

Spiritual Significance Of The Number Eight

The Number Of Being Circumcised - New Beginnings - The New Man

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How The Meaning Of This Number Applies To This Verse?

The Old Testament

Eight

Genesis 5:4 And the days of Adam after he had begotten Seth were **eight hundred years**: and he begat sons and daughters:

Genesis 5:7 And Seth lived after he begat Enos eight hundred and seven years, and begat sons and daughters:

Genesis 17:12 And **he that is eight days old shall be circumcised** among you, every man child in your generations, he that is born in the house, or bought with money of any stranger, which is not of thy seed.

Genesis 21:4 And Abraham circumcised his son Isaac **being eight days old**, as God had commanded him.

Judges 3:8 Therefore the anger of the LORD was hot against Israel, and he sold them into the hand of Chushanrishathaim king of Mesopotamia: and **the children of Israel served Chushanrishathaim eight years.**

Judges 3:9 And when the children of Israel cried unto the LORD, the LORD raised up a deliverer to the children of Israel, who delivered them, [even] Othniel the son of Kenaz, Caleb's younger brother.

1 Samuel 17:12 Now David was the son of that Ephrathite of Bethlehemjudah, whose name was Jesse; **and he had eight sons**: and the man went among men for an old man in the days of Saul.

1 Samuel 17:14 (a) And David was the **youngest**: [the eighth]
2 Samuel 23:8 These be the names of the mighty men whom David had:
The Tachmonite **that sat in the seat, chief among the captains**; the
same was Adino the Eznite: **he lift up his spear against eight hundred,
whom he slew at one time.**
Ecclesiastes 11:1 Cast thy bread upon the waters: for thou shalt find it
after many days.
Ecclesiastes 11:2 **Give a portion to seven, and also to eight**; for thou
knowest not what evil shall be upon the earth.

The Number By Which We Approach The Temple

Ezekiel 40:31 And the arches thereof [of the south side of the temple]
were toward the utter court; and palm trees were upon the posts thereof:
and the going up to it had eight steps.
Ezekiel 40:34 And the arches thereof [of the east side of the temple]
were toward the outward court; and palm trees were upon the posts
thereof, on this side, and on that side: and the going up to it had **eight
steps.**
Ezekiel 40:37 And the posts thereof [of the north gate] were toward the
utter court; and palm trees were upon the posts thereof, on this side, and
on that side: and the going up to it had **eight steps.**
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eighth, and is of the seven**, and goeth into perdition.
Ezekiel 40:41 Four tables were on this side, and four tables on that side,
by the side of the gate; **eight tables, whereupon they slew their
sacrifices.**

The North Gate

Ezekiel 40:35 And he brought me to the north gate, and measured [it]
according to these measures;
Ezekiel 40:36 The little chambers thereof, the posts thereof, and the
arches thereof, and the windows to it round about: the length [was] fifty
cubits, and the breadth five and twenty cubits.

Ezekiel 40:37 And the posts thereof [were] toward the utter court; and palm trees [were] upon the posts thereof, on this side, and on that side: and the going up to it [had] eight steps.

Ezekiel 40:38 And the chambers and the entries thereof [were] by the posts of the gates, where they washed the burnt offering.

Ezekiel 40:39 And in the porch of the gate [were] two tables on this side, and two tables on that side, to slay thereon the burnt offering and the sin offering and the trespass offering.

Ezekiel 40:40 And at the side without, as one goeth up to the entry of the north gate, [were] two tables; and on the other side, which [was] at the porch of the gate, [were] two tables.

Ezekiel 40:41 Four tables [were] on this side, and four tables on that side, by the side of the gate; eight tables, whereupon they slew [their sacrifices].

Ezekiel 40:42 And the four tables [were] of hewn stone for the burnt offering, of a cubit and an half long, and a cubit and an half broad, and one cubit high: whereupon also they laid the instruments wherewith they slew the burnt offering and the sacrifice.

Eighth

Exodus 22:29 Thou shalt not delay to offer the first of thy ripe fruits, and of thy liquors: the firstborn of thy sons shalt thou give unto me.

