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Contrasting Daniel and Ezekiel

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CONTRASTING DANIEL AND EZEKIEL

ARTICLE TWELVE

| DANIEL | EZEKIEL |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Born in Jerusalem, died in Babylon (Assumed) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Born in Jerusalem, died in Babylon (Assumed) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Carried from Jerusalem into Babylon by King Nebuchadnezzar in 606 B.C. (Dan. 1:1) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Carried from Jerusalem into Babylon by King Nebuchadnezzar in 597 B.C. (Ezek. 1:1) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Functioned as Israel's key politician during the Babylonian captivity (Dan. 2:48; 6:1-3) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Functioned as Israel's key prophet during the Babylonian captivity (Ezek. 2:1, 5; 3:17) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Authored a very important historical and prophetic O. T. book (Book of Daniel) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Authored a very important historical and prophetic O. T. book (Book of Ezekiel) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Probably knew Ezekiel (Ezek. 14:14, 20; 28:3) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definitely knew Daniel (Ezek. 14:14, 20; 28:3) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Was unmarried (Dan. 1:7) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Was married (Ezek. 24:18) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> His name appears 72 times in his book (Numerous times in all but two chapters: 3 and 11) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> His name appears but two times in his book (Ezek. 1:3; 24:24) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visited by angels (Dan. 8:16; 9:21) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visited by angels (Ezek. 1:4-28) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Described the coming Messiah as a shepherd (Dan. 7:9, 10, 13, 14) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Described the coming Messiah as a sojourner (Ezek. 34:11-15) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Witnessed godless Gentiles committing acts of blasphemy (Dan. 5:2-4) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Witnessed godless Jews committing acts of blasphemy (Ezek. 8:5-16) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Predicted the historical defeat of the Persians by the Greeks (Dan. 8:2-7, 20, 21) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Predicted the future defeat of Gog and Magog by God Himself (Ezek. 39:1-6; 9-12) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wrote concerning a blasphemous banquet (Dan. 5:1) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wrote concerning a bloody banquet (Ezek. 39:17-19) |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Was told of the coming Great Tribulation (Dan. 11:36-45; 12:1) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Was told of the coming glorious millennium (Ezek. 39:27-29; 40:30-35; 42:2) |