

7

COMMON THEME

DREAMS

EVERYONE SHOULD KNOW



ERICH JEREMIAH ROSE

7 Common Theme Dreams Everyone Should Know by Erich Jeremiah Rose

This e-book or parts thereof may not be reproduced in any form, stored in a retrieval system, or transmitted in a form by any means---electronic, mechanical, photocopy, recording, or otherwise—without prior written permission of the publisher, except as provided by United States of America copyright law.

Copyright© 2023 by Erich Jerome Rose

All right reserved.

Tertullian a 1st century early church father born in Carthage (North Africa) devoted a section in his work *“A Treatise on the Soul, or De Anima, he believed that dreams occur from four sources: demons, God, natural dreams that the soul creates, and finally the ecstatic state and its peculiar conditions”* or, in other words, the unconscious.

Dreams tend to come in all shapes, colors, sizes and sounds. Because of the hooks and impulses of this culture man is lost without direction and lack of vision.

The Master of the universe has intricately crafted, the tailor-made blueprint of dreams since the beginning of time.

Couple of things to notate concerning why and how you see as dreamers and visionaries from the biblical perspective. The seer realm is comprised of two spheres the *raa’h* and *chozeh* seer type. Not everyone sees the same, feels the same and processes the same.

The Hebrew word *raa’h* is defined as *the revelatory seer of divine inspiration of the Word of God*. These type seers see beyond the surface of the Word and beyond the surface of dreams (*1 Samuel 9:9*).

The word *raah* also means “*to see with your eye or to perceive with your mind*. We are often in our dream state brought into the matrix of the mind. It is there we experience narratives and complexity of the soul.

The *chozeh seer* derived from the Hebrew word means “*to see intelligently*. The *chozeh seer* sees just similar the *raa’h seer*, however a *chozeh seer* tends to see beyond their eye gates. They usually are more receptive to seeing with all of their natural and spiritual sensors. These type we know as “*feelers*.”

Because “*feeler’s* can pick up on inclinations and impressions from just about anyone or anything. This level of seeing requires a high level of discernment and intuitiveness. Trial and error tends to sharpen and bridle this gift but doesn’t always have to be, if we take time to listen to the Holy Spirit.

I say this because one must understand as Tertullian stated in the opening paragraph concerning dreams that they originate from demons, God, the soul, unconscious, non conscious and subconscious.

Due to the fall, man made systems and culture of this world our brains and bodies have encountered psychological damages over time through traumatic events. Most of these events were likely out of our control and some we willingly partook in due to our own decisions.

When we come into the kingdom of God we come in with our “stuff” good and bad. These issues of the soul take time to process through and out and the Lord knows this.

“And because lawlessness will be increased, the love of many will grow cold. But the one who endures to the end will be saved.”

Matthew 24:12-13

Often times before there can be a transfiguration of wholeness in your dream state. There will need to be a dismembering of your paradigm and perception of how Christ reveals himself to you and when he will reveal himself to you.

Like Cleophas and aunt Mary their perception of Jesus was disfigured on the road to Emaues. Cleophas and the “unnamed” disciple had just witnessed the very gruesome murder of Christ.

On top of that they were also wrestling with all he had promised and prophesied concerning the liberation of their people. Yet none of it seemed to pan out the way that they had hoped.

Imagine the confusion, pain of disappointment and grievance they experienced. Such instances can take a heavy toll on the subconscious (heart) and the brain. You will see that as we discuss some of the top Dream Themes concerning how trauma plays a vital role in the screenplay of our dreams.

The brain can develop neurological survival mechanisms to protect itself from the pain of that trauma. One of the ways it can protect itself referenced in the medical community is through what is know as suppression and repression. This leads me to our first major dream theme.

According to the amerisleep survey and Certified Sleep Coach McKenzie Hyde, over 53% of people dream about falling.

No one likes feeling out of control, yet according to statistics people are falling often in their dreams.

1. Falling in dreams deals a lot with the need for order and stability.

Falling in a dream can represent the fear of losing control or feeling out of control in a certain situation.

Falling dreams can also be related to anxiety and stress that we may be experiencing in our waking life. This can be a reflection of the feeling of being overwhelmed or out of control.

Falling in a dream can also represent feelings of being demoted or losing status in a certain situation. This can be related to work, relationships, or other areas of our lives where we feel like we are not living up to our potential. This can contribute to the way we feel about ourselves and the way we think people see us.

Our spiritual condition also plays a major role in a Falling dream. Which can also represent a spiritual condition or a feeling of being disconnected from God, community and ourselves.

Overall, the reasons why people dream about falling can be complex and varied, and may depend on the specific context and narrative of the dream.

2. Being Chased:

Being chased can have several meanings based in the narrative of the dream. Being chased in a dream can represent this fear of the unknown and the feeling of being pursued by something that is not yet understood.

Avoiding problems from the past, present or future can result to being chased in dreams: We may feel like we are running away from something that we don't want to confront or deal with.

- Traumatic memories can also often times shape shift into creatures, demons and monsters. If the memory of a horrific event was never worked through emotionally, the brain can morph that memory in your dreams into a vicious lion or dragon.