Exodus 22:30 Likewise shalt thou do with thine oxen, and with thy sheep: seven days it shall be with his dam; **on the eighth day thou shalt give it me.**

Leviticus 8:30 And Moses took of the anointing oil, and of the blood which was upon the altar, and sprinkled it upon Aaron, and upon his garments, and upon his sons, and upon his sons' garments with him; and sanctified Aaron, and his garments, and his sons, and his sons' garments with him.

Leviticus 8:31 And Moses said unto Aaron and to his sons, Boil the flesh at the door of the tabernacle of the congregation: and there eat it with the bread that is in the basket of consecrations, as I commanded, saying, Aaron and his sons shall eat it.

Leviticus 8:32 And that which remaineth of the flesh and of the bread shall ye burn with fire.

Leviticus 8:33 And ye shall not go out of the door of the tabernacle of the congregation in **seven days, until the days of your consecration be at an end: for seven days shall he consecrate you.**

Leviticus 8:34 As he hath done this day, so the LORD hath commanded to do, to make an atonement for you.

Leviticus 8:35 Therefore shall ye abide at the door of the tabernacle of the congregation day and night seven days, and keep the charge of the LORD, that ye die not: for so I am commanded.

Leviticus 8:36 So Aaron and his sons did all things which the LORD commanded by the hand of Moses.

Leviticus 9:1 And it came to pass **on the eighth day**, that Moses called Aaron and his sons, and the elders of Israel;

Leviticus 9:2 And he said unto Aaron, Take thee a young calf for a sin offering, and a ram for a burnt offering, without blemish, and **offer [them] before the LORD.**

Leviticus 9:7 And Moses said unto Aaron, Go unto the altar, and **offer thy sin offering, and thy burnt offering, and make an atonement for thyself, and for the people:** and offer the offering of the people, and make an atonement for them; as the LORD commanded.

Leviticus 12:3 And in the **eighth day the flesh of his foreskin shall be circumcised.**

Colossians 2:11 In whom also ye are circumcised with the circumcision made without hands, in **putting off the body of the sins of the flesh by the circumcision of Christ:**

Philippians 3:3 For **we are the circumcision**, which worship God in the spirit, and rejoice in Christ Jesus, and have no confidence in the flesh.

Romans 2:28 For he is **not** a Jew, which is one outwardly; neither is that **circumcision**, which is outward in the flesh:

Romans 2:29 But he is a Jew, which is one inwardly; and **circumcision is that of the heart**, in the spirit, and not in the letter; whose praise is not of men, but of God.

The Eighth Man In Micah

Micah 1:1 The word of the LORD that came to Micah the Morasthite in the days of Jotham, Ahaz, [and] Hezekiah, kings of Judah, which he saw **concerning Samaria and Jerusalem.**[all of God's people]

Micah 1:2 Hear, **all ye people; hearken, O earth**, and all that therein is: and let the Lord GOD be witness against you, the Lord from his holy temple.

Micah 1:3 For, behold, the LORD cometh forth out of his place, and will come down, and tread upon the high places of the earth.

Micah 1:4 And the mountains shall be molten under him, and the valleys shall be cleft, as wax before the fire, [and] as the waters [that are] poured down a steep place.

Micah 1:5 For the transgression of Jacob is all this, and for the sins of the house of Israel. What is the transgression of Jacob? is it not Samaria? and what are the high places of Judah? are they not Jerusalem?

Micah 1:6 Therefore I will make Samaria as an heap of the field, and as plantings of a vineyard: and I will pour down the stones thereof into the valley, and I will discover the foundations thereof.

Micah 1:7 And all the graven images thereof shall be beaten to pieces, and all the hires thereof shall be burned with the fire, and all the idols thereof will I lay desolate: for she gathered it of the hire of an harlot, and they shall return to the hire of an harlot.

Micah 5:1 Now gather thyself in troops, O daughter of troops: he hath laid siege against us: they shall smite the judge of Israel with a rod upon the cheek.

