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# Meet Ezekiel

- in the wrong place

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- Who has lost EVERYTHING

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# Meet Babylon

- where Ishtar reigns





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The heavens opened

**Ezekiel 1:1**

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# God shows up in Babylon

I fell face down

**Ezekiel 1:28**

Like the appearance of a rainbow in the clouds on a rainy day, so was the radiance around him. This was the appearance of the likeness of the glory of the LORD. When I saw it, I fell face down, and I heard the voice of one speaking.









# Rims High & Awesome



**Ezekiel 1:18**

Their rims were high and awesome, and all four rims were full of eyes all around.





# God is bigger ...

## 1. than your situation

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## 2. than your understanding

**Ezekiel 1:13-14**

The appearance of the living creatures was like burning coals of fire or like torches. Fire moved back and forth among the creatures; it was bright, and lightning flashed out of it. The creatures sped back and forth like flashes of lightning.





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## 3. than your exile

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