

Review :

This final chapter of the "*burden of the Lord*" (12:1) reveals that the phrase "*that day*" which occurs 17x in 16v in Zechariah chapters 12-14 refers to "the Day of the Lord" (14:1).

The day of the Lord begins with *the evening* of the 7 year tribulation, which is followed by *the morning* of the Millennium (the 1,000 year Reign of Christ).

The day of the Lord brings both judgment and mercy.

Judgment to Israel's enemies; and mercy to God's chosen people.

- v 1-3      The Battle of Armageddon      Revelation 16:14-21
- v 4        The Return of the Lord = The Second Coming of Christ  
Christ returns to Israel at the very place where He left: Mt. of Olives, Acts 1:11-12
- v 5-10     The topography and geography of Israel is reordered for Christ's Rule & Reign.
- v 11        Israel's True Peace and Safety
- v 12-13    God's Consuming Judgment      Hebrews 10:31 & 12:29
- v 14-15    The Reward of the Faithful
- v 16, 20-21   World-wide Millennial Worship : HOLINESS UNTO THE LORD
- v 17-18    Millennial Punishment for neglecting Worship

Bible Facts

"the day of the Lord" (20x in 18v in 9 OT prophetic books)    1st ref - **Isa 2:12**,    last - **Mal 4:5**

"that day"                    (108x in 107v in 12 OT prophetic b.)      "    **Isa 2:11**,      " - **Mal 3:17**

definitions

*tumult*, (n. Latin - *tumeo* : to swell) - a violent commotion with confusion of sounds

*discomfiture*, (n.) - to Rout; to defeat in battle; to overthrow and disperse