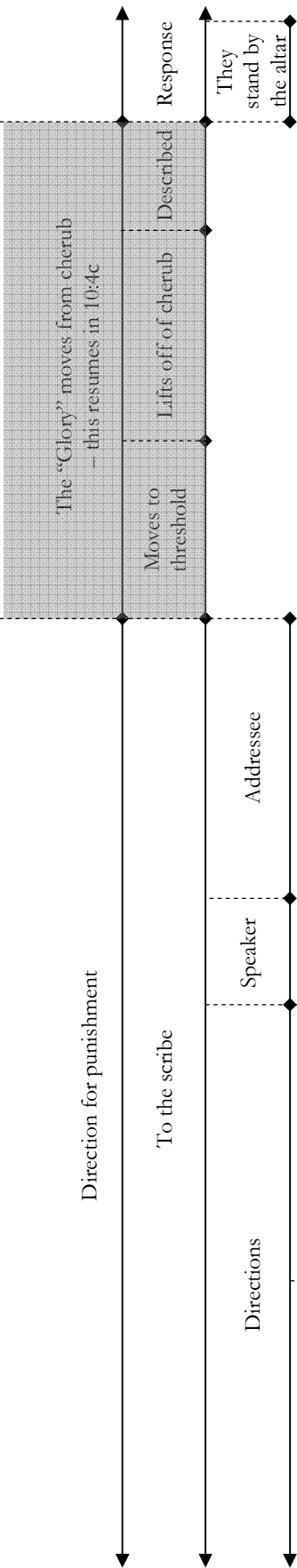


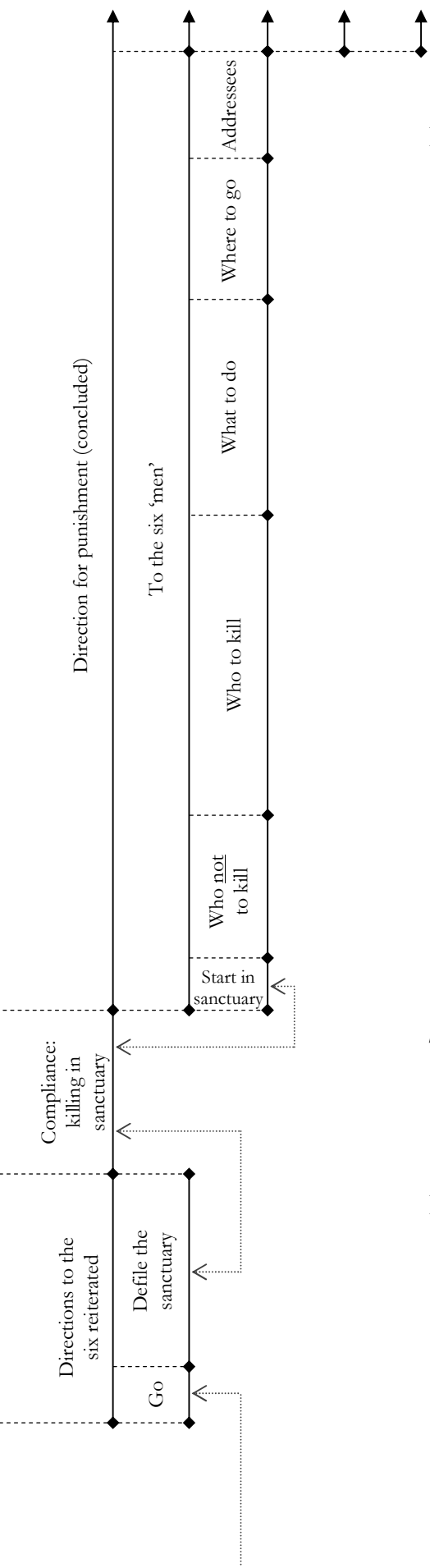
Ezekiel 9:1 – 10:7

Continuation of the first Temple Vision (8-11): the punishment

Preparation for Judgment	Summons	The 'man' cries out Call for executioners Command to bring weapons	¹ He cried also in mine ears with a loud voice, saying, “Cause them that have charge over the city to draw near, even every man <i>with</i> his destroying weapon in his hand.”
	Response to summons	Six 'men' approach They bring their weapons Seventh 'man' approaches Clothed in linen With scribes kit The 7 enter	² And, behold, six men came from the way of the higher gate, which lieth toward the north, and every man a slaughter weapon in his hand; and one man among them <i>was</i> clothed with linen, with a writer's inkhorn by his side: and they went in, and



stood beside
 the brasen altar.³ And
 the glory
 of the God of Israel
 was gone up
 from
 the cherub,
 whereupon he was,
 to
 the threshold
 of the house. And
 he called
 to the man
 clothed with linen,
 which *had* the writer's inkhorn
 by his side;⁴ And
 the LORD said
 unto him,
 "Go
 through the midst
 of the city,
 through the midst
 of Jerusalem, and
 set a mark
 upon the foreheads of the men
 that sigh and
 that cry
 for all the abominations

