me did not turn out to be in vain, but, on the contrary, I labored more abundantly than all of them, yet not I but the grace of God which is with me.

# 1 Pet. 4:10

**10** Each one, as he has received a gift, ministering it among yourselves as good stewards of the varied grace of God.

## Rom. 8:5-6

**5** For those who are according to the flesh mind the things of the flesh; but those who are according to the spirit, the things of the Spirit.

**6** For the mind set on the flesh is death, but the mind set on the spirit is life and peace.

#### Rom. 12:2

**2** And do not be fashioned according to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of the mind that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and well pleasing and perfect.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Crystallization...1 and* 2 *Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther... – Week 11, Day 4* 

## Friday 6/16

## Rev. 2:17

17 He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes, to him I will give of the hidden manna, and to him I will give a white stone, and upon the stone a new name written, which no one knows except he who receives it.

## Zech. 5:7-8a

7 (Then a lead cover was lifted up) and this is a woman sitting within the ephah vessel. 8a Then he said, This is Wickedness.

## 1 John 5:4, 12

**4** For everything that has been begotten of God overcomes the world; and this is the victory which has overcome the world-our faith.

**12** He who has the Son has the life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have the life.

## John 14:30

**30** I will no longer speak much with you, for the ruler of the world is coming, and in Me he has nothing;

## Phil. 3:7-8

7 But what things were gains to me, these I have counted as loss on account of Christ.

**8** But moreover I also count all things to be loss on account of the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, on account of whom I have

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suffered the loss of all things and count them as refuse that I may gain Christ

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Crystallization...1 and* 2 *Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther... – Week 11, Day 5* 

# Saturday 6/17

#### Rom. 16:20

**20** Now the God of peace will crush Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus be with you.

## Eph. 6:11

11 Put on the whole armor of God that you may be able to stand against the stratagems of the devil,

## Deut. 32:30

**30** How shall one chase a thousand, And two put ten thousand to flight, Were it not that their Rock sold them, And Jehovah delivered them up?

#### **Rev. 12:11**

**11** And they overcame him because of the blood of the Lamb and because of the word of their testimony, and they loved not their soul-life even unto death.

## Eccl. 4:9-10, 12

**9** Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their labor;

**10** For if they fall, the one will lift up his companion. But woe to the one who falls and does not have another to lift him up!

12 And while a man may prevail against the one, the two will withstand him; and a threefold cord is not quickly broken.

# 1 Cor. 12:24

**24** But our comely members have no need. But God has blended the body together, giving more abundant honor to the member that lacked,

## Eph 5:26-27

 $2\hat{6}$  That He might sanctify her, cleansing her by the washing of the water in the word,

**27** That He might present the church to Himself glorious, not having spot or wrinkle or any such things, but that she would be holy and without blemish.

**Further Reading:** HWMR Crystallization...1 and 2 Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther... – Week 11, Day 6

Lord's Day 6/18

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# Matt. 16:18

**18** And I also say to you that you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build My church, and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it.

# Eph. 2:20-21

**20** Being built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus Himself being the cornerstone;

## 21 See Monday

#### Eph. 4:15-16

15 But holding to truth in love, we may grow up into Him in all things, who is the Head, Christ,

**16** Out from whom all the Body, being joined together and being knit together through every joint of the rich supply and through the operation in the measure of each one part, causes the growth of the Body unto the building up of itself in love.

## **Rev. 4:3**

**3** And He who was sitting was like a jasper stone and a sardius in appearance, and there was a rainbow around the throne like an emerald in appearance.

## Rev. 21:11, 18

#### See Monday

## Rev. 21:19

**19** The foundations of the wall of the city were adorned with every precious stone: the first foundation was jasper; the second, sapphire; the third, chalcedony; the fourth, emerald; **Hymns**, #979

#### **Further Reading:**

CWWL, 1994-1997, vol. 3, "The Application of the Interpretation of the New Jerusalem to the Seeking Believers," chs. 3, 5

## **Churchwide Truth Pursuit of Romans**

Level 1—Romans Sequential Study Scripture: Rom. 9:1-10:21 Assigned Reading: Life-study of Romans, msg. 22-23

#### Level 2—Romans Topical Study

**Crucial Point:** Raised and Growing Together with Him, Walking in Newness of Life **Scripture:** Rom. 6:1-5 **Assigned Reading:** Life-study of Romans, msgs. 35-36; Crystallization-study of the Complete Salvation of God in Romans, ch. 3 **Supplemental Reading:** None

#### **Hymn:** 475

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