Dream example:

In Gordon Dalbey's book entitled "*Healing The Masculine Soul*" he details of a man who went to see a medical doctor well versed in dreams concerning a reoccurring dream he kept having about a Lion chasing him through the woods.

When he went to go visit the doctor the gentleman fell asleep in his office and the Dream reoccurred. The man began to break out in cold sweat nervously and the doctor commands him. “Do not pull out of the dream, turn around and ask the dream symbol who are you and what do you want?”

Just before the lion reaches him the gentleman in anxiousness and fear turns around ask “who are you and what do want?”

The lion then responded to him and said “I’m your courage why do you keep running away from me?”

Powerful eureka yeah?!

- Feelings of guilt or shame can also increase the fears of being chased in a dream. It can also represent feelings of guilt or shame about something that we have done or mistakes that we have made. We may feel like we are being pursued by our own conscience or by the consequences of our actions.

Overall, the reasons why people dream about being chased can be complex and varied, and may depend on the specific context and narrative of the dream.

- Dreaming about not being prepared for a test can be related to feelings of anxiety and stress about academic performance or other areas where we may feel inadequate. The same goes for speaking or presentations.

- Fear of failure:

Dreaming about not being prepared for a test can also be related to a fear of failure or not living up to your own expectations and assumed expectations.

This can be related to our personal goals, societal pressures, or expectations from others.

- Lack of confidence: Dreaming about not being prepared for a test can also be related to low self-esteem or a lack of confidence in our abilities. This can be a reflection of our insecurities and the need to work on building our self-confidence.

- Need for preparation: Dreaming about not being prepared for a test can also be a reminder that we need to put in more effort and preparation in achieving desirable goals. This can be a wake-up call to take action where you've been afraid to step out in faith.

Overall, the reasons why people dream about not being prepared for a test can be complex and varied, and may depend on the specific context and narrative of the dream.

3. Dreams of teeth or hair falling out can have several meanings based on the context and narrative of the dream. Here are some common reasons why people may dream of teeth or hair falling out:

- **Loss of power or control:** Dreaming of losing teeth or hair can represent a fear of losing power, control, or influence in a certain situation. This can be related to work, relationships, or other areas of our lives where we feel like we are losing our grip.
- **Aging:** Dreams of hair or teeth falling out can also represent a fear of aging or losing our youthfulness. This can be related to our physical appearance or our ability to perform at the same level as we did in our younger years.
- **Insecurity:** This is one of the primary reasons dreams of hair or teeth falling out. Teeth and hair are examined in crimes where little evidence can be collected. These two specimens are go to case breakers when it comes to identifying DNA with subjects who's bodies have decayed. Hair and teeth represent identity.

This can be related to our self-esteem or our confidence in our abilities in Christ.

- Health issues: Dreams of hair or teeth falling out can also be related to health issues or concerns. This can be a reflection of our anxieties or worries about our own health or the health of our loved ones.

4. Dreams of flying:

Dreams of flying can have several meanings based on the context and narrative of the dream. Here are some common reasons why people may dream of flying:

- Freedom and liberation: Flying in a dream can represent a desire for freedom, independence, or a release from restrictions and limitations in one's life.

Flying can also represent freedom from demonic oppression.

- Flying can symbolize the need to escape from difficult situations or challenges, allowing the dreamer to rise above their problems and view them from a different perspective.

- Personal growth and ambition: Dreams of flying can also indicate personal growth, self-confidence, and ambition.

The ability to fly in a dream may signify that the dreamer is reaching new heights in their personal or professional life, overcoming obstacles, and achieving their goals.

- One of the main significance of flying in dreams speaks to greater spiritual authority. Flying in a dream can represent a desire to be closer to the Lord or a desire to see from Gods perspective.

“I was in the Spirit on the Lord’s day, and I heard behind me a loud voice like a trumpet”

Revelation 1:10

“He put out the form of a hand and took me by a lock of my head, and the Spirit lifted me up between earth and heaven and brought me in visions of God to Jerusalem, to the entrance of the gateway of the inner court that faces north, where was the seat of the image of jealousy, which provokes to jealousy. And behold, the glory of the God of Israel was there, like the vision that I saw in the valley.”

Ezekiel 8:3-4

5. Dreams of spiders can have several meanings based on the context and narrative of the dream. Here are some common reasons why people may dream of spiders:

- Fear and anxiety: Spiders often represent fears or anxieties in our waking life. Dreaming of spiders can indicate feelings of unease or concerns about certain situations or relationships.
- Creativity and productivity: Spiders are known for their intricate webs, which can symbolize creativity and hard work. Dreaming of spiders based on the context of the dream may represent the dreamer's desire to create something meaningful or to be more productive in their life.
- One of the main commonalities of spiders being seen in dreams can allude to deception, witchcraft, (female spider eating her mate), venomous spiders specifically seen such as black widows, brown recluse can represent accusation, slander. Spiders can represent hidden secrets, hidden sin (critters and pest).

