

Zephaniah

The Lord Sees and will Judge,
He Spares and will Sing!

1. A Humble Remnant Returns and Rests

Zeph 3:9-13

2. Joy: the End of all Things Zeph 3:14-20

**Learn: For God's Grand Finale, He Brings a
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- ▶ V9-10 The Peoples Changed (within)
- ▶ V11-13 A Humble Judah is At Rest

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- ▶ **Even in the farthest place God gives life to those who look to Him..**

V11-13 A Humble Judah is At Rest

▶ V11 On that Day

▶ Near term Cyrus Is 45:1-7 / Nehemiah

▶ V12 the Humble find Refuge

▶ V13 None will make you Afraid

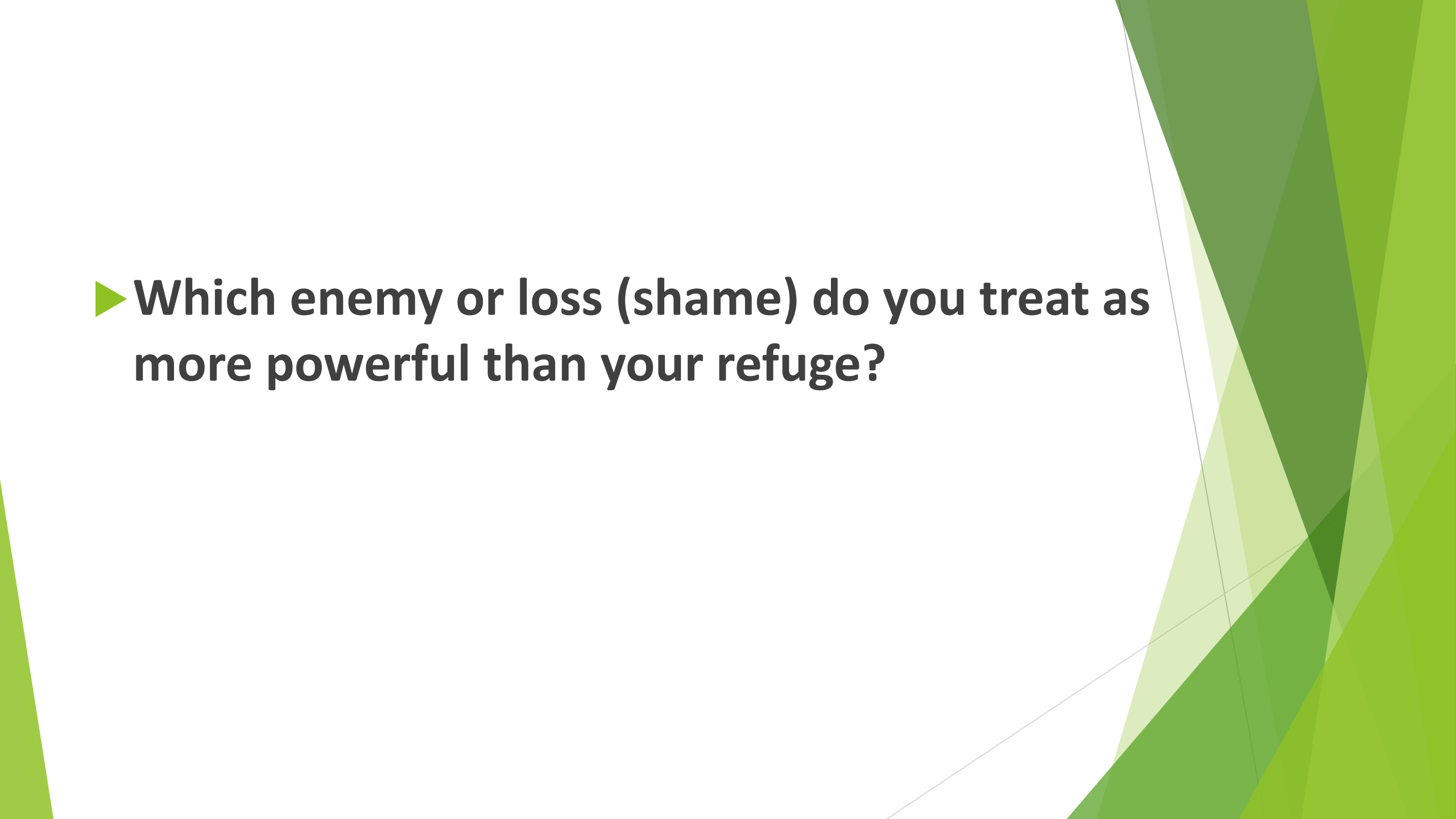
▶ Future - Millennial Reign of Jesus Rev 20:1-10

