

# The Return from Captivity

Section 19: Nehemiah 7-9

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

**Read: Nehemiah 7-9** Nehemiah leads a “Third Wave” of returnees from captivity to rebuild the walls of Jerusalem starting in 444 BC. After the walls are finished, there seems to be some spiritual building that needs attention. Main topics in this section: Census Taken, Law Read, People Confess Sin.

## Nehemiah 7

- What is the state of the city at this point? Walls, guards, etc.... (1-3) \_\_\_\_\_  
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- What comment does Nehemiah make about the city? (4) \_\_\_\_\_  
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- What do you find interesting about the census? (5-73) \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Nehemiah 8

- What happened at the gathering? (1-8) \_\_\_\_\_  
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- Why were the people weeping? Why were they told to stop weeping? (9-12) \_\_\_\_\_  
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- How did the Feast of Booths get restored? What is the Feast of Booths? (13-18) \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Nehemiah 9

- What did the people gather and do here? Do you think they were sincere? (1-4) \_\_\_\_\_  
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- What were some key points of the Levites “speech”? (5-37) \_\_\_\_\_  
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- “Because of all this” (the points in the speech) what did the people do? (38) \_\_\_\_\_  
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