

The Penalty for Uzziah's Pride

2 Chr. 26:16-23

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And Azariah the priest went in after him, and eighty priests of YAHWEH with him, sons of valor; and they stood up against Uzziah the king, and said to him, It is not for you, O Uzziah, to burn incense to YAHWEH, but to the priests, the sons of Aaron, who are sanctified to burn incense; go out of the sanctuary, for you have trespassed; and it is not to your honor from YAHWEH Elohim.

And Uzziah was angry, and in his hand was a censer to burn incense; and when he was angry with the priests, the leprosy rose in his forehead, before the priests, in the house of YAHWEH, beside the altar of incense.

And Azariah the head priest and all the priests turned toward him, and behold, he was leprous in his forehead. And they hurried him from there, and he also himself hurried to leave, for YAHWEH had touched him.

And Uzziah the king was a leper to the day of his death, and lived in a separate house as a leper, for he had been cut off from the house of YAHWEH; and his son Jotham was over the king's house, judging the people of the land.

And the rest of the acts of Uzziah, the first and the last, Isaiah the son of Amoz, the prophet, has written.

And Uzziah lay with his fathers, and they buried him with his fathers in the field of the burying place that the kings had; for they said, He is a leper.

And his son Jotham reigned in his place.



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C F H C A C E N S E R T C E E
M A H T O J U Y L X Y S E N I
D E S S A P S E R T R W L T G
A V Y Q C D G O E I A D X E H
F Z K L E U N N N J U E T R T
Z E A N T O T C I A T H S E Y
C R R R H P E O L K C C E D U
I U R S I N U T F H N U I O Z
B N I U S A A R Z F A O R I Z
R D Z E O R H G R D S T P E I
F O R E H E A D X O Y R G N A
Y S O R P E L Y D E C Z Y D H

Altar

Angry

Azariah

Burned

Censer

Corruptly

Cutoff

Dishonor

Eighty

Entered

Forehead

Incense

Jotham

King

Leprosy

Priest

Sanctuary

Touched

Trespassed

Uzziah

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