

Ezekiel 2:9 – 3:3

^{2:9}Then I looked, and behold, a hand was extended to me; and lo, a scroll *was* in it. ¹⁰When He spread it out before me, it was written on the front and back, and written on it were lamentations, mourning and woe.

^{3:1}Then He said to me, "Son of man, eat what you find; eat this scroll, and go, speak to the house of Israel." ²So I opened my mouth, and He fed me this scroll. ³He said to me, "Son of man, feed your stomach and fill your body with this scroll which I am giving you." Then I ate it, and it was sweet as honey in my mouth.

SERMON NOTES

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T. Don Guthrie, preaching

Sweet Sorrow

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Design for discipleship

- Worship
- Belong
- Connect (instruction and community)
- Learn/repent/grow
- Serve/lead
- Rejoice

"Ezekiel Saw the Wheel"

SORROW

Psalm 119:67 "Before I was afflicted I went astray, but now I keep Your word."

Psalm 90:11 "Who understands the power of Your anger and Your fury, according to the fear that is due You?"

Psalm 51:4 "Against You, You only, I have sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You are justified when You speak and blameless when You judge."

SWEET

Vision of God, 1:4-27

Call to service, 2:2-8

Peace of soul, 2:9 – 3:3

John 16:33 "These things I have spoken to you, so that in Me you may have peace. In the world you have tribulation, but take courage; I have overcome the world."

Spirituals of American slaves