

Ezekiel 40:5

And, look! There was a wall outside the house all round about. And in the hand of the man there was the measuring reed¹ of six cubits,² by a cubit and a handbreadth. And he began to measure the breadth of the thing built,³ one reed, and the height, one reed.

Footnote: The measuring reed Hebrew, *qeneh' ham-mid-dah'*; Greek, *ka'la-mos*; Latin, *ca'la-mus men-su'rae* Compare (Galatians 6:16) Footnote Conduct. (Revelation 11:1)

Footnote: A cubit and a handbreadth A cubit of 44.5 centimeters (17.5 inches) and a handbreadth of 7.4 centimeters (2.9 inches) equaled about 51.8 centimeters (20.4 inches) and represented the long cubit Hence, a measuring reed of six cubits equaled 3.11 meters (10.2 feet)

Footnote: The thing built Hebrew, *hab-bin-yan'*; LXX, outer (advance) wall

[11] - References:

- **Wake up, wake up, put on your strength, O Zion! Put on your beautiful garments, O Jerusalem, the holy city! For no more will there come again into you the uncircumcised and unclean one. (Isaiah 52:1)**
- **But he that enters through the door is shepherd of the sheep. (John 10:2)**
- **You are already clean because of the word that I have spoken to you. (John 15:3)**
- **Look! Upon my palms I have engraved you. Your walls are in front of me constantly. (Isaiah 49:16)**
- **And he proceeded to measure the porch of the gate toward the interior, one reed. (Ezekiel 40:8)**
- **And I saw that there was a high platform for the house all around. As regards the foundations of the side chambers, there was a full reed of six cubits to the joining. (Ezekiel 41:8)**
- **He measured the eastern side with the measuring reed. It was five hundred reeds, by the measuring reed, round about. (Ezekiel 42:16)**
- **For the four sides he measured it. It had a wall all around, with a length of five hundred reeds and a width of five hundred reeds,**

to make a division between what is holy and what is profane.
(**Ezekiel 42:20**)

- And these are the measurements of the altar in **cubits**, a **cubit** being a **cubit** and a **handbreadth**. And its bottom is a **cubit**. And a **cubit** is the width. And its border is upon its lip **round about**, one span. And this is the base of the altar. (**Ezekiel 43:13**)
- And a **reed** like a rod was given me as he said; Get up and **measure** the temple sanctuary of God and the altar and those worshiping in it. (**Revelation 11:1**)
- Now the one who was speaking with me was holding as a **measure** a golden **reed**, that he might **measure** the city and its gates and its **wall**. (**Revelation 21:15**)