

A lightbulb with a human-like face, holding a sign that says "Did You Know". The lightbulb has a smiling mouth and small arms and legs. The sign is a piece of paper with the text "Did You Know" written on it. The background is a blue gradient.

Did You Know

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THE REDEMPTION

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ZECHARIAH 12

VI. The Future of World Powers, Israel, and the Kingdom of the Messiah (9:1-14:21)

The First Oracle:

Advent & Rejection of Messiah-King (9:1-11:17)

Advent (9:1-11:1)

The Rejection (11:1-17)

The Second Oracle:

Second Advent & Acceptance of Messiah-King (12:1-14:21)

Future Deliverance & National Conversion (12:1-13:9)

Return of the Lord in Glory 14:1-21)

Definition of Burden:

The prophet called his news a “burden” (Zech. 12:1).

The Hebrew term is מַשָּׂא (massa) (“pronouncement”), which describes oracles concerning future events.

In this case, the massa foretells Israel’s experience in the Day of the Lord and, specifically, the Gentile powers’ global attack on Jerusalem..

It's Not Just a Passing Glance

In Hebrew, the word for “look” is v’hibitu (וְהִבִּיטוּ) which carries the idea of looking with trusting hope and longing.

It is the same word used in the incident of the bronze serpent found in Numbers 21.

JOHN 3:14

“As Moses lifted up the
serpent in the wilderness,
even so
must the Son of Man be
lifted up; so that
whoever believes will in
Him have eternal life.”





The
Trinity
at Work:

Speaker: The LORD God

Me whom they pierced:The
Lord Jesus

**Spirit of grace and
supplication:** Effected by
the Holy Spirit

God Takes the Initiative

a) God gave His Son- Jn.3:16

b) God had already begun to work in their hearts-
Zech.12:5

c) God pours out a spirit of grace – His undeserved
favor-Zech.12:10

God Takes the Initiative

d) And supplication – calling on God's forgiveness

for: 1 John 1:9

i) -having rejected the Lord Jesus as their Messiah-

Is.53:4

ii) -for their own personal sin Is.53:6

Israel's Response Individually & Nationally

- a) Repented of their sin
- b) Exercised their faith in Him
- c) Received God's forgiveness
- d) Mourned their rejection of their Messiah

LESSONS

- 1) God is not through with Israel
(Zech.12:10, Rom.9-11)
 - a) In the present, since Pentecost there is and has been a remnant of Jewish people who believe in their Messiah Jesus.

LESSONS

1) God is not through with Israel
(Zech.12:10, Rom.9-11)

b) In the future at the return of Christ,
the whole remaining Nation will be
saved, and God will fulfill all
His remaining promises to Israel.

**GOD KEEPS HIS
PROMISES!!!!**

LESSONS

2) God still loves all the Jewish people
and so should we, by:

a) Praying for the peace of Jerusalem.

Ps.122:6

b) Taking opportunities to share the
gospel with Jewish
people by word and deed.

LESSONS

3) God's warning against attacking
Israel.

Gen.12:3

And I will bless those who bless you,
And the one who curses you I will
curse.

LESSONS

4) God does hold Israel accountable
for the crucifixion of
Christ.

(12:10 “Whom **THEY** pierced)