

## HOPE SABBATH SCHOOL

### Major Lessons from Minor Prophets – Part 12

#### Heaven's Best Gift (Zechariah)

Welcome to Hope Sabbath School--an in-depth interactive study of the Word of God. We are continuing a series of studies entitled Seek the LORD and Live! –Major Lessons from Minor Prophets. Our topic today: Heaven's Best Gift (Zechariah (the LORD remembers) – Part 2)

Scripture Song: "Seek the LORD while He may be found" – Isaiah 55:6-7

#### Prayer

- 1) Review
  - a) What is the historical setting during the ministry of Zechariah?
  - b) What important message did you hear in part 1 of our study? "return to me" "grace" "by my Spirit"
- 2) The promise of future blessing
  - a) Zechariah 8:20-23
  - b) What responsibilities come with great blessings?
    - i) Zechariah 8:16-17
    - ii) Matthew 5:14-16
    - iii) Matthew 10:8
- 3) Prophecies about Messiah
  - a) Your king is coming
    - i) Zechariah 9:9
    - ii) Matthew 21:4-9; John 12:13-15
    - iii) Matthew 19:39-40
      - (1) How would you have responded?
      - (2) How are you sharing the good news about the second coming of Jesus in glory?
  - b) The One who was pierced
    - i) Zechariah 12:10
    - ii) Isaiah 53:4-5
    - iii) John 19:32-37
    - iv) Revelation 1:7
    - v) Revelation 4:8-12
    - vi) Listen to Paul's declaration in 2 Cor 9:15.
      - (1) How can we become ever more thankful for God's amazing gift of love?
  - c) The Shepherd Savior
    - i) Zechariah 13:7-9
    - ii) John 10:7-18, 27-29
    - iii) Psalm 23
    - iv) Matthew 26:31 (Mark 14:27)
    - v) Matthew 26:56; Mark 14:50
    - vi) Why are the disciples scattered? What lesson can we learn for our lives today?
  - d) King of the whole world
    - i) Zechariah 14:16-21
    - ii) Revelation 4:13-14
    - iii) Revelation 22:1-5
    - iv) Jesus prayed, "Your kingdom come." Is that speaking about coming into our hearts or His glorious kingdom, or both?
- 4) What lessons can we learn from the messages of Zechariah for our lives today?