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¹ The Words of **Jeremiah** the son of Hilkiah, of the priests that were in Anathoth in the land of Benjamin:

Jeremiah - [OT:3414](#) יְרֵמְיָהוּ **Yirmeyah** (yir-meh-yaw'); or **Yirmeyahuw** (yir-meh-yaw'-hoo); from [OT:7311](#) and [OT:3050](#); Jah will rise; Jirmejah, the name of eight or nine Israelites: **KJV** - Jeremiah.

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² To whom the Word of the LORD came in the days of Josiah the son of Amon king of Judah, in the thirteenth [13th] year of his reign.

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³ It came also in the **days of Jehoiakim** the son of Josiah king of Judah, unto the end of the eleventh year of Zedekiah the son of Josiah king of Judah, unto the carrying away of Jerusalem captive in the [11th] fifth [5th] month.

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⁴ Then the Word of the LORD came unto me, saying,

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⁵ **Before I formed thee in the belly I knew thee; and before thou camest forth out of the womb I sanctified thee, and I ordained thee a prophet unto the nations.**

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⁶ Then said I, Ah, Lord GOD! behold, I cannot speak: for I am a child.

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⁷ But the LORD said unto me, **Say not, I am a child:** for thou shalt go to all that I shall send thee, and **whatsoever I command thee thou shalt speak.**

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⁸ **Be not afraid of their faces: for I am with thee to deliver thee,** saith the LORD.

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⁹ Then the LORD put forth his hand, and **touched my mouth.** And the LORD said unto me, **Behold, I have put my Words in thy mouth.**

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¹⁰ See, I have this day **set thee over the nations and over the kingdoms**, to **root out**, and to **pull down**, and to **destroy**, and to **throw down**, to build [build, repair], and to **plant**.

Root out - [OT:5428](#) שָׁרַף **nathash** (naw-thash'); a primitive root; to tear away:

KJV - destroy, forsake, pluck (out, up, by the roots), pull up, root out (up), ^x utterly.

Pull down - [OT:5422](#) שָׁרַף **nathats** (naw-thats'); a primitive root; to tear down:

KJV - beat down, break down (out), cast down, destroy, overthrow, pull down, throw down.

Destroy - [OT:6](#) אָבַד **'abad** (aw-bad'); a primitive root; properly, to wander away, i.e. lose oneself; by implication to perish (causative, destroy):

KJV - break, destroy (-uction), ⁺ not escape, fail, lose, (cause to, make) perish, spend, ^x and surely, take, be undone, ^x utterly, be void of, have no way to flee.

Throw down - [OT:2040](#) הָרַס **harac** (haw-ras'); a primitive root; to pull down or in pieces, break, destroy:

KJV - beat down, break (down, through), destroy, overthrow, pluck down, pull down, ruin, throw down, ^x utterly.

Plant - [OT:5193](#) נָטַע **nata`** (naw-tah'); a primitive root; properly, to strike in, i.e. fix; specifically, to plant (literally or figuratively): **KJV** - fastened, plant (-er).

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¹¹ Moreover the Word of the LORD came unto me, saying, Jeremiah, what seest thou? And I said, I see a **rod of an almond tree**.

Rod - [OT:4731](#) מַקְלֵל **maqql** (mak-kale;); or (feminine) **maqqlah** (mak-kel-aw'); from an unused root meaning apparently to germinate; a shoot, i.e. stick (with leaves on, or for walking, striking, guiding, divining): **KJV** - rod, ([hand]staff.

Almond tree - [OT:8247](#) שָׁקֵד **shaqed** (shaw-kade'); from [OT:8245](#); the almond (tree or nut; as being the earliest in bloom): **KJV** - almond (tree).

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¹² Then said the LORD unto me, Thou hast well seen: for **I will hasten my Word to perform it**.

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¹³ And the Word of the LORD came unto me the second [2nd] time, saying, What seest thou? And I said, I see a **seething pot [pan]**; and the **face thereof is toward the north**.

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¹⁴ Then the LORD said unto me, **Out of the north an evil shall break forth upon all the inhabitants of the land**.

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¹⁵ For, lo, I will call all the families of the kingdoms of the north, saith the LORD; and they shall come, and they shall set every one his throne at the entering of the gates of Jerusalem, and against all the walls thereof round about, and against all the cities of Judah.

Throne - [OT:3678](#) כִּסֵּא **kicce'** (kis-say'); or **kicceh** (kis-say'); from [OT:3680](#); properly, covered, i.e. a throne (as canopied): **KJV** - seat, stool, throne.

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¹⁶ And I will utter my judgments against them touching all their wickedness, who have **forsaken me**, and have **burned incense unto other gods**, and **worshipped the works of their own hands**.

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¹⁷ Thou therefore gird up thy loins, and arise, and speak unto them all that I command thee: **be not dismayed at their faces, lest I confound thee before them**.

Dismayed - [OT:2865](#) חָתַח **chathath** (khaw-thath'); a primitive root; properly, to prostrate; hence, to break down, either (literally) by violence, or (figuratively) by confusion and fear:

KJV - abolish, affright, be (make) afraid, amaze, beat down, discourage, (cause to) dismay, go down, scare, terrify.

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¹⁸ For, behold, I have made thee this day a **defenced city**, and an **iron pillar**, and **brasen walls** against the whole land, against the kings of Judah, against the princes thereof, against the priests thereof, and against the people of the land.

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¹⁹ And they shall fight against thee; but they shall not prevail against thee; for **I am with thee, saith the LORD, to deliver thee**.

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¹ Moreover the Word of the LORD came to me, saying,

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² Go and cry in the ears of Jerusalem, saying, Thus saith the LORD; I remember thee, the kindness of thy youth, the **love of thine espousals**, when thou **wentest after me in the wilderness**, in a land that was not sown.

Kindness - [OT:2617](#) כֶּחֶד **cheded** (kheh'-sed); from [OT:2616](#); kindness; by implication (towards God) piety: rarely (by opposition) reproof, or (subject.) beauty:

KJV - favour, good deed (-liness, -ness), kindly, (loving-) kindness, merciful (kindness), mercy, pity, reproach, wicked thing.

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³ Israel was holiness unto the LORD, and the firstfruits of his increase: all that devour him shall offend; **evil shall come upon them**, saith the LORD.

Offend - [OT:816](#) אָשָׁם 'asham (aw-sham'); or 'ashem (aw-shame'); a primitive root; to be guilty; by implication to be punished or perish:

KJV - ^x certainly, be (-come, made) desolate, destroy, ^x greatly, be (-come, found, hold) guilty, offend (acknowledge offence), trespass.

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⁴ Hear ye the Word of the LORD, O house of Jacob, and all the families of the house of Israel:

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⁵ Thus saith the LORD, **What iniquity have your fathers found in me, that they are gone far from me, and have walked after vanity, and are become vain?**

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⁶ Neither said they, Where is the LORD that brought us up out of the land of Egypt, that led us through the wilderness, through a land of deserts and of pits, through a land of drought, and of the shadow of death, through a land that no man passed through, and where no man dwelt?

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⁷ And I brought you into a plentiful country, to eat the fruit thereof and the goodness thereof; but when ye entered, ye **defiled my land, and made mine heritage an abomination.**

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⁸The priests said not, Where is the LORD? and they that handle the law knew me not: the **pastors also transgressed against me**, and the **prophets prophesied by Baal, and walked after things that do not profit.**

Pastors - [OT:7462](#) רָעָה **ra`ah** (raw-aw'); a primitive root; to tend a flock; i.e. pasture it; intransitively, to graze (literally or figuratively); generally to rule; by extension, to associate with (as a friend):

KJV - ^xbreak, companion, keep company with, devour, eat up, evil entreat, feed, use as a friend, make friendship with, herdman, keep [sheep]-), pastor, ⁺ shearing house, shepherd, wander, waste.

