

Study Guide on Ezekiel 43:1-12

New American Standard Bible

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
2. What does this verse mean to me?
3. Discuss your answers with the class.

Ezekiel 43:1-12

(Ezekiel 43:1) Then he led me to the gate, the gate facing toward the east;

(Ezekiel 43:2) and behold, the glory of the God of Israel was coming from the way of the east. And His voice was like the sound of many waters; and the earth shone with His glory.

(Ezekiel 43:3) And *it was* like the appearance of the vision which I saw, like the vision which I saw when He came to destroy the city. And the visions *were* like the vision which I saw by the river Chebar; and I fell on my face.

(Ezekiel 43:4) And the glory of the LORD came into the house by the way of the gate facing toward the east.

(Ezekiel 43:5) And the Spirit lifted me up and brought me into the inner court; and behold, the glory of the LORD filled the house.

(Ezekiel 43:6) Then I heard one speaking to me from the house, while a man was standing beside me.

(Ezekiel 43:7) He said to me, "Son of man, *this is* the place of My throne and the place of the soles of My feet, where I will dwell among the sons of Israel forever. And the house of Israel will not again defile My holy name, neither they nor their kings, by their harlotry and by the corpses of their kings when they die,

(Ezekiel 43:8) by setting their threshold by My threshold and their door post beside My door post, with *only* the wall between Me and them. And they have defiled My holy name by their abominations which they have committed. So I have consumed them in My anger.

(Ezekiel 43:9) "Now let them put away their harlotry and the corpses of their kings far from Me; and I will dwell among them forever.

(Ezekiel 43:10) "As for you, son of man, describe the temple to the house of Israel, that they may be ashamed of their iniquities; and let them measure the plan.

(Ezekiel 43:11) “If they are ashamed of all that they have done, make known to them the design of the house, its structure, its exits, its entrances, all its designs, all its statutes, and all its laws. And write *it* in their sight, so that they may observe its whole design and all its statutes and do them.

(Ezekiel 43:12) “This is the law of the house: its entire area on the top of the mountain all around *shall be* most holy. Behold, this is the law of the house.”

Write the verse or verses you have been assigned in the space below:

Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Study

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?