

hoScripture Text: Zechariah 3:1-5
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Clean Garments for the High Priest

- 1 Then he showed me Joshua the high priest standing before the angel of the LORD, and Satan standing at his right side to accuse him.
- 2 The LORD said to Satan, "The LORD rebuke you, Satan! The LORD, who has chosen Jerusalem, rebukes you! Is not this man a burning stick snatched from the fire?"
- 3 Now Joshua was dressed in filthy clothes as he stood before the angel.
- 4 The angel said to those who were standing before him, "Take off his filthy clothes." Then he said to Joshua, "See, I have taken away your sin, and I will put rich garments on you."
- 5 Then I said, "Put a clean turban on his head." So they put a clean turban on his head and clothed him, while the angel of the LORD stood by.

1. Zechariah saw a vision of God's Grace
 - a. No _____ how much Joshua washed he could not wash away his _____.
 - b. Only _____ can take away _____.

"This Ritual furnishes a dramatic contrast between the holiness and purity of God and the sins of man." R.K. Harrison

2. We face the same _____ today.

Romans 3:23

"for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God"

3. Only _____ can balance the _____

Romans 6:23

"For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord."

Eph 2:4 & 5

"But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace you have been saved."

4. Only _____ can take away our _____.

Romans 10:9 & 10

"That if you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved."