

ZECHARIAH

God's Encouragement For His People Zechariah 8:1-8

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1. The Lord soberly exhorts His people through warnings, but He also exhorts them through large _____.

2. Even in the most difficult times, the people of God always have reason to be hopeful because the Lord is exceedingly _____ in His love for them.

a. Because of God's jealous love for His people, He is very angry with those who are their _____.

b. Because of God's jealous love for His people, He promised to _____ to them and dwell with them.

1) The Jerusalem of God holds to the sure and certain _____ of God.

2) The Jerusalem of God is set apart for the service and _____ of God.

3) The Jerusalem of God knows the _____ of God.

3. The people of God are exhorted to hold to His Word and His promises in _____.

a. God's promises often seem too good to be true when a person's focus is limited to what they can _____.

"Every time a godly man reads the Scriptures (remember this when you are reading the Scripture) and there meets with a promise, he ought to lay his hand upon it and say, 'This is part of my inheritance, it is mine, and I am to live upon it'." - Jeremiah Burroughs

b. God has promised that He will _____ His people from the ends of the earth.

c. The great privilege of the people of God is to truly be in _____ with their God.

"Settled and permanent shall be this _____."
- John Calvin