

A photograph of two people from behind, silhouetted against a bright sunset over the ocean. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm orange and yellow glow. The two figures are standing close together, looking out at the water.

Revelation 11

The Two Witnesses

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Olivet Prophecy

Matthew 24:14

"This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world ^{F518} as a testimony to all the nations, and then the end will come.

FOOTNOTE:

F518: *Lit {inhabited earth}*

What Was Really Received On Pentecost?

Acts 1:4-12

He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or epochs which the Father has fixed by His own authority; but **you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you**; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth."

The “Two Witnesses”

■ Revelation 11:1-2

- **Measurement of the Temple of God, The Altar and Those Who Worship In It.**

■ Revelation 11:3-12

- **Authority is granted by God.**
- **Prophecy for 1,260 days / 3 ½ Years in Sackcloth (repentance in the face of judgment).**
- **Prophecy (Strong's #4395) to foretell events, divine, speak under inspiration, exercise the prophetic office.**
- **Supernatural powers granted by God.**
- **Killed by the beast/bodies in streets/resurrected and taken to heaven.**

The “Two Witnesses”

■ Revelation 11:13

■ Great Earthquake

- Destroys 10th of the city
- Kills 7,000 people
- Fear grips people and give glory to God
- 2nd Woe has ended and 3rd Woe comes quickly

- Does “...gave glory to God...” indicate repentance and terrified realization that Christ, and not the antichrist, is the true Lord?

The “Two Witnesses”

■ Who are the “Two Witnesses”?

■ Elijah

- II Kings 1:9-15 / Luke 4:25 / I Kings 17:1-7
(Similar Powers)

■ Moses

- Exodus 7-12 / Revelation 11:6 (Similar Powers)

- There is no biblical justification to believe that the Two Witnesses are indeed Moses and Elijah; God has never resurrected a prophet or apostle to do a work centuries or millennia later. God has used people of the time to carry out His work.

Who Are The "Two Witnesses"?

■ Revelation 11:4

- Two Olive Trees / Lampstands standing before the Lord

■ Zechariah 4:2-3, 11-14

- Two Olive Trees / Two Anointed Ones

Combining this Old Testament prophecy with the interpretation of the lampstands in Revelation 1:20, it appears that the Two Witnesses will also have a profound ministry to the church of God: They will supply the church with "oil," that is, they will spiritually feed the church during the "famine of the Word" (**Amos 8:11**).

Clothing Of The “Two Witnesses”

Revelation 11:3 -4

And I will grant authority to my two witnesses, and they will prophesy for twelve hundred and sixty days, clothed in sackcloth. These are the two olive trees and the two lampstands that stand before the Lord of the earth.

- **Is the message of the “Two Witnesses” repentance before the 3rd Woe of God’s Seven Last Plaques?**

Foundation The Temple of God

Zechariah 4:9-10

The hands of Zerubbabel have laid the foundation of this house, and his hands will finish {it.} Then you will know that the LORD of hosts has sent me to you. "For who has despised the day of small things? But these seven will be glad when they see the plumb line in the hand of Zerubbabel-- {these are} the eyes of the LORD which range to and fro throughout the earth."

Measure The Temple of God

■ Revelation 11: 1-2

- Measurement of the Temple of God, The Altar and Those Who Worship In It.
- Court is not included due to it being given to the nations of the world.

■ Measure (Strong's #3354)

- To measure (ascertain in size by a fixed standard).
- By Implication: To measure any space or distance with the object and the standard.
 - Matthew 7:2 / Mark 4:24
 - II Corinthians 10:12; 11:28-32