Noticing a daddy long legged in your dream could symbolize a “long standing issue that you have yet to face or need to address.

6. Snakes are one of the most common themes people talk about concerning dreams.

Snakes can symbolize various things, according to the context of dream.

One of the least talked about meanings dealing with snakes being seen in their dreams can deal with transformation.

Acts 9:17-19 ESV reads:

“So Ananias departed and entered the house. And laying his hands on him he said, “Brother Saul, the Lord Jesus who appeared to you on the road by which you came has sent me so that you may regain your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit.” And immediately something like scales fell from his eyes, and he regained his sight. Then he rose and was baptized; and taking food, he was strengthened. For some days he was with the disciples at Damascus.”

Snakes shed their skin, which can represent personal growth, change, or renewal.

Scripture also says

“Therefore if anyone is in Christ [that is, grafted in, joined to Him by faith in Him as Savior], he is a new creature [reborn and renewed by the Holy Spirit]; the old things [the previous moral and spiritual condition] have passed away. Behold, new things have come [because spiritual awakening brings a new life].”

2 Corinthians 5:17

Snakes can also represent deception and betrayal: Snakes are often seen as cunning and deceptive creatures, so dreaming of snakes may indicate being deceived or betrayed in waking life. Snakes can be a symbol of hidden dangers or threats, particularly if they are lurking or hiding in your dream.

- Snakes with two or multiple heads can symbolize the workings of Leviathan. A sea creature featured in Isaiah and Job’s apocalyptic poetic literary books. Leviathan is mentioned several times in scripture as a coiling, gliding and fire breathing serpent.

“In that day the Lord will punish Leviathan the fleeing serpent With His fierce and great and mighty sword [rescuing Israel from her enemy], Even Leviathan the twisted serpent; And He will kill the dragon who lives in the sea.”

Isaiah 27:1

Double heads or multiple heads speak of a spirit of confusion and double mindedness. There is saying that says “Anything with two heads is a freak!

This is a tell tell sign that someone or something is attempting to invoke confusion in your life and is attempting to cause you to walk in a place of instability.

7. Another common and last theme we will dive into is dreaming of becoming pregnant.

Whether it's a boy a girl or twins, triplets etc. The womb represents a gate and a door way from the supernatural into the natural.

Being pregnant can represent carrying purpose and awaiting the promise. In biblical days a woman being able to carry children in the womb was a big deal. A barren woman would have been considered an outcast is why you see God vindicating such women in Bible like Sarah, Hannah and Rebekah to name a few.

- Dreaming of getting pregnant speaks about one who is open minded and having a teachable spirit. One who is willing to receive constructive criticism and blessings. The emphasis here is one who receives willingly.

“And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end.” And Mary said to the angel, “How will this be, since I am a virgin?” And the angel answered her, “The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born will be called holy—the Son of God. And behold, your relative Elizabeth in her old age has also conceived a son, and this is the sixth month with her who was called barren. For nothing will be impossible with God.” And Mary said, “Behold, I am the servant of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word.” And the angel departed from her.”

Luke 1:31-38 ESV

- Being pregnant speaks about one who is waiting on their purpose to manifest. This entails seasonal transitions, coming through and into the new.

“So Ahab went up to eat and to drink. And Elijah went up to the top of Mount Carmel. And he bowed himself down on the earth and put his face between his knees. And he said to his servant, “Go up now, look toward the sea.” And he went up and looked and said, “There is nothing.” And he said, “Go again,” seven times. And at the seventh time he said, “Behold, a little cloud like a man’s hand is rising from the sea.” And he said, “Go up, say to Ahab, ‘Prepare your chariot and go down, lest the rain stop you.’” And in a little while the heavens grew black with clouds and wind, and there was a great rain. And Ahab rode and went to Jezreel. And the hand of the Lord was on Elijah, and he gathered up his garment and ran before Ahab to the entrance of Jezreel.”

1 Kings 18:42-46 ESV

•Watching the baby being born speaks of NOW season. It speaks of crossing over the threshold of joy or possessing a time of joy and intimacy.

- Having a male speaks of establishing inheritance and lineage.

- Having a girl speaks of the ability to conceive and carry weighty matters and speaks of a mantle for intercession.

I hope and pray that this e-book has brought some clarity to how and why you dream consistently in these themes and would push to know more about what the Lord is saying to you about you.

I call you blessed and healed in Jesus name.

Eric Jeremiah Rose

was Born in Columbia,
South Carolina and
raised a Dallas native.



He is the senior leader
and co-founder of
***Adullam International
Ministries*** alongside his lovely wife *Cynthia Monroe
Rose*.

Erich is a husband, father, minstrel and mentor.

Erich is the author of several books and one of the
leading voices in the area of the prophetic dreams and
visions.

He is currently an apostolic counsel member of
Freedom Crusades, an evangelistic missions based
ministry with a heavy foot print in Latin America.

Erich and Cynthia currently reside in Escondido,
California and have a beautiful blended family of eight
children and two grandkids.



To learn more about our ministry,
courses, merchandise,
or give a love offering,
please scan QR code below.



