

Revelation 11

Temple Measured Two Witnesses

- John given a reed, told to **measure the temple of God**, the altar, and those who worship there, but omit outside court, given to the Gentiles.
- Gentiles will tread the Jerusalem** underfoot for 42 months.
- God will give power to His **“two witnesses”**, they will prophesy 1,260 days clothed in sackcloth.
- They are the “two olive trees and two lampstands standing before the God of the earth” (Zechariah 4:1-6)
- Power to kill opponents with fire**, to shut heaven (no rain), to turn water to blood, strike earth with plagues.
- When testimony finished, **beast from the pit kills them**. Bodies lay in the street, worldwide celebration
- After 3 1/2 days they are **resurrected**, everyone is afraid. “Come up here” - ascend to heaven
- Same hour **great earthquake**, 1/10 of city falls, 7,000 people killed, rest afraid, gave glory to God. Third woe coming.
- 7th angel sounds**: loud voices in heaven “The kingdoms of the world have become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ, and He shall reign forever and ever!”
- 24 elders praise God, **temple in heaven opened**, ark of covenant seen, more lightnings, noises, thunderings, another earthquake and great hail. (“...because you have taken Your great power and reigned. The nations were angry and Your wrath has come, and the time of the dead that they should be judged...” The last set of judgments in coming, and with it the wrath of God is complete!)

