

**Zechariah 13:1-9 Idolatry, False Prophets & Unclean Spirits Purged from the Land  
Wounded Messiah revealed  
Two thirds of the people of all the Land of Israel will be cut off  
Remnant of one third of the people will remain**

**Idolatry, False Prophets, Unclean spirits Cut Off**

<sup>1</sup> "In that day a fountain shall be opened for the house of David and for the inhabitants of Jerusalem, for sin and for uncleanness.

<sup>2</sup> "It shall be in that day," says Yahweh Tsebaovt (the Lord of hosts), "that I will cut off the names of the idols from the land, and they shall no longer be remembered. I will also cause the prophets and the unclean spirit to depart from the land.

<sup>3</sup> It shall come to pass that if anyone still prophesies, then his father and mother who begot him will say to him, 'You shall not live, because you have spoken lies in the name of Yahweh (the Lord).' And his father and mother who begot him shall thrust him through when he prophesies.

<sup>4</sup> "And it shall be in that day that every prophet will be ashamed of his vision when he prophesies; they will not wear a robe of coarse hair to deceive.

<sup>5</sup> But he will say, 'I am no prophet, I am a farmer; for a man taught me to keep cattle from my youth.'

**The Shepherd Savior**

<sup>6</sup> And one will say to him, 'What are these wounds (in your hands) between your arms?' Then he will answer, 'Those with which I was wounded in the house of my friends.'

<sup>7</sup> "Awake, O sword, against My Shepherd, Against the Man who is My Companion," Says Yahweh Tsebaovt (the Lord of hosts). "Strike the Shepherd, And the sheep will be scattered; Then I will turn My hand against the little ones.

**Two Thirds Cut Off – One Third Remnant remains**

<sup>8</sup> And it shall come to pass in all the land," Says Yahweh (the Lord)," That two-thirds in it shall be cut off and die, But one-third shall be left in it:

<sup>9</sup> I will bring the one-third through the fire, Will refine them as silver is refined, And test them as gold is tested. They will call on My name, And I will answer them. I will say, 'This is My people'; And each one will say, 'Yahweh Elohay (The Lord is my God).'"

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Facts Revealed:

**Idolatry, False Prophets, Unclean spirits Cut Off** [[Zechariah 13:1-5](#)]

- ✧ When Yahweh arrives to purge away all that offends Him as the Kingdom is set up, He must first remove all evil to start the Kingdom Age with a pure population.
- ✧ With Messiah present as King of kings and Lord of lords, idolatry and false prophets will be unknown in the land.
- ✧ Prophets will not be needed because Yahweh will be on the throne in person.

**The Shepherd Savior revealed** [[Zechariah 13:5-7](#)]

- ✧ Messiah will be recognized by the wounds in His body still apparent, identifying Him as Yeshua who had been crucified on the cross when rejected by the Jews. [[Luke 24:39](#)]

- ✧ When He was taken away the sheep were scattered. [\[Matthew 26:31, Mark 14:27\]](#)
- ✧ It is He Who will judge the earth and purge away all evil. [\[John 5:22\]](#)

**Two Thirds Cut Off – One Third Remnant remains** [\[Zechariah 13:8-9\]](#)

- ✧ At the Battle of Armageddon the nations of the world that have surrounded Jerusalem will destroy two thirds of the people before Yahweh arrives with the armies of Heaven and ends the battle by speaking the word and the enemies will dissolve where they stand. [\[Zechariah 14:12\]](#)
- ✧ Those who remain will have been tested through the fires of the Great Tribulation and the purge of evil and have proved their faith in Yahweh.
- ✧ Then all will call on the name of Yahweh and their prayers will be answered.
- ✧ Yahweh will say, "This is My People" and the people will say, "Yahweh Elohay (The Lord is my God.)"