Measure The Temple of God

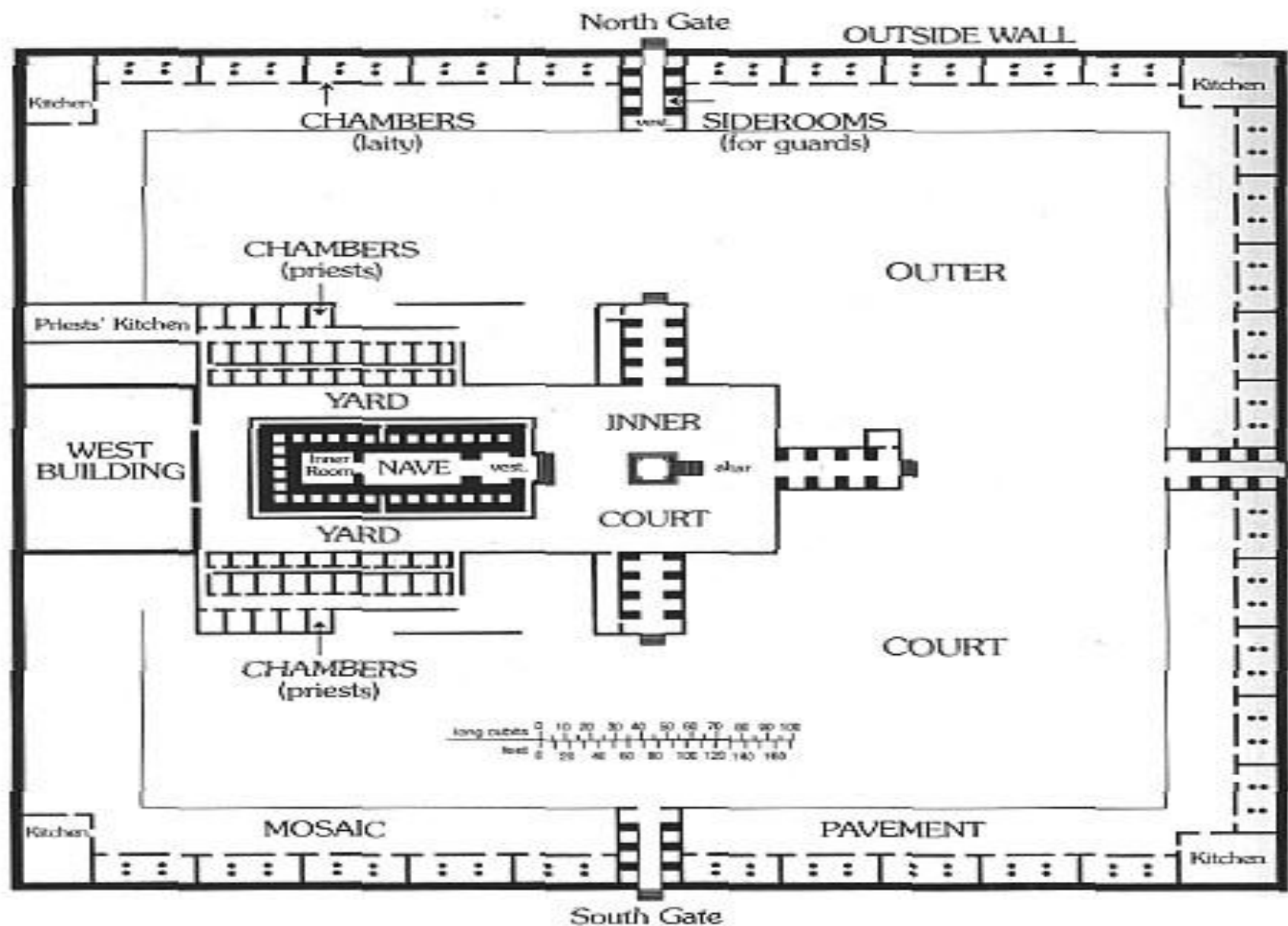
- **Revelation 11: 1-2**

- **Ezekiel 40:1-42**

- **Measurement Done On 10th day of the 1st Month**
- **Passover lambs were selected and kept on the 10th day of the 1st Month**

- **Is the of God's Temple being measured now?**
- **Will there be a larger Temple of God?**

EZEKIEL'S TEMPLE, COURTS, WALLS, AND GATES



Features Unique To Ezekiel's Temple

**No wall of partition to exclude Gentiles (compare Ephesians 2:14)
The Gentiles were previously welcome in the Outer Courts, but excluded from the inner courts on pain of death.**

No Court of Women (compare Galatians 3:28 / Outer Court and Inner Court only)

No Laver (see Ezekiel 36:24-27, John 15:3)

No Table of Shewbread (see Micah 5:4, John 6:35)

No Lampstand or Menorah (see Isaiah 49:6, John 8:12)

No Golden Altar of Incense (Zechariah 8:20-23, John 14:6)

No Veil (Isaiah 25:6-8, Matthew 27:51)

No Ark of the Covenant (Jeremiah 3:16, John 10:30-33)

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Who Are The "Two Witnesses"?

■ Ecclesiastes 3:11

- **"He assigned each [thing] to its proper time, but for the mind of man he has appointed mystery, that man may never fathom God's own purpose from beginning to end."**

Who the Two Witnesses are has not yet been revealed, and how long we have to go before the time of their appearance no one knows. However, in looking for them, we need to concentrate on what Scripture reveals so that we might properly identify them.

God will make them known when their time has come.