Session 5: Jan. 2, 2022 Ezek. 28:11-19, 25-26 Warns

(5) By your great wisdom *and* by your traffic you have increased your riches, and your heart is lifted up because of your riches:
(6) Therefore this is what the Lord GOD {Jehovah} says; Because you have set your heart as the heart of God;
(7) Therefore, indeed, I will bring strangers upon you, the terrible of the nations: and they will draw their swords against the beauty of your wisdom, and they will defile your brightness.
(8) They will bring you down to the pit, and you will die the deaths of *those who are* killed in the midst of the seas.
(9) Will you yet say before him who kills you, I *am* God? but you *will be* a man, and no God, in the hand of him who kills you.
(10) You will die the deaths of the uncircumcised by the hand of strangers: because I have spoken *it*, says the Lord GOD {Jehovah}.
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(11) Furthermore the word of the LORD {Jehovah} came to me, saying,
(12) Son of man, take up a cry upon the king of Tyrus,[a] and say to him, This is what the Lord GOD {Jehovah} says; You seal up the sum, full of wisdom, and perfect in beauty.
(13) You have been in Eden the garden of God; every precious stone *was* your covering, the sardius, topaz, and the diamond, the beryl, the onyx, and the jasper, the sapphire, the emerald, and the carbuncle, and gold: the workmanship of your tambourines and of your pipes were prepared in you in the day that you were created.
(14) You *are* the anointed cherub who covers; and I have set you *so*: you were upon the holy mountain of God; you have walked up and down in the midst of the stones of fire.
(15) You *were* perfect in your ways from the day that you were created, until sin was found in you.[b]
(16) By the multitude of your merchandise they have filled your midst with violence, and you have sinned: therefore I will cast you as profane out of the mountain of God: and I will destroy you, O covering cherub, from the midst of the stones of fire.
(17) Your heart was lifted up because of your beauty, you have corrupted your wisdom because of your brightness: I will cast you to the ground, I will lay you before kings, that they may view you.
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28:12a – see note on king of Tyrus on Is. 14;12 – an illusion to Satan
28:15b – see Is. 14:12
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(18) You have defiled your sanctuaries by the multitude of your sins, by the sin of your traffic; therefore I will bring forth a fire from your midst, it will devour you, and I will bring you to ashes upon the earth in the sight of all those who see you.
(19) All those who know you among the people will be astonished at you: you will be a terror, and you *will* never *be* any more.
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(20) Again the word of the LORD {Jehovah} came to me, saying,
(21) Son of man, set your face against Zidon, and prophesy against it,
(22) And say, This is what the Lord GOD {Jehovah} says; Indeed, I *am* against you, O Zidon; and I will be glorified in your midst: and they will know that I *am* the LORD {Jehovah}, when I have executed judgments in her, and be sanctified in her.
(23) Because I will send into her disease, and blood into her streets; and the wounded will be judged in her midst by the sword upon her on every side; and they will know that I *am* the LORD {Jehovah}.
(24) And there will be no more a pricking brier to the house of Israel, nor *any* grieving thorn of all *who are* around them, who despised them; and they will know that I *am* the Lord GOD {Jehovah}.
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(25) This is what the Lord GOD {Jehovah} says; When I have gathered the house of Israel from the people among whom they are scattered, and be sanctified in them in the sight of the heathen {ungodly nations}, then they will live in their land that I have given to My servant Jacob.
(26) And they will live safely in it, and will build houses, and plant vineyards; yes, they will live with confidence, when I have executed judgments upon all those who despise them all around them; and they will know that I *am* the LORD {Jehovah} their God.
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