

Ezra, Chapter 3



1. At the beginning of this chapter, the people were said to have assembled as what?
2. What did Jeshua and his fellow priests and Zerubbabel and his associates begin to do first and why?
3. Who were these people afraid of?
4. Despite their fears, how often did they offer sacrifices to God?
5. What special feast did they celebrate and what was the purpose of this feast (hint: found in Leviticus 23)?
6. What were the people of Sidon and Tyre supposed to provide for the temple and who authorized them to do so?
7. When did work begin on the temple?
8. What did all the people do once the foundation of the house of the Lord was laid?
9. What did many of the older priests and Levites and family heads do and why?
10. How loud was the sound of the shouts of joy and the sound of weeping?