Micah 5:2 But thou, Bethlehem Ephratah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall he come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel; **whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting.**

Micah 5:3 Therefore will he give them up, until the time that **she which travaileth** hath brought forth: then the remnant of his brethren shall return unto the children of Israel.

Micah 5:4 And he shall stand and feed in the strength of the LORD, in the majesty of the name of the LORD his God; and they shall abide: for now shall he be great unto the ends of the earth.

Micah 5:5 And this man shall be the peace, when the Assyrian shall come into our land: and when he shall tread in our palaces, then shall we raise against him [the Assyrian] seven shepherds, and eight principal men.

Micah 5:6 And they shall waste the land of Assyria [Babylon] with the sword [of the Word Of God], and the land of Nimrod in the entrances thereof: thus shall he deliver us from the Assyrian [Babylon- "the land of Nimrod], when he cometh into our land, and when he treadeth within our borders.

The New Testament

Eight

Luke 2:21 And when eight days were accomplished for the **circumcising of the child**, his name was called JESUS, which was so named of the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

John 20:26 And after **eight** days again his disciples were within, and Thomas with them: [then] came Jesus, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said, Peace be unto you.

Acts 9:33 And there he found a certain man named Aeneas, which had kept his bed **eight** years, and was sick of the palsy.

1 Peter 3:20 Which sometime were disobedient, when once the longsuffering of God waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was a preparing, wherein few, that is, **eight souls were saved by water**.

Eighth

Luke 1:59 And it came to pass, that on the **eighth day they came to circumcise the child**; and they called him Zacharias, after the name of his father.

Acts 7:8 And he gave him the covenant of circumcision: and so **Abraham begat Isaac, and circumcised him the eighth day**; and Isaac begat Jacob; and Jacob begat the twelve patriarchs.

Philippians 3:5 **Circumcised the eighth day, of the stock of Israel**, of the tribe of Benjamin, an Hebrew of the Hebrews; as touching the law, a Pharisee;

2 Peter 2:5 And spared not the old world, but saved **Noah the eighth** person, a preacher of righteousness, bringing in the flood upon the world of the ungodly;

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'New' In The New Testament

1 Corinthians 5:7 Purge out therefore the old leaven, that ye may be a new lump, as ye are unleavened. For even Christ our passover is sacrificed for us:

1 Corinthians 11:25 After the same manner also [he took] the cup, when he had supped, saying, This cup is the new testament in my blood: this do ye, as oft as ye drink [it], in remembrance of me.

2 Corinthians 3:6 Who also hath made us able ministers of the new testament; not of the letter, but of the spirit: for the letter killeth, but the spirit giveth life.

2 Corinthians 5:17 Therefore if any man [be] in Christ, [he is] a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new.

Galatians 6:15 For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision availeth any thing, nor uncircumcision, but a new creature.

Ephesians 2:15 Having abolished in his flesh the enmity, even the law of commandments contained in ordinances; for to make in himself of twain one new man, so making peace;

Ephesians 4:24 And that ye put on the **new man** [the "consecrated man - Leviticus 8:33 - and then offer a sin offering], which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness.

Colossians 3:10 And have put on the **new man**, which is renewed in knowledge after the image of him that created him: [It was Christ who created them male and female]

Hebrews 10:20 By a **new** and living way, which he hath **consecrated** for us, through **the veil, that is to say, his flesh**;

Hebrews 12:24 And to Jesus the mediator of the **new covenant**, and to the blood of sprinkling, that speaketh better things than that of Abel.

2 Peter 3:13 Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness.

1 John 2:8 Again, **a new commandment I write unto you**, which thing is true in him and in you: because the darkness is past, and the **true light** now shineth.

Revelation 2:17 He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the hidden **manna**, and will give him a white stone, and in the stone **a new name** written, which no man knoweth saving he that receiveth it.

Revelation 3:12 Him that overcometh will I make a pillar in the temple of my God, and he shall go no more out: and I will write upon him the name of my God, and the name of the city of my God, which is **new Jerusalem**, which cometh down out of heaven from my God: and I will write upon him my **new** name.

Conclusion

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