Transgressed - [OT:6586](#) עָשָׂה **pasha`** (paw-shah'); a primitive root [identical with [OT:6585](#) through the idea of expansion]; to break away (from just authority), i.e. trespass, apostatize, quarrel: **KJV** -offend, rebel, revolt, transgress (-ion,-or)

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⁹Wherefore **I will yet plead with you**, saith the LORD, and with your children's children will I plead.

Plead - [OT:7378](#) רִיב **riyb** (reeb); or **ruwb** (roob); a primitive root; properly, to toss, i.e. grapple; mostly figuratively, to wrangle, i.e. hold a controversy; (by implication) to defend:

KJV - adversary, chide, complain, contend, debate, ^xever, ^xlay wait, plead, rebuke, strive, ^xthoroughly.

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¹⁰For pass over the isles of Chittim, and see; and send unto Kedar, and consider diligently, and see if there be such a thing.

Consider - [OT:995](#) בִּיַן **biyn** (bene); a primitive root; to separate mentally (or distinguish), i.e.(generally) understand:

KJV - attend, consider, be cunning, diligently, direct, discern, eloquent, feel, inform, instruct, have intelligence, know, look well to, mark, perceive, be prudent, regard, (can) skill (-full), teach, think, (cause, make to, get, give, have) understand (-ing), view, (deal) wise (-ly, man).

Diligently - [OT:3966](#) מְאֹד **me`od** (meh-ode'); from the same as [OT:181](#); properly, vehemence, i.e. (with or without preposition) vehemently; by implication, wholly, speedily, etc. (often with other words as an intensive or superlative; especially when repeated):

KJV - diligently, especially, exceeding (-ly), far, fast, good, great (-ly), ^xlouder and louder, might (-ily, -y), (so) much, quickly, (so) sore, utterly, very (+much, sore), well.

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¹¹ Hath a nation changed their gods, which are yet no gods? but **my people have changed their glory for that which doth not profit.**

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¹² **Be astonished [stunned]**, O ye heavens, at this, and be **horribly afraid**, be ye very **desolate**, saith the LORD.

Desolate - [OT:2717](#) **חָרַב** **charab** (khaw-rab'); or **chareb** (khaw-rabe'); a primitive root; to parch (through drought) i.e. (by analogy,) to desolate, destroy, kill: **KJV** - decay, (be) desolate, destroy (-er), (be) dry (up), slay, ^xsurely, (lay, lie, make) waste.

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¹³ For my people have **committed two evils**; they have **forsaken me the fountain of living waters**, and **hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water.**

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¹⁴ Is Israel a servant? is he a homeborn slave? why is he spoiled?

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¹⁵ The young lions roared upon him, and yelled, and they made his land waste: his cities are burned without inhabitant.

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¹⁶ Also the children of Noph and Tahapanes have broken the crown of thy head.

Noph - [OT:5297](#) **נֹפֶת** **Noph** (nofe); a variation of [OT:4644](#); Noph, the capital of Upper Egypt: **KJV** - Noph.

Tahapanes - [OT:8471](#) **תַּחְפַּנְחֶס** **Tachpanchec** (takh-pan-khace'); or **Techaphnechec** ([Ezek 30:18](#)) (tekhaf-nekh-ace'); or **Tachpenec** ([Jer 2:16](#)) (takh-pen-ace'); of Egyptian derivation; Tachpanches, Techaphneches or Tachpenes, a place in Egypt: **KJV** - Tahapanes, Tahpanhes, Tehaphnehes.

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¹⁷ Hast thou not procured [accomplished] this unto thyself, in that thou hast **forsaken the LORD thy God**, when he led thee by the way?

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¹⁸ And now what hast thou to do in the **way of Egypt**, to **drink the waters of Sihor**? or what hast thou to do in the **way of Assyria**, to **drink the waters of the river**?

Sihor - [OT:7883](#) **שִׁיחֹר** **Shiychowr** (shee-khore'); or **Shichowr** (shee-khore'); or **Shichor** (shee-khore'); probably from [OT:7835](#); dark, i.e. turbid; Shichor, a stream of Egypt: **KJV** - Shihor, Sihor.

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¹⁹ Thine own wickedness shall correct thee, and thy backslidings shall reprove thee: know therefore and see that **it is an evil thing and bitter**, that thou hast **forsaken the LORD thy God**, and that my **fear is not in thee**, saith the Lord GOD of hosts.

Correct - [OT:3256](#) יָסַר **yacar** (yaw-sar'); a primitive root; to chastise, literally (with blows) or figuratively (with words); hence, to instruct:

KJV - bind, chasten, chastise, correct, instruct, punish, reform, reprove, sore, teach.

Backslidings - [OT:4878](#) מְשׁוּבָה **meshuwbah** (mesh-oo-baw'); or **meshubah** (mesh-oo-baw'); from [OT:7725](#); apostasy: **KJV** - backsliding, turning away.

Reprove - [OT:3198](#) יָכַח **yakach** (yaw-kahh'); a primitive root; to be right (i.e. correct); reciprocal, to argue; causatively, to decide, justify or convict: -appoint, argue, chasten, convince, correct (-ion), daysman, dispute, judge, maintain, plead, reason (together), rebuke, reprove (-r), surely, in any wise.

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²⁰ For of old time I have broken thy yoke, and burst thy bands; and thou saidst, I will not transgress; when upon every high hill and under every green tree thou wanderest, playing the harlot.

Wanderest - [OT:6808](#) טָעָה **tsa`ah** (tsaw-aw'); a primitive root; to tip over (for the purpose of spilling or pouring out), i.e. (figuratively) depopulate; by implication, to imprison or conquer; (reflexive) to lie down (for coitus):

KJV - captive exile, travelling, (cause to) wander (-er).

Playing the harlot - [OT:2181](#) זָנָה **zanah** (zaw-naw'); a primitive root [highly-fed and therefore wanton]; to commit adultery (usually of the female, and less often of simple fornication, rarely of involuntary ravishment); figuratively, to commit idolatry (the Jewish people being regarded as the spouse of Jehovah):

KJV - (cause to) commit fornication, ^xcontinually, ^xgreat, (be an, play the) harlot, (cause to be, play the) whore, (commit, fall to) whoredom, (cause to) go a-whoring, whorish.

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²¹ Yet I had **planted thee a noble vine**, wholly a **right seed**: how **then art thou turned into the degenerate plant of a strange vine unto me?**

Noble vine - [OT:8321](#) שֹׂרֵק **soreq** (so-rake'); or **sowreq** (so-rake'); and (feminine) soreqah (soray-kaw'); from [OT:8319](#) in the sense of redness (compare [OT:8320](#)); a vine stock (properly, one yielding purple grapes, the richest variety):

KJV - choice (-st, noble) wine. Compare [OT:8291](#).

Degenerate - [OT:5494](#) סוּר **cuwr** (soor); probably passive participle of [OT:5493](#); turned off, i.e. deteriorated: **KJV** - degenerate.

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²² For though thou wash thee with nitre, and take thee much soap, yet thine iniquity is marked before me, saith the Lord GOD.

Wash - [OT:3526](#) כָּבַס **kabac** (kaw-bas'); a primitive root; to trample; hence, to wash (properly, by stamping with the feet), whether literal (including the fulling process) or figurative: **KJV** - fuller, wash (-ing).

Nitre - [OT:5427](#) נִתְרָה **nether** (neh'-ther); from [OT:5425](#); mineral potash (so called from effervescing with acid): **KJV** - nitre.

Soap - [OT:1287](#) בִּרְיֹת **boryth** (bo-reeth'); feminine of [OT:1253](#); vegetable alkali: **KJV** - sope.

Iniquity - [OT:5771](#) עָוֹן **`avon** (aw-vone'); or `avown ([2 Kings 7:9](#); [Ps 51:5](#) [[OT:7](#)]) (aw-vone'); from [OT:5753](#); perversity, i.e. (moral) evil: **KJV** - fault, iniquity, mischeif, punishment (of iniquity), sin.

Marked - [OT:3799](#) כָּתַם **katham** (kaw-tham'); a primitive root; properly, to carve or engrave, i.e. (by implication) to inscribe indelibly: **KJV** - mark.

