

**Ezekiel 20:1** Now it came about in the seventh year, in the fifth month, on the tenth day of the month, that men from the elderly ones of Israel came in to inquire of Yehowah, and they proceeded to sit down before me.

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- Now after he went into the temple, the chief priests and the older **men** of the people **came** up to him while he was teaching and said; By what authority do you do these things? And who gave you this authority? (**Matthew 21:23**)
- In reply Jesus said to them; I, also, will ask **you** one thing. If **you** tell it to me, I also will tell **you** by what authority I do these things. (**Matthew 21:24**)
- The baptism by John, from what source was it? From heaven or from men? But they began to reason among themselves, saying; If we say, From heaven, he will say to us, Why, then, did **you** not believe him? (**Matthew 21:25**)
- If, though, we say, From men, we have the crowd to fear, for they all hold John as a prophet. (**Matthew 21:26**)
- So in answer to Jesus they said; We do not know. He, in turn, said to them; Neither am I telling **you** by what authority I do these things. (**Matthew 21:27**)
- And it **came about** in the sixth **year**, in the sixth **month**, on the **fifth** day of the **month**, that I was sitting in my house and the older **men** of Judah were sitting **before** me, when the hand of the Sovereign Lord Yehowah fell upon me there. (**Ezekiel 8:1**)
- And **men** from the **elderly ones** of **Israel** **proceeded** to come to me and **sit down before** me. (**Ezekiel 14:1**)
- And Elisha was sitting in his own house, and the older **men** were sitting with him, when he sent a man from **before** him. Before the messenger could come in to him, he himself said to the older **men**; Have **you** seen how this son of a murderer has sent to take off my head? See to it, as soon as the messenger comes, close the door, and **you** must press him back with the door. Is there not the sound of the feet of his lord behind him? (**2 Kings 6:32**)

- **Then the heads of the fathers of Judah and of Benjamin and the priests and the Levites rose up, even everyone whose spirit the true God had roused, to go up and rebuild the house of Yehowah, which was in Jerusalem. (Ezra 1:5)**
- **And they will come in to you, like the coming in of people, and sit before you as my people, and they will certainly hear your words but these they will not do, for with their mouth they are expressing lustful desires and after their unjust gain is where their heart is going. (Ezekiel 33:31)**