

# EZEKIEL 20 PROFANING GOD'S NAME

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## LYRICS

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**Ezekiel 20:9**, YHWH GOD: "But I acted for My name's sake, that it should not be profaned before the Gentiles among whom they were, in whose sight I had made Myself known to them, to bring them out of the land of Egypt.... 13 they did not walk in My statutes; they despised My judgments, 'which, if a man does, he shall live by them' [*Lev 18:5*] and they greatly defiled My Sabbaths. Then I said I would pour out My fury on them in the wilderness, to consume them.  
14 **But I acted for My name's sake, that it should not be profaned before the Gentiles**, in whose sight I had brought them out.  
39 My holy name you will profane no longer with your gifts and with your idols."

**Ezekiel 36: 23**. YHWH God: "And I will sanctify My great name, which has been profaned among the nations, which you have profaned in their midst; **and the nations shall know that I am the LORD,**" says the Lord GOD, "when I am hallowed in you before their eyes."

## CHORUS

More than words Profanes God's Name. So do ACTS: Rebellion against God's clear commandments. For lack of AWE profanes God's Name.  
Ezekiel 20 ..... angers Him. It SAYS  
**"Holy God is NOT our King"** : All **dis**-respect profanes God's Name in FRONT of all Nations. It MOCKS Creator Righteous God.  
Ezekiel 20 ..... He's angered – RIGHTLY!

## MOVEMENT 1 (in original key)

1

God delivered His people from nations that enslaved them.  
God provided for His people in the desert for four decades.

2

God delivered His people THROUGH nations that attacked them as they walked through Lands God guided. God defended them, brought them out.

## MOVEMENT 2 (one key up)

3

**Yahweh\*** The LORD defined them as His people if they obeyed Him.  
All God's commandments were For their Good. Still they rebelled, calling God weak or cruel.

4

So God punished His people lest nations mock LORD God too.  
ALL who profane God's Name as just fake will learn of His power the Hard Way.

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## MOVEMENT 3 (2nd key up)

5

**Yahweh\*** The LORD shall defend His own honor if we disobey Him:  
All God's commandments are For OUR good.  
God Who does not change still calls them Good.

6

God Must punish His people LEST nations mock Him as God.  
Yet He with mercy will give grace to all who Honor God and call Him Good.

## INTERLUDE echoes [transition back into original key]

*God deserves all honor and praise,  
NOT for His Name to be profaned.  
More than words (More than words), Honor obeys!*

## READING

"You who make your boast in the law, **do you dishonor God through breaking the law?** For **"the name of God is blasphemed among the Gentiles because of you,"** as it is written. [Isaiah 52:5; Ezekiel 36:22] And will not the physically uncircumcised, **if he fulfills the law,** judge you who, even with your written code and circumcision, **are a transgressor of the law?"** – Romans 2: 24, 27 New KJV

## REPEAT CHORUS

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**Song Story.** It's VERY sad to read all the many scriptures of how we treat our HOLY LORD God, who tells us in Exodus 3:14 that His Name is YHWH, often spelled out as Yahweh, and usually pronounced "YAW-WAY". He deserve our deepest respect, awe, honor.... AND to be obeyed: For it is acts of rebellion rather than mere words we call cursing that truly PROFANE His Holy Name, call Him ordinary and ok to disrespect.

**1940s** sermon by famous, dearly-loving-God pastor Arthur W. Pink on what really profanes God's Name: [http://gracegems.org/Pink/taking\\_the\\_lords\\_name.htm](http://gracegems.org/Pink/taking_the_lords_name.htm)