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²³ How canst thou say, I am not polluted, I have not gone after Baalim? see thy way in the valley, know what thou hast done: **thou art a swift dromedary traversing [interlacing, intermingling] her ways**;

Swift - [OT:7031](#) קָל **qal** (kal); contracted from [OT:7043](#); light; (by implication) rapid (also adverbial): **KJV** - light, swift (-ly).

Dromedary - [OT:1072](#) בִּכְרָה **bikrah** (bik-raw'); feminine of [OT:1070](#); a young she-camel: **KJV** - dromedary.

Ways - [OT:1870](#) דֶּרֶךְ **derek** (deh'-rek); from [OT:1869](#); a road (as trodden); figuratively, a course of life or mode of action, often adverb: **KJV** - along, away, because of, + by, conversation, custom, [east-] ward, journey, manner, passenger, through, toward, [high-] [path-] way [-side], whither [-soever].

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²⁴ A wild ass used to the wilderness, that snuffeth up the wind at her pleasure; in her occasion who can turn her away? all they that seek her will not **weary themselves**; in her month they shall find her.

Snuffeth up - [OT:7602](#) שָׂאָף **sha'aph** (shaw-af'); a primitive root; to inhale eagerly; figuratively, to cover; by implication, to be angry; also to hasten: **KJV** - desire (earnestly), devour, haste, pant, snuff up, swallow up.

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²⁵ Withhold thy foot from being unshod, and thy throat from thirst: but thou saidst, **There is no hope: no; for I have loved strangers, and after them will I go.**

unshod - [OT:3182](#) יָחֵפֶּה **yacheph** (yaw-khafe'); from an unused root meaning to take off the shoes; unsandalled: **KJV** - barefoot, being unshod.

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²⁶ As the **thief is ashamed when he is found**, so is the house of Israel ashamed; they, their kings, their princes, and their priests, and their prophets.

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²⁷ Saying to a stock, Thou art my father; and to a stone, Thou hast brought me forth: for they have **turned their back** unto me, and **not their face**: but in the **time of their trouble they will say, Arise, and save us.**

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²⁸ But **where are thy gods** that thou hast made thee? let them arise, if they **can save thee in the time of thy trouble**: for according to the number of thy cities are thy gods, O Judah.

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²⁹ Wherefore will ye plead with me? ye all have **transgressed** against me, saith the LORD.

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³⁰ In vain have I smitten your children; they **received no correction**: your own sword hath **devoured your prophets**, like a destroying lion.

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³¹ O generation, see ye the Word of the LORD. Have I been a wilderness unto **Israel? a land of darkness? wherefore say my people, We are lords; we will come no more unto thee?**

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³² Can a maid forget her ornaments, or a bride her attire? yet **my people have forgotten me days without number.**

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³³ Why trimmest thou thy way to seek love? therefore hast thou also taught the wicked ones thy ways.

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³⁴ Also in thy skirts is found the blood of the **souls of the poor [destitute] innocents**: I have not found it by secret search, but upon all these.

Secret search - [OT:4290](#) מַחְתֵּרֶת **machtereth** (makh-teh'-reth); from [OT:2864](#); a burglary; figuratively, unexpected examination:
KJV - breaking up, secret search.

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³⁵ Yet thou sayest, Because I am innocent, surely his anger shall turn from me. **Behold, I will plead with thee, because thou sayest, I have not sinned.**

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³⁶ Why gaddest thou about so much to change thy way? thou also shalt be ashamed of Egypt, as thou wast ashamed of Assyria.

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³⁷ Yea, thou shalt go forth from him, and thine hands upon thine head: for the LORD hath **rejected thy confidences**, and **thou shalt not prosper in them.**

Rejected - [OT:3988](#) מָאַסׁ **ma'ac** (maw-as'); a primitive root; to spurn; also (intransitively) to disappear:

KJV - abhor, cast away (off), contemn, despise, disdain, (become) loathe (some), melt away, refuse, reject, reprobate, ^xutterly, vile person.

Confidences - [OT:4009](#) מִבְּטָחׁ **mibtach** (mib-tawkh'); from [OT:982](#); properly, a refuge, i.e. (objective) security, or (subjective) assurance:

KJV - confidence, hope, sure, trust.

Not prosper - [OT:6743](#) צָלַחׁ **tsalach** (tsaw-lakh'); or **tsaleach** (tsaw-lay'-akh); a primitive root; to push forward, in various senses (literal or figurative, transitive or intransitive):

KJV - break out, come (mightily), go over, be good, be meet, be profitable, (cause to, effect, make to, send) prosper (-ity, -ous, -ously).

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¹ They say, **If a man put away his wife, and she go from him, and become another man's, shall he return unto her again?** shall not that land be **greatly polluted?** but thou hast **played the harlot with many lovers; yet return again to me, saith the LORD.**

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² Lift up thine eyes unto the high places, and see where thou hast not been lien with. In the ways hast thou sat for them, as the Arabian in the wilderness; and thou hast **polluted the land with thy whoredoms and with thy wickedness.**

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³ Therefore the showers have been withholden, and there hath been **no latter rain;** and thou hadst a **whore's forehead,** thou **refusedst to be ashamed.**

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⁴ Wilt thou not from this time cry unto me, My father, thou art the guide of my youth?

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⁵ **Will he reserve his anger for ever?** will he keep it to the end? Behold, thou hast spoken and done evil things as thou couldest.

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⁶ The LORD said also unto me **in the days of Josiah the king,** Hast thou seen that which **backsliding Israel** hath done? she is gone up upon every high mountain and under every green tree, and there hath **played the harlot.**

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⁷ And I said after she had done all these things, Turn thou unto me. But **she returned not.** And **her treacherous sister Judah saw it.**

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⁸ And I saw, when for all the causes whereby **backsliding Israel committed adultery** I had **put her away,** and **given her a bill of divorce;** yet **her treacherous sister Judah feared not,** but **went and played the harlot** also.

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⁹ And it came to pass through the **lightness of her whoredom,** that **she defiled the land,** and **committed adultery** with stones and with stocks.

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¹⁰ And yet for all this her **treacherous sister Judah hath not turned unto me with her whole heart**, but **feignedly**, saith the LORD.

Feignedly - [OT:8267](#) שֶׁקֶר **sheqer** (sheh'-ker); from [OT:8266](#); an untruth; by implication, a sham (often adverbial):

KJV - without a cause, deceit (-ful), false (-hood, -ly), feignedly, liar, + lie, lying, vain (thing), wrongfully.

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¹¹ And the LORD said unto me, The backsliding Israel hath **justified herself** more than **treacherous Judah**.

Treacherous - [OT:898](#) בָּגַד **bagad** (baw-gad'); a primitive root; to cover (with a garment); figuratively, to act covertly; by implication, to pillage:

KJV - deal deceitfully (treacherously, unfaithfully), offend, transgress (-or), (depart), treacherous (dealer, -ly, man), unfaithful (-ly, man), ^xvery.

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¹² Go and proclaim these Words toward the north, and say, **Return, thou backsliding Israel**, saith the LORD; and **I will not cause mine anger to fall upon you: for I am merciful**, saith the LORD, and **I will not keep anger for ever**.

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¹³ Only **acknowledge thine iniquity**, that thou hast **transgressed against the LORD thy God**, and hast **scattered thy ways to the strangers** under every green tree, and ye **have not obeyed my voice**, saith the LORD.

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¹⁴ Turn, O backsliding children, saith the LORD; for **I am married unto you**: and I will take you one of a city, and two of a family, and **I will bring you to Zion**:

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¹⁵ And **I will give you pastors according to mine heart, which shall feed you with knowledge and understanding**.

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¹⁶ And it shall come to pass, when ye be multiplied and increased in the land, in those days, saith the LORD, they shall say no more, The ark of the covenant of the LORD: neither shall it come to mind: neither shall they remember it; neither shall they visit it; neither shall that be done any more.