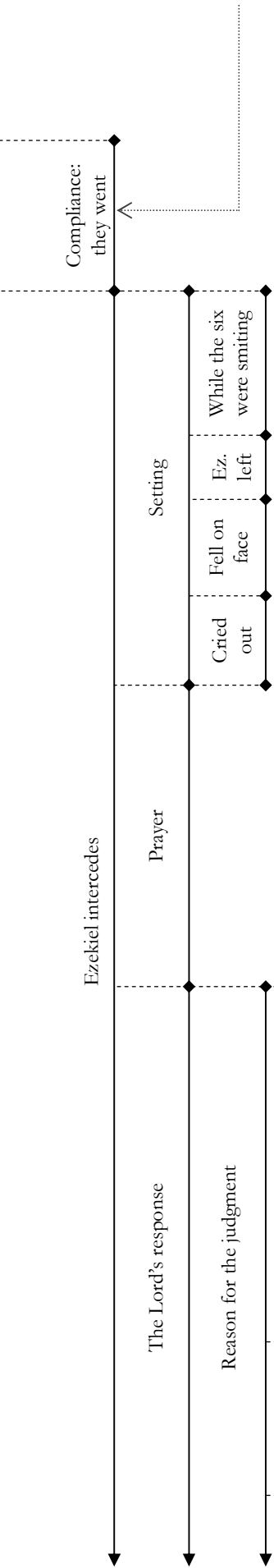


that be done in the midst thereof.”⁵ And

to the others
 he said in mine hearing,
 “Go ye
 after him
 through the city, and
 smite:
 let not your eye spare,
 neither have ye pity: ⁶
 Slay utterly
 old *and*
 young,
 both
 maids, and
 little children, and
 women: but
 come not near
 any man
 upon whom *is* the mark; and
 begin at my sanctuary.”

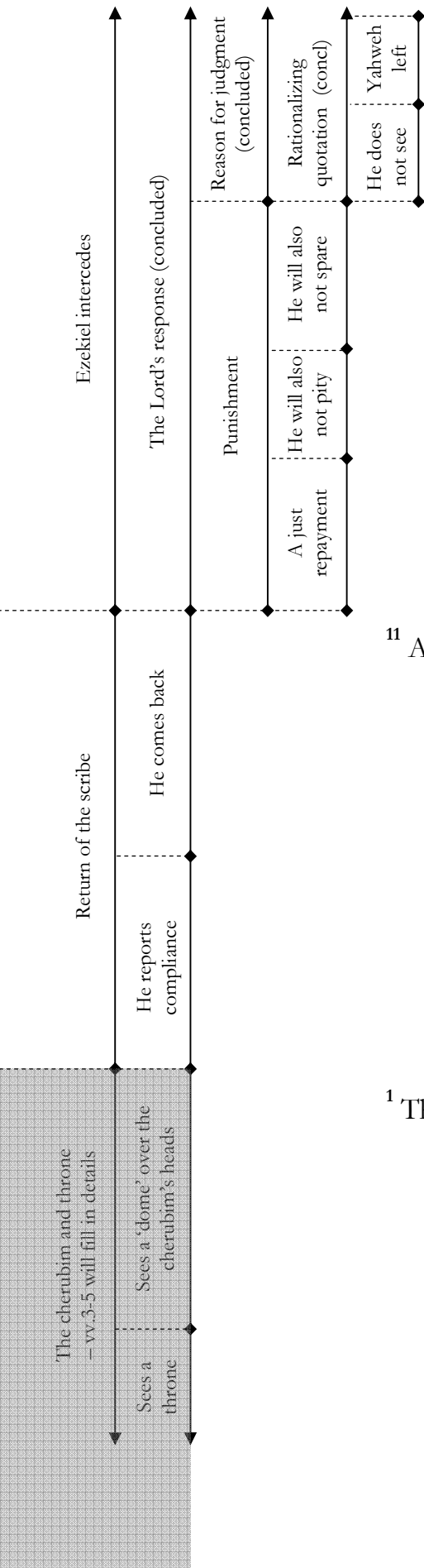
Then they began
 at the ancient men
 which *were* before the house. ⁷ And

he said unto them,
 “Defile the house, and
 fill the courts
 with the slain:
 go ye forth.” And



they
 went forth, and
 slew in the city.⁸ And
 it came to pass,
 while
 they were slaying them, and
 I was left, that
 I
 fell upon my face, and
 cried, and
 said,
 “Ah Lord GOD!
 wilt thou destroy
 all the residue of Israel
 in thy pouring out
 of thy fury
 upon Jerusalem?”⁹

