

A Prophecy against Gog - Ezekiel 38:1-39:29

Topics: Anger, Compassion, Death, Employment, Enemies, Evil, Fear, Glory, Greatness, Greed, Holiness, Holy Spirit, Intentions, Judgment, Opposition, Peace, Promises, Prophecy, Protection, Punishment, Revenge, Sacrifice, Shame, Sin, Unfaithfulness, War, Wealth, Zeal

Open It

1. What character, historical or fictional, is the personification of evil in your mind?
- * 2. What is your favorite story of the triumph of an underdog?

Explore It

3. To whom was Ezekiel told to address his next prophecy? (38:1-3)
4. What gathering of the enemies of Israel would be accomplished by God “pulling them together”? (38:4-6)
5. What great invasion would be plotted by Gog? (38:7-9)
6. For what purpose would the various nations arrive at an evil scheme? (38:10-13)
7. Why was God going to allow a great assault on Israel? (38:14-16)
- * 8. For what response would God be poised when Gog threatened Israel? (38:18-23)
9. What did God intend to do to the homeland of the aggressors while they fell in battle on the mountains of Israel? (39:1-6)
- * 10. What is God prepared to defend in the great battle of the nations? (39:7-8)
11. After God’s intervention in their behalf, what unusual provisions would Israel have for years to come? (39:9-10)
12. How does Ezekiel describe the magnitude of the death and destruction wrought against the forces of Gog? (39:11-16)
13. What gory “sacrifice” would the birds and wild beasts have set before them? (39:17-20)
14. In this demonstration of His glory, what would the nations see and what would Israel understand? (39:21-22)
15. Why did God want the rest of the nations to be clear on His reasons for turning against Israel in the past? (39:23-24)
- * 16. What are the various ways in which God will show compassion on His people in the future? (39:25-29)

Get It

17. Where should the people of God turn for help in times of trouble?
18. Of what nations of the earth is God the Lord?
19. In what way is God the Lord of every nation on earth?
20. What comfort can God’s people take in knowing how God will use evil for His purposes?
- * 21. How should we react if the enemies of God rise up to challenge blessings that He has given to us?
22. Why would the land need to be cleansed after the great battle in which Gog is defeated?
- * 23. In your opinion, of all the blessings promised to God’s people in this prophecy, which is the greatest? Why?

Apply It

- * 24. How can you tell at least one other person this week of the Lord’s gracious blessings in your life?
25. What frightening evil power in your life or in your world can remind you throughout the week to praise God for His omnipotence?