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¹⁷ At that time they shall call **Jerusalem the throne of the LORD**; and all the **nations shall be gathered unto it, to the name of the LORD**, to Jerusalem: neither shall they **walk any more after the imagination of their evil heart**.

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¹⁸ In those days the house of Judah shall walk with the house of Israel, and they shall come together out of the land of the north to the land that I have given for an inheritance unto your fathers.

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¹⁹ But I said, How shall I put thee among the children, and give thee a pleasant land, a goodly heritage of the hosts of nations? and I said, **Thou shalt call me, My father; and shalt not turn away from me**.

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²⁰ Surely as **a wife treacherously departeth from her husband**, so have ye **dealt treacherously with me, O house of Israel**, saith the LORD.

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²¹ A voice was heard upon the high places, weeping and supplications of the children of Israel: for **they have perverted their way**, and they have **forgotten the LORD their God**.

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²² Return, ye **backsliding children**, and **I will heal your backslidings**. Behold, we come unto thee; for thou art the LORD our God.

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²³ Truly **in vain** is salvation hoped for from the hills, and from the multitude of mountains: truly in the LORD our **God is the salvation of Israel**.

Jeremiah 3

²⁴ For **shame hath devoured the labour** of our fathers from our youth; their flocks and their herds, their sons and their daughters.

Jeremiah 3

²⁵ We **lie down** in our shame, and our **confusion covereth** us: for we have **sinned against the LORD our God**, we and our fathers, from our youth even unto this day, and have not obeyed the voice of the LORD our God.

lie down - [OT:7901](#) שָׁכַב **shakab** (shaw-kab'); a primitive root; to lie down (for rest, sexual connection, decease or any other purpose):

KJV - ^xat all, cast down, ([lover-]) lay (self) (down), (make to) lie (down, down to sleep, still with), lodge, ravish, take rest, sleep, stay.

Jeremiah 4

Jeremiah 4

¹ **If thou wilt return**, O Israel, saith the LORD, return unto me: and if thou wilt **put away thine abominations out of my sight, then shalt thou not remove.**

Jeremiah 4

² And thou shalt swear, **The LORD liveth, in truth, in judgment, and in righteousness**; and the nations shall bless themselves in him, and in him shall they glory.

Jeremiah 4

³ For thus saith the LORD to the men of Judah and Jerusalem, Break up your fallow ground [freshly plowed], and **sow not among thorns.**

Jeremiah 4

⁴ **Circumcise yourselves** to the LORD, and **take away the foreskins of your heart**, ye men of Judah and inhabitants of Jerusalem: lest my **fury come forth like fire, and burn that none can quench it, because of the evil of your doings.**

Jeremiah 4

⁵ **Declare** ye in Judah, and **publish** in Jerusalem; and say, **Blow ye the trumpet in the land**: cry, gather together, and say, **Assemble yourselves, and let us go into the defenced cities.**

Jeremiah 4

⁶ Set up the standard toward **Zion**: retire, stay not: for **I will bring evil from the north, and a great destruction.**

Jeremiah 4

⁷ The lion is come up from his thicket, and the destroyer of the Gentiles is on his way; he is gone forth from his place to make thy land desolate; and thy cities shall be laid waste, without an inhabitant.

Jeremiah 4

⁸ For this gird you with sackcloth, lament and howl: for **the fierce anger of the LORD is not turned back from us.**

Jeremiah 4

⁹ And it shall come to pass at **that day**, saith the LORD, that **the heart of the king shall perish, and the heart of the princes; and the priests shall be astonished, and the prophets shall wonder.**

Jeremiah 4

Jeremiah 4

¹⁰ Then said I, Ah, Lord GOD! surely thou hast **greatly deceived this people** and Jerusalem, saying, Ye shall have peace; whereas the sword reacheth unto the soul.

Greatly deceived - [OT:5377](#) נָשָׂא **nasha'** (naw-shaw'); a primitive root; to lead astray, i.e. (mentally) to delude, or (morally) to seduce:

KJV - beguile, deceive, ~~x~~ greatly, ~~x~~ utterly.

Jeremiah 4

¹¹ At that time shall it be said to this people and to Jerusalem, A dry wind of the high places in the wilderness toward the daughter of my people, not to fan, nor to cleanse,

Jeremiah 4

¹² Even a full wind from those places shall come unto me: now also will **I give sentence against them.**

Jeremiah 4

¹³ Behold, he shall **come up as clouds**, and his **chariots shall be as a whirlwind**: his **horses are swifter than eagles**. **Woe unto us! for we are spoiled.**

Spoiled - [OT:7703](#) שָׁדַד **shadad** (shaw-dad'); a primitive root; properly, to be burly, i.e. (figuratively) powerful (passively, impregnable); by implication, to ravage:

KJV - dead, destroy (-er), oppress, robber, spoil (-er), ~~x~~ utterly, (lay) waste.

Jeremiah 4

¹⁴ O Jerusalem, **wash thine heart from wickedness**, that thou **mayest be saved**. How long shall thy **vain thoughts** lodge within thee?

Jeremiah 4

¹⁵ For a **voice declareth** from Dan, and **publisheth affliction** from mount Ephraim.

Jeremiah 4

¹⁶ Make ye mention to the nations; behold, publish against Jerusalem, that watchers come from a far country, and give out their voice against the cities of Judah.

Jeremiah 4

¹⁷ As keepers of a field, are they against her round about; because she **hath been rebellious against me**, saith the LORD.

Rebellious - [OT:4784](#) מָרָא **marah** (maw-raw'); a primitive root; to be (causatively, make) bitter (or unpleasant); (figuratively) to rebel (or resist; causatively, to provoke):

KJV - bitter, change, be disobedient, disobey, grievously, provocation, provoke (-ing), (be) rebel (against, -lious).

Jeremiah 4

Jeremiah 4

¹⁸ Thy way and thy doings have procured these things unto thee; this is thy wickedness, because it is **bitter**, because **it reacheth unto thine heart**.

Jeremiah 4

¹⁹ My bowels, my bowels! I am **pained at my very heart**; my **heart maketh a noise in me**; I **cannot hold my peace**, because thou hast heard, **O my soul, the sound of the trumpet, the alarm of war**.

Jeremiah 4

²⁰ **Destruction upon destruction** is cried; for **the whole land is spoiled**: suddenly are my tents spoiled, and my curtains in a moment.

Jeremiah 4

²¹ How long shall I **see the standard**, and **hear the sound** of the trumpet?

Jeremiah 4

²² **For my people is foolish, they have not known me; they are sottish children, and they have none understanding: they are wise to do evil, but to do good they have no knowledge**.

Jeremiah 4

²³ I beheld the earth, and, lo, it was without form, and void; and the heavens, and **they had no light**.

Jeremiah 4

²⁴ I beheld the **mountains**, and, lo, they trembled, and all the **hills moved lightly**.

Jeremiah 4

²⁵ I beheld, and, lo, there was **no man**, and all the **birds of the heavens were fled**.

Jeremiah 4

²⁶ I beheld, and, lo, **the fruitful place was a wilderness**, and all the cities thereof were broken down at the presence of the LORD, and by His fierce anger.

Jeremiah 4

²⁷ For thus hath the LORD said, The whole land shall be **desolate**; **yet will I not make a full end**.

Jeremiah 4

Jeremiah 4

²⁸ For this shall the **earth mourn**, and the **heavens above be black**; because I have **spoken** it, I have **purposed** it, and **will not repent**, **neither will I turn back from it**.

Jeremiah 4

²⁹ The **whole city shall flee** for the noise of the horsemen and bowmen; they shall go into thickets, and climb up upon the rocks: **every city shall be forsaken, and not a man dwell therein**.

Jeremiah 4

³⁰ And when thou art spoiled, what wilt thou do? Though thou clothest thyself with crimson, though thou deckest thee with ornaments of gold, though thou rentest thy face with painting, in vain shalt thou make thyself fair; **thy lovers will despise thee, they will seek thy life**.