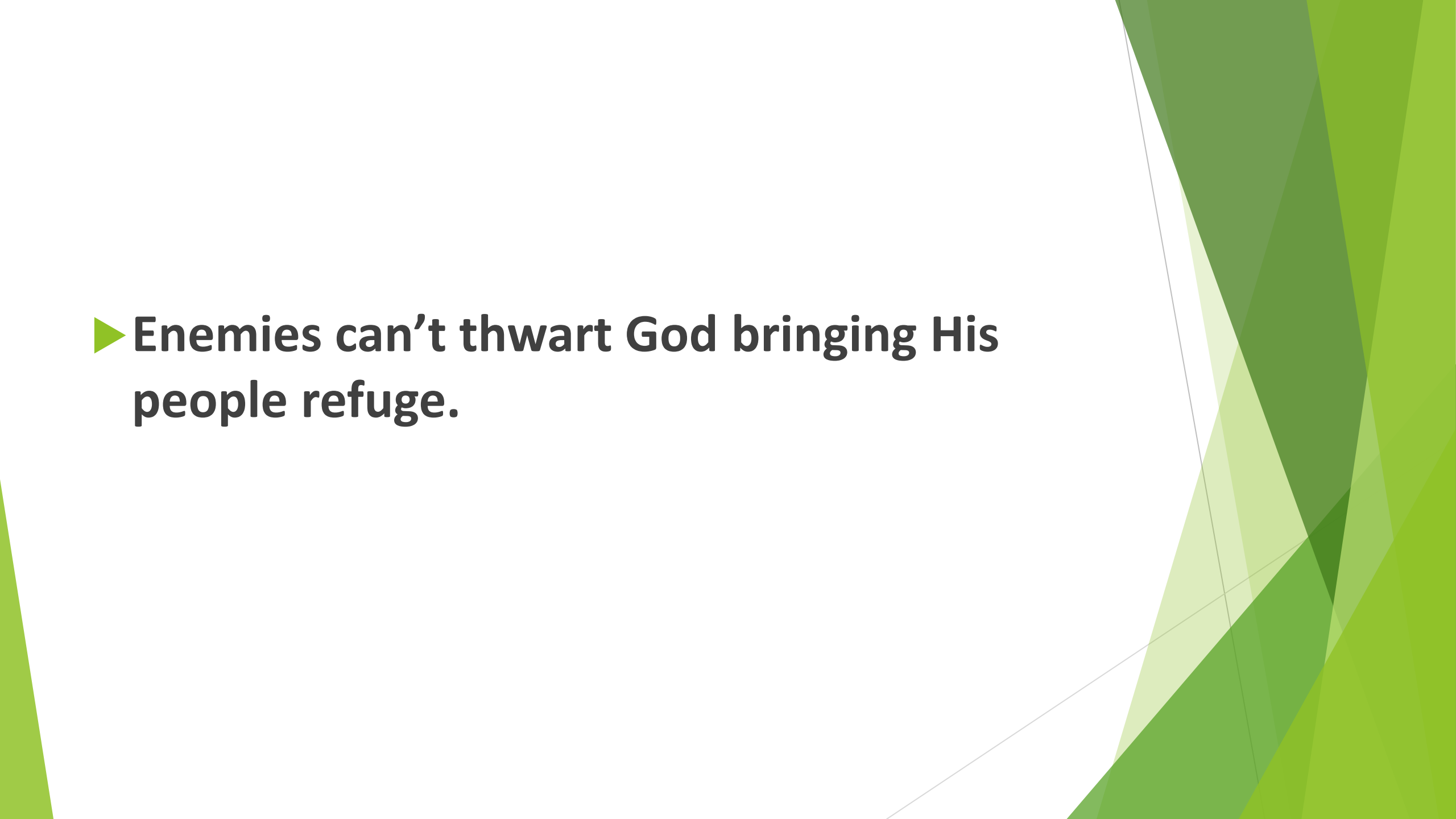
▶ Remnant of Jews (Zech 12:10)

▶ Believers Resurrected to Reign with Christ 1000 Years

▶ Unbelievers Resurrected after 1000 years for judgement



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2. Joy: the End of all Things Zeph 3:14-20

- ▶ V14-15 Commanded to Sing
- ▶ V16-17 (The peoples) Tell Judah
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- ▶ V18-20 God governs the Future: “ I Will”

V14-15 Commanded to Sing

- ▶ **Judgements taken away**
 - ▶ **Those in Christ: Col 2:13-15**
- ▶ **Enemies Cleared!**
- ▶ **Lord in the Midst: Zech 14:8-9**

**V16-17 (The peoples) Tell Judah Something,
Really Good !**

▶ God Rejoices over His people

**→ God will not surrender the Joy of His people
with Him.**

V18-20 God governs the Future: “ I Will”

- ▶ **He Gathers**
- ▶ **No more Reproach**
- ▶ **Oppressors Dealt with**
- ▶ **Lame Saved, Outcast Gathered**
- ▶ **Shame turned into Praise**
- ▶ **Renown on Earth**
- ▶ **Fortunes Restored**

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► Believers:

- Even in the farthest place, God gives life to those who look to Him.
- Reflect on: Enemies can't thwart God bringing His people refuge.
- Which enemy or loss (shame) do you treat as more powerful than your Refuge?
- Doctrine of Millennium: When was the last time you thought deeply of the Joy of seeing Jesus coming to reign?

► Those Who have Not Yet Trusted Christ:

- It is hard to admit to being an enemy of God, but will you trust Christ today knowing only He saves, and He changes enemies to His own. Rom 5:8.

God will not surrender the Joy of His people with Him!

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The Sands of Time

1 The sands of time are sinking;
the dawn of heaven breaks;
the summer morn I've sighed for,
the fair sweet morn awakes;
dark, dark, hath been the midnight,
but dayspring is at hand,
and glory, glory dwelleth
in Emmanuel's land.

2 The King there in His beauty
without a veil is seen;
it were a well-spent journey,
though trials lay between:
the Lamb with His fair army
on Zion's mountain stands,
and glory, glory dwelleth
in Emmanuel's land.

3 O Christ, He is the Fountain,
the deep sweet Well of love!
The streams on earth I've
tasted;
more deep I'll drink above:
there to an ocean fullness
His mercy doth expand,
and glory, glory dwelleth
in Emmanuel's land.

4 The bride eyes not her garment,
but her dear bridegroom's face;
I will not gaze at glory,
but on my King of grace;
not at the crown He giveth,
but on His pierced hand;
the Lamb is all the glory
of Emmanuel's land.