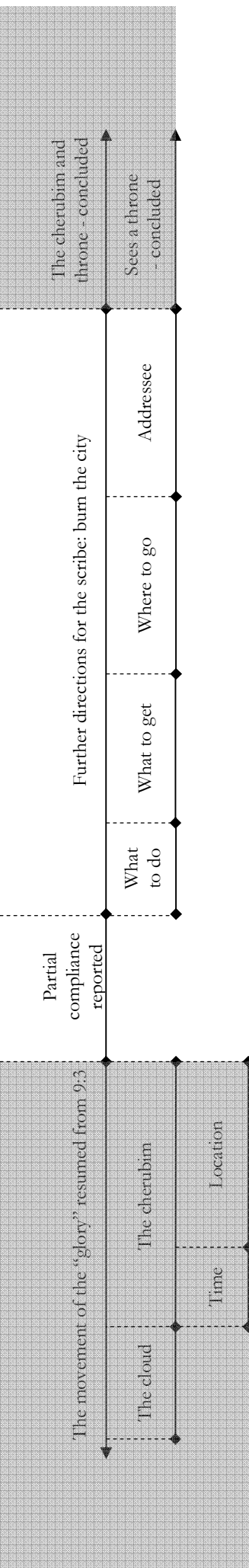
Then said he unto me,
 “The iniquity
 of the house
 of
 Israel and
 Judah
is exceeding great, and
 the land
 is full of blood, and
 the city full of perverseness:
 for they say,



‘The LORD
hath forsaken the earth’, and
‘the LORD
seeth not.’¹⁰ And
as for me also,
mine eye
shall not spare,
neither
will I have pity, *but*
I will recompense
their way
upon their head.”

¹¹ And, behold,
the man
clothed with linen,
which *had* the inkhorn
by his side,
reported the matter,
saying,
“I have done
as thou hast commanded me.”

¹ Then I looked, and,
behold,
in the firmament
that was above the head
of the cherubims
there appeared
over them



as it were

a sapphire stone,

as the appearance

of the likeness of a throne. ² And

he

spoke

unto the man

clothed with linen, and

said,

“Go in

between the wheels,

even under the cherub, and

fill thine hand

with coals of fire

from between the cherubims, and

scatter *them*

over the city.” And

he

went in

in my sight. ³ Now

the cherubims

stood

on the right side

of the house,

when the man

went in; and

the cloud

filled the inner court. ⁴ Then

Directions to scribe resume (v.2a-d paraphrased)

The movement of the "glory" resumed from 9:3 (concluded)

Comparison
of sounds

Sound
Heard in
court

Made by
cherubim

Brightness of the glory
fills the court

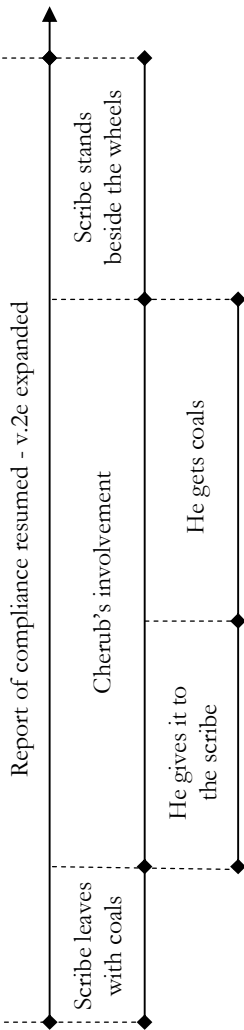
Now the cloud
fills the temple

The Glory moves

Moved to the
threshold

Moved from
the cherub

the glory of the LORD
went up
from the cherub, *and*
stood
over the threshold
of the house; and
the house
was filled
with the cloud, and
the court
was full
of the brightness
of the LORD's glory. ⁵ And
the sound
of the cherubims' wings
was heard
even to the outer court,
as the voice
of the Almighty God
when he speaketh. ⁶ And
it came to pass, *that*
when
he had commanded
the man clothed
with linen,
saying,
"Take fire
from between the wheels,



from between the cherubims;”

then

he

went in, and

stood beside the wheels. ⁷ And

one cherub

stretched forth his hand

from between the cherubims

unto the fire

that *was* between the cherubims, and

took *thereof*, and

put *it* into the hands

of *him that was* clothed

with linen:

who

took *it*, and

went out.