Jeremiah 4

³¹ For I have heard a voice as of a woman in travail, and the anguish as of her that bringeth forth her first child, the voice of the daughter of Zion, that bewaileth herself, that spreadeth her hands, saying, **Woe is me now! for my soul is wearied because of murderers**.

Jeremiah 5

Jeremiah 5

¹ Run ye to and fro through the streets of Jerusalem, and see now, and know, and **seek in the broad places** thereof, if ye can find a man, if there be any that **executeth judgment**, that **seeketh the truth**; and **I will pardon it**.

Jeremiah 5

² And though they say, The LORD liveth; surely they swear falsely.

Jeremiah 5

³ O LORD, are not thine eyes upon the truth? thou hast **stricken** them, but they have **not grieved**; thou hast **consumed** them, but they have **refused to receive correction**: they have **made their faces harder** than a rock; they have **refused to return**.

Jeremiah 5

⁴ Therefore I said, **Surely these are poor**; they are **foolish**: for they **know not the way** of the LORD, **nor the judgment** of their God.

Jeremiah 5

⁵ I will get me unto the great men, and will speak unto them; for they have known the way of the LORD, and the judgment of their God: but these have altogether broken the yoke, and burst the bonds.

Jeremiah 5

⁶ Wherefore a **lion out of the forest shall slay them**, and a **wolf of the evenings shall spoil them**, a **leopard shall watch over their cities**: every **one that goeth out thence shall be torn in pieces**: because their **transgressions are many**, and their **backslidings are increased**.

Jeremiah 5

⁷ How shall I pardon thee for this? thy children have **forsaken me**, and sworn by them that are no gods: when I had **fed them to the full**, they then **committed adultery**, and **assembled themselves by troops in the harlots' houses**.

Jeremiah 5

⁸ They were as **fed horses in the morning**: every **one neighed after his neighbour's wife**.

Jeremiah 5

⁹ Shall I not visit for these things? saith the LORD: and shall not my soul be **avenged** on such a nation as this?

Jeremiah 5

¹⁰ Go ye up upon her walls, and destroy; but **make not a full end**: **take away her battlements**; for they are not the LORD's.

Jeremiah 5

Jeremiah 5

¹¹ For the house of Israel and the house of Judah have **dealt very treacherously against me**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 5

¹² They have **belied the LORD**, and said, It is not he; neither shall evil come upon us; neither shall we see sword nor famine:

Belied - [OT:3584](#) **כָּחַשׁ** **kachash** (kaw-khash'); a primitive root; to be untrue, in word (to lie, feign, disown) or deed (to disappoint, fail, cringe):

KJV - deceive, deny, dissemble, fail, deal falsely, be found liars, (be-) lie, lying, submit selves.

Jeremiah 5

¹³ And the **prophets shall become wind**, and **the word is not in them**: thus shall it be done unto them.

Jeremiah 5

¹⁴ Wherefore thus saith the LORD God of hosts, Because ye speak this word, behold, I will make my **Words in thy mouth fire**, and this **people wood**, and **it shall devour them**.

Jeremiah 5

¹⁵ Lo, I will bring a nation upon you from far, O house of Israel, saith the LORD: it is a mighty nation, it is an ancient nation, a nation whose language thou knowest not, neither understandest what they say.

Jeremiah 5

¹⁶ **Their quiver is as an open sepulchre**, they are all mighty men.

Jeremiah 5

¹⁷ And they shall eat up thine harvest, and thy bread, which thy sons and thy daughters should eat: they shall eat up thy flocks and thine herds: **they shall eat up thy vines and thy fig trees**: they shall **impoverish thy fenced cities**, wherein thou **trustedst, with the sword**.

Jeremiah 5

¹⁸ Nevertheless **in those days**, saith the LORD, **I will not make a full end with you**.

Jeremiah 5

¹⁹ And it shall come to pass, when ye shall say, Wherefore doeth the LORD our God all these things unto us? then shalt thou answer them, Like as ye have **forsaken me**, and served strange gods in your land, so shall ye serve strangers in a land that is not your's.

Jeremiah 5

Jeremiah 5

²⁰ **Declare this in the house of Jacob, and publish it in Judah, saying,**

Jeremiah 5

²¹ Hear now this, O foolish people, and **without understanding**; which **have eyes, and see not**; which have **ears, and hear not**:

Jeremiah 5

²² Fear ye not me? saith the LORD: will ye not **tremble at my presence**, which have placed the sand for the bound of the sea by a perpetual decree, that it cannot pass it: and though the waves thereof toss themselves, yet can they not prevail; though they roar, yet can they not pass over it?

Jeremiah 5

²³ **But this people hath a revolting and a rebellious heart; they are revolted and gone.**

Revolting - [OT:5637](#) רָרַץ **carar** (saw-rar'); a primitive root; to turn away, i.e. (morally) be refractory:

KJV - ~~X~~ away, backsliding, rebellious, revolter (-ing), slide back, stubborn, withdrew.

Jeremiah 5

²⁴ Neither say they in their heart, Let us **now** fear the LORD our God, that giveth rain, both the former and the latter, in his season: he reserveth unto us the appointed weeks of the harvest.

Jeremiah 5

²⁵ **Your iniquities have turned away these things, and your sins have withholden good things from you.**

Jeremiah 5

²⁶ For among my people are found wicked men: they lay wait, as he that setteth snares; they set a trap, they catch men.

Jeremiah 5

²⁷ As a **cage is full of birds**, so are their **houses full of deceit**: therefore they are **become great, and waxen rich**.

Jeremiah 5

²⁸ They are **waxen fat**, they **shine**: yea, they **overpass the deeds of the wicked**: they **judge not the cause, the cause of the fatherless, yet they prosper**; and the **right of the needy do they not judge**.

Jeremiah 5

²⁹ Shall I not visit for these things? saith the LORD: shall not my soul be **avenged** on such a nation as this?

Jeremiah 5

Jeremiah 5

³⁰ A **wonderful and horrible thing** is committed in the land;

Wonderful - [OT:8047](#) שָׁמַח **shammah** (sham-maw'); from [OT:8074](#); ruin; by implication, consternation:

KJV - astonishment, desolate (-ion), waste, wonderful thing.

Horrible thing - [OT:8186](#) שֵׁעָרֵי יְרֵחוֹ **sha`aruwrah** (shah-ar-oo-law'); or **sha`ariyriyah** (shah-ar-ee-ree-yaw'); or **sha`arurith** (shah-ar-oo-reeth'); feminine from [OT:8176](#) in the sense of [OT:8175](#); something fearful: **KJV** - horrible thing.

Jeremiah 5

³¹ **The prophets prophesy falsely, and the priests bear rule by their means; and my people love to have it so: and what will ye do in the end thereof?**

Jeremiah 6

Jeremiah 6

¹ O ye **children of Benjamin**, gather yourselves to **flee out of the midst of Jerusalem**, and blow the trumpet in Tekoa, and set up a sign of fire in Bethhaccerem: for **evil appeareth out of the north, and great destruction**.

Tekoa - [OT:8620](#) תְּקוּעַ **Teqowa`** (tek-o'-ah); a form of [OT:8619](#); Tekoa, a place in Palestine: **KJV** - Tekoa, Tekoah.

Bethhaccerem - [OT:1021](#) בַּיַת הַכֶּרֶם **Beyth hak-Kerem** (bayth hak-keh'-rem); from [OT:1004](#) and [OT:3754](#) with the article interposed; house of the vineyard; Beth-hak-Kerem, a place in Palestine: **KJV** - Beth-haccerem.

Jeremiah 6

² I have likened the **daughter of Zion** to a **comely and delicate woman**.

Jeremiah 6

³ The shepherds with their flocks shall come unto her; they shall pitch their tents against her round about; they shall **feed every one in his place**.

Jeremiah 6

⁴ Prepare ye war against her; arise, and let us go up at noon. Woe unto us! for the day goeth away, for the **shadows of the evening are stretched out**.

Jeremiah 6

⁵ Arise, and let us go by night, and **let us destroy her palaces**.

Jeremiah 6

⁶ For thus hath the LORD of hosts said, Hew ye down trees, and cast a mount against Jerusalem: this is the city to be visited; she is **wholly oppression** in the midst of her.

Oppression - [OT:6233](#) עֲשֵׂק `osheq (o'-shek); from [OT:6231](#); injury, fraud, (subjectively) distress, (concretely) unjust gain:
KJV - cruelly, extortion, oppression, thing [deceitfully gotten].

Jeremiah 6

⁷ As a fountain casteth out her waters, so she casteth out her wickedness: violence and spoil is heard in her; before me continually is **grief and wounds**.

Jeremiah 6

⁸ Be thou instructed, O Jerusalem, lest my soul depart from thee; lest I make thee desolate, a land not inhabited.

Jeremiah 6

Jeremiah 6

⁹ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, They shall thoroughly glean the remnant of Israel as a vine: turn back thine hand as a grapegatherer into the baskets.

Grapegatherer - [OT:1219](#) **בָּצָר** **batsar** (baw-tsar'); a primitive root; to clip off; specifically (as denominative from [OT:1210](#)) to gather grapes; also to be isolated (i.e. inaccessible by height or fortification):

KJV - cut off, (de-) fenced, fortify, (grape) gather (-er), mighty things, restrain, strong, wall (up), withhold.

Jeremiah 6

¹⁰ To whom shall I speak, and give warning, that they may hear? behold, **their ear is uncircumcised**, and they cannot hearken: behold, the Word of the LORD is unto them a reproach; they have no delight in it.

Jeremiah 6

¹¹ Therefore I am full of the fury of the LORD; I am weary with holding in: I will pour it out upon the children abroad, and upon the assembly of young men together: for even the husband with the wife shall be taken, the aged with him that is full of days.

Jeremiah 6

¹² And their houses shall be turned unto others, with their fields and wives together: for I will stretch out my hand upon the inhabitants of the land, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 6

¹³ For from the least of them even unto the greatest of them every one is given to covetousness; and **from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely**.

Jeremiah 6

¹⁴ They have healed also the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, **saying, Peace, peace; when there is no peace**.

Jeremiah 6

¹⁵ Were they ashamed when they had **committed abomination**? nay, they were not at all ashamed, neither could they blush: therefore they shall fall among them that fall: **at the time that I visit them they shall be cast down**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 6

¹⁶ Thus saith the LORD, Stand ye in the ways, and see, and ask for the old paths, where is the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, We will not walk therein.

Jeremiah 6

¹⁷ Also I set watchmen over you, saying, **Hearken to the sound of the trumpet**. But **they said, We will not hearken**.

Jeremiah 6

Jeremiah 6

¹⁸ Therefore hear, ye nations, and know, O congregation, what is among them.

Jeremiah 6

¹⁹ Hear, O earth: behold, **I will bring evil upon this people**, even the fruit of their thoughts, because **they have not hearkened unto my Words, nor to my law, but rejected it.**

Jeremiah 6

²⁰ To what purpose cometh there to me incense from Sheba, and the sweet cane from a far country? your burnt offerings are not acceptable, nor your sacrifices sweet unto me.

Sheba - [OT:7614](#) שֶׁבָא' **Sheba'** (sheb-aw'); of foreign origin; Sheba, the name of three early progenitors of tribes and of an Ethiopian district:

KJV - Sheba, Sabeans.

Jeremiah 6

²¹ Therefore thus saith the LORD, Behold, **I will lay stumblingblocks before this people**, and the fathers and the sons together shall fall upon them; the neighbour and his friend shall perish.

Jeremiah 6

²² Thus saith the LORD, Behold, a people cometh from the north country, and a great nation shall be raised from the sides of the earth.

Jeremiah 6

²³ They shall lay hold on bow and spear; they are **cruel**, and have **no mercy**; their **voice roareth like the sea**; and they **ride upon horses**, set in **array as men for war against thee**, O daughter of Zion.

Jeremiah 6

²⁴ We have heard the fame thereof: our hands wax feeble: anguish hath taken hold of us, and pain, as of a woman in travail.

Anguish - [OT:6869](#) צָרָה **tsarah** (tsaw-raw'); feminine of [OT:6862](#); tightness (i.e. figuratively, trouble); transitively, a female rival:

KJV - adversary, adversity, affliction, anguish, distress, tribulation, trouble.

Jeremiah 6

²⁵ Go not forth into the field, nor walk by the way; for the sword of the enemy and fear is on every side.

Jeremiah 6

²⁶ O daughter of my people, gird thee with sackcloth, and wallow thyself in ashes: make thee mourning, as for an only son, most bitter lamentation: for **the spoiler shall suddenly come upon us.**

Jeremiah 6

Jeremiah 6

²⁷ I have set thee for a tower and a fortress among my people, that thou mayest know and try their way.

Jeremiah 6

²⁸ They are all **grievous revolvers, walking with slanders**: they are **brass and iron**; they are all **corrupters**.

Jeremiah 6

²⁹ The bellows are burned, the lead is consumed of the fire; the **founder melteth in vain**: for **the wicked are not plucked away**.

Jeremiah 6

³⁰ **Reprobate silver shall men call them, because the LORD hath rejected them.**

Jeremiah 7

Jeremiah 7

¹ The Word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD, saying,

Jeremiah 7

² **Stand in the gate of the LORD's house, and proclaim there this Word, and say, Hear the Word of the LORD, all ye of Judah, that enter in at these gates to worship the LORD.**

Jeremiah 7

³ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, **Amend your ways and your doings, and I will cause you to dwell in this place.**

Jeremiah 7

⁴ **Trust ye not in lying words, saying, The temple of the LORD, The temple of the LORD, The temple of the LORD, are these.**

Jeremiah 7

⁵ For if ye throughly **amend your ways and your doings**; if ye throughly **execute judgment** between a man and his neighbour;

Jeremiah 7

⁶ If ye **oppress not the stranger, the fatherless, and the widow, and shed not innocent blood** in this place, neither **walk after other gods to your hurt**:

Jeremiah 7

⁷ **Then will I cause you to dwell in this place, in the land that I gave to your fathers, for ever and ever.**

Jeremiah 7

⁸ Behold, ye trust in **lying words, that cannot profit.**

Jeremiah 7

⁹ Will ye steal, murder, and commit adultery, and swear falsely, and burn incense unto Baal, and walk after other gods whom ye know not;

Jeremiah 7

¹⁰ And come and **stand before me in this house, which is called by my name, and say, We are delivered to do all these abominations?**

Jeremiah 7

¹¹ Is this **house, which is called by my name, become a den of robbers** in your eyes? Behold, **even I have seen it**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 7

Jeremiah 7

¹² But go ye now unto my place which was in Shiloh, where I set my name at the first, and see what I did to it for the wickedness of my people Israel.

Jeremiah 7

¹³ And now, because ye have done all these **works** [bad acts], saith the LORD, and I spake unto you, rising up early and speaking, but **ye heard not**; and I called you, but **ye answered not**;

Jeremiah 7

¹⁴ Therefore will I do unto this house, which is called by my name, wherein ye trust, and unto the place which I gave to you and to your fathers, as I have done to Shiloh.

Jeremiah 7

¹⁵ And I will cast you out of my sight, as I have cast out all your brethren, even the whole seed of Ephraim.

Jeremiah 7

¹⁶ Therefore **pray not** thou for this people, **neither lift up cry nor prayer for them, neither make intercession to me: for I will not hear thee.**

Jeremiah 7

¹⁷ Seest thou not what they do in the cities of Judah and in the streets of Jerusalem?

Jeremiah 7

¹⁸ The children gather wood, and the fathers kindle the fire, and the women knead their dough, to make cakes to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto other gods, that they may **provoke me to anger**.

Jeremiah 7

¹⁹ Do they provoke me to anger? saith the LORD: **do they not provoke themselves to the confusion of their own faces?**

Jeremiah 7

²⁰ Therefore thus saith the Lord GOD; Behold, **mine anger and my fury shall be poured out upon this place, upon man, and upon beast, and upon the trees of the field, and upon the fruit of the ground; and it shall burn, and shall not be quenched.**

Jeremiah 7

²¹ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Put your burnt offerings unto your sacrifices, and eat flesh.

Jeremiah 7

Jeremiah 7

²² For I spake not unto your fathers, nor commanded them in the day that I brought them out of the land of Egypt, concerning burnt offerings or sacrifices:

Jeremiah 7

²³ But this thing **commanded I them**, saying, **Obey my voice, and I will be your God, and ye shall be my people: and walk ye in all the ways that I have commanded you, that it may be well unto you.**

Jeremiah 7

²⁴ But **they hearkened not**, nor inclined their ear, but walked in the counsels and in the imagination of their evil heart, and went backward, and not forward.

Imagination - [OT:8307](#) שְׂרִירֻת **sheriyrwuth** (sher-ee-rooth'); from [OT:8324](#) in the sense of twisted, i.e. firm; obstinacy: **KJV** - imagination, lust.

Jeremiah 7

²⁵ Since the day that your fathers came forth out of the land of Egypt unto this day I have even sent unto you all my servants the prophets, daily rising up early and sending them:

Jeremiah 7

²⁶ Yet **they hearkened not unto me**, nor inclined their ear, but **hardened their neck**: they did worse than their fathers.

Hardened - [OT:7185](#) קָשָׁה **qashah** (kaw-shaw'); a primitive root; properly, to be dense, i.e. tough or severe (in various applications):

KJV - be cruel, be fiercer, make grievous, be ([ask a], be in, have, seem, would) hard (-en, [labour], -ly, thing), be sore, (be, make) stiff (-en, [-necked]).

Jeremiah 7

²⁷ Therefore thou shalt speak all these Words unto them; but they will not hearken to thee: thou shalt also call unto them; but they will not answer thee.

Jeremiah 7

²⁸ But thou shalt say unto them, **This is a nation that obeyeth not the voice of the LORD their God, nor receiveth correction: truth is perished**, and is cut off from their mouth.

Jeremiah 7

²⁹ Cut off thine hair, O Jerusalem, and cast it away, and take up a lamentation on high places; for **the LORD hath rejected and forsaken the generation of His wrath.**

Jeremiah 7

³⁰ For the children of Judah have **done evil in my sight**, saith the LORD: they have **set their abominations in the house** which is called by my name, **to pollute it.**

Jeremiah 7

Jeremiah 7

³¹ And they have built the high places of Tophet, which is in the valley of the son of Hinnom [a Jebusite], to burn their sons and their daughters in the fire; which I commanded them not, neither came it into my heart.

Tophet - [OT:8612](#) תֹּפֶת **Topheth** (to'-feth); the same as [OT:8611](#); Topheth, a place near Jerusalem: *KJV* - Tophet, Topheth.

Jeremiah 7

³² Therefore, behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that it shall no more be called Tophet, nor the valley of the son of Hinnom, but the **valley of slaughter**: for **they shall bury in Tophet, till there be no place**.

Jeremiah 7

³³ And the carcasses of this people shall be meat for the fowls of the heaven, and for the beasts of the earth; and none shall fray [fear, make anxious] them away.

Jeremiah 7

³⁴ Then will I **cause to cease** from the cities of Judah, and from the streets of Jerusalem, the voice of **mirth**, and the voice of **gladness**, the voice of the **bridegroom**, and the voice of the **bride**: for **the land shall be desolate**.

Jeremiah 8

Jeremiah 8

¹ **At that time, saith the LORD, they shall bring out the bones** of the kings of Judah, and the bones of his princes, and the bones of the priests, and the bones of the prophets, and the bones of the inhabitants of Jerusalem, **out of their graves:**

Jeremiah 8

² And they shall **spread them before the sun, and the moon, and all the host of heaven, whom they have loved, and whom they have served, and after whom they have walked, and whom they have sought, and whom they have worshipped:** they shall not be gathered, nor be buried; they shall be **for dung upon the face of the earth.**

Jeremiah 8

³ And **death shall be chosen rather than life by all the residue of them that remain of this evil family,** which remain in all the places whither I have driven them, saith the LORD of hosts.

Jeremiah 8

⁴ Moreover thou shalt say unto them, Thus saith the LORD; Shall they fall, and not arise? shall he turn away, and not return?

Jeremiah 8

⁵ Why then is this people of Jerusalem slidden back by a **perpetual backsliding?** they **hold fast deceit, they refuse to return.**

Jeremiah 8

⁶ I hearkened and heard, but **they spake not aright [upright]: no man repented** him of his wickedness, saying, What have I done? every one turned to his course, as the horse rusheth into the battle.

Repented - [OT:5162](#)    **nacham** (naw-kham'); a primitive root; properly, to sigh, i.e. breathe strongly; by implication, to be sorry, i.e. (in a favorable sense) to pity, console or (reflexively) rue; or (unfavorably) to avenge (oneself):

KJV - comfort (self), ease [one'sself], repent (-eringself,-,).

Jeremiah 8

⁷ Yea, the stork in the heaven knoweth her appointed times; and the turtle and the crane and the swallow observe the time of their coming; but **my people know not the judgment of the LORD.**

Jeremiah 8

⁸ How do ye say, We are wise, and the law of the LORD is with us? Lo, certainly in vain made he it; the pen of the scribes is in vain.

Jeremiah 8

Jeremiah 8

⁹ The wise men are ashamed, they are dismayed and taken: lo, **they have rejected the Word of the LORD;** and what wisdom is in them?

Jeremiah 8

¹⁰ **Therefore will I give their wives unto others, and their fields to them that shall inherit them: for every one from the least even unto the greatest is given to covetousness, from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely.**

Jeremiah 8

¹¹ For they have healed the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly [lightly], saying, Peace, peace; when there is no peace.

Jeremiah 8

¹² Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination? nay, they were **not at all ashamed**, neither could they blush: therefore shall they fall among them that fall: in the time of their visitation they shall be cast down, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 8

¹³ **I will surely consume them**, saith the LORD: **there shall be no grapes on the vine, nor figs on the fig tree, and the leaf shall fade; and the things that I have given them shall pass away from them.**

Jeremiah 8

¹⁴ Why do we sit still? assemble yourselves, and let us enter into the defenced cities, and let us be silent there: for the LORD our God hath put us to silence, and given us water of gall to drink, because we have sinned against the LORD.

Silent/silence - [OT:1826](#) דָּמַם **damam** (daw-man'); a prim root [compare [OT:1724](#), [OT:1820](#)]; to be dumb; by implication, to be astonished, to stop; also to perish: **KJV** - cease, be cut down (off), forbear, hold peace, quietself, rest, be silent, keep (put to) silence, be (stand) still, tarry, wait.4

Gall - [OT:7219](#) שִׁן־רֹשׁ **ro'sh** (roshe); or **rowsh** ([Deut 32:32](#)) (roshe); apparently the same as [OT:7218](#); a poisonous plant, probably the poppy (from its conspicuous head); generally poison (even of serpents): **KJV** - gall, hemlock, poison, venom.

Jeremiah 8

¹⁵ **We looked for peace, but no good came; and for a time of health, and behold trouble!**

Jeremiah 8

¹⁶ The snorting of his horses was heard from Dan: the whole land trembled at the sound of the neighing of his strong ones; for they are come, and have devoured the land, and all that is in it; the city, and those that dwell therein.

Jeremiah 8

Jeremiah 8

¹⁷ For, behold, I will send **serpents, cockatrices**, among you, which **will not be charmed**, and **they shall bite** you, saith the LORD.

Charmed - [OT:3908](#) שָׁחַל **lachash** (lakh'-ash); from [OT:3907](#); properly, a whisper, i.e. by implication, (in a good sense) a private prayer, (in a bad one) an incantation; concretely, an amulet:

KJV - charmed, earring, enchantment, orator, prayer.

Jeremiah 8

¹⁸ **When I would comfort myself** against sorrow, my heart is faint in me.

Comfort myself - [OT:4010](#) מַבְלִיגִיחַ **mabliyyiyth** (mab-leeg-eeth'); from [OT:1082](#); desistance (or rather desolation): **KJV** - comfortself.

Jeremiah 8

¹⁹ Behold the voice of the cry of the daughter of my people because of them that dwell in a far country: Is not the LORD in Zion? is not her king in her? Why have **they provoked me to anger with their graven images, and with strange vanities?**

Jeremiah 8

²⁰ **The harvest is past, the summer is ended, and we are not saved.**

Jeremiah 8

²¹ For the hurt of the daughter of my people am I hurt; I am **black**; **astonishment hath taken hold on me.**

Black - [OT:6937](#) קָדָר **qadar** (kaw-dar'); a primitive root; to be ashy, i.e. dark-colored; by implication, to mourn (in sackcloth or sordid garments):

KJV - be black (-ish), be (make) dark (-en), *heavily, (cause to) mourn.

Astonishment - [OT:8047](#) שָׁמָה **shammah** (sham-maw'); from [OT:8074](#); ruin; by implication, consternation:

KJV - astonishment, desolate (-ion), waste, wonderful thing.

Jeremiah 8

²² Is there **no balm in Gilead**; is there **no physician there?** why then is not the health of the daughter of my people recovered?

Balm - [OT:6875](#) צֶרֶי **tseriy** (tser-ee'); or **tsoriy** (tsor-ee'); from an unused root meaning to crack [as by pressure], hence, to leak; distillation, i.e. balsam:

KJV - balm.

Jeremiah 9

Jeremiah 9

¹ Oh that my head were waters, and mine eyes a fountain of tears, that **I might weep day and night for the slain of the daughter of my people!**

Jeremiah 9

² Oh that I had in the wilderness a lodging place of wayfaring men; that **I might leave my people, and go from them!** for **they be all adulterers, an assembly of treacherous men.**

Jeremiah 9

³ And they bend their tongues like their bow for lies: but they are not valiant for the truth upon the earth; for they proceed from evil to evil, and they know not me, saith the LORD.

Bend - [OT:1869](#) בָּנָה **darak** (daw-rak'); a primitive root; to tread; by implication, to walk; also to string a bow (by treading on it in bending):

KJV - archer, bend, come, draw, go (over), guide, lead (forth), thresh, tread (down), walk.

Valiant - [OT:1396](#) גָּבַר **gabar** (gaw-bar'); a primitive root; to be strong; by implication, to prevail, act insolently:

KJV - exceed, confirm, be great, be mighty, prevail, put to more [strength], strengthen, be stronger, be valiant.

Jeremiah 9

⁴ Take ye heed every one of his neighbour, and trust ye not in any brother: for **every brother will utterly supplant, and every neighbour will walk with slanders.**

Jeremiah 9

⁵ And **they will deceive every one** his neighbour, and **will not speak the truth**: they have taught their tongue to **speak lies**, and weary themselves to **commit iniquity**.

Jeremiah 9

⁶ Thine **habitation is in the midst of deceit; through deceit they refuse to know me**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 9

⁷ Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts, **Behold, I will melt them, and try them**; for how shall I do for the daughter of my people?

Jeremiah 9

⁸ Their **tongue** is as an arrow shot out; it **speakech deceit**: one **speakech peaceably** to his neighbour with his mouth, but **in heart he layeth his wait**.

Jeremiah 9

⁹ Shall I not visit them for these things? saith the LORD: shall not my soul be avenged on such a nation as this?

Jeremiah 9

Jeremiah 9

¹⁰ For the mountains will I take up a weeping and wailing, and for the habitations of the wilderness a lamentation, because they are **burned up**, so that **none can pass through them; neither can men hear the voice of the cattle; both the fowl of the heavens and the beast are fled; they are gone.**

Jeremiah 9

¹¹ And I will make Jerusalem **heaps**, and a den [dwelling place] of dragons [sea or land monsters]; and I will make the cities of Judah desolate, without an inhabitant.

Heaps - [OT:1530](#) גַּל **gal** (gal); from [OT:1556](#); something rolled, i.e. a heap of stone or dung (plural ruins), by analogy, a spring of water (plural waves):

KJV - billow, heap, spring, wave.

Jeremiah 9

¹² Who is the wise man, that may understand this? and who is he to whom the mouth of the LORD hath spoken, that he may declare it, for what the land perisheth and is burned up like a wilderness, that none passeth through?

Jeremiah 9

¹³ And the LORD saith, Because **they have forsaken my law which I set before them, and have not obeyed my voice, neither walked therein;**

Jeremiah 9

¹⁴ **But have walked after the imagination of their own heart, and after Baalim, which their fathers taught them:**

Jeremiah 9

¹⁵ Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, I will feed them, even this people, with wormwood, and give them water of gall to drink.

Wormwood - [OT:3939](#) לַאֲנָח **la`anah** (lah-an-aw'); from an unused root supposed to mean to curse; wormwood (regarded as poisonous, and therefore accursed):

KJV - hemlock, wormwood.

Gall - [OT:7219](#) רוֹשׁ **ro'sh** (roshe); or **rowsh** ([Deut 32:32](#)) (roshe); apparently the same as [OT:7218](#); a poisonous plant, probably the poppy (from its conspicuous head); generally poison (even of serpents): **KJV** - gall, hemlock, poison, venom.

Jeremiah 9

¹⁶ I will scatter them also among the heathen, whom neither they nor their fathers have known: and I will send a sword after them, till I have consumed them.

Jeremiah 9

Jeremiah 9

¹⁷ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, Consider ye, and call for the mourning women, that they may come; and send for cunning women, that they may come:

Mourning women - [OT:6969](#) קָוָן **quwn** (koon); a primitive root; to strike a musical note, i.e. chant or wail (at a funeral): **KJV** - lament, mourning woman.

Cunning - [OT:2450](#) חָכָם **chakam** (khaw-kawm'); from [OT:2449](#); wise, (i.e. intelligent, skilful or artful):

KJV - cunning (man), subtil, ([un-]), wise ([hearted], man).

Jeremiah 9

¹⁸ And let them make haste, and take up a wailing for us, that our eyes may run down with tears, and our eyelids gush out with waters.

Jeremiah 9

¹⁹ For a voice of wailing is heard out of Zion, How are we spoiled! we are greatly confounded, because we have forsaken the land, because our dwellings have cast us out.

Jeremiah 9

²⁰ Yet **hear the Word** of the LORD, O ye women, and let your ear **receive the Word** of his mouth, and teach your daughters wailing, and every one her neighbour lamentation.

Jeremiah 9

²¹ For **death is come up into our windows**, and is **entered into our palaces**, to cut off the children from without, and the young men from the streets.

Jeremiah 9

²² Speak, Thus saith the LORD, **Even the carcasses of men shall fall as dung upon the open field, and as the handful after the harvestman, and none shall gather them.**

Jeremiah 9

²³ Thus saith the LORD, Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches:

Jeremiah 9

²⁴ But **let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth me, that I am the LORD which exercise lovingkindness, judgment, and righteousness, in the earth: for in these things I delight, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 9

Jeremiah 9

²⁵ Behold, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that **I will punish all them which are circumcised with the uncircumcised;**

Jeremiah 9

²⁶ Egypt, and Judah, and Edom, and the children of Ammon, and Moab, and all that are in the utmost corners, that dwell in the wilderness: for **all these nations are uncircumcised**, and all the house of Israel are **uncircumcised in the heart**.

Jeremiah 10

Jeremiah 10

¹ Hear ye the Word which the LORD speaketh unto you, O house of Israel:

Jeremiah 10

² Thus saith the LORD, **Learn not the way of the heathen**, and be not dismayed at the signs of heaven; for the heathen are dismayed at them.

Jeremiah 10

³ For the customs of the people are vain: for **one cutteth a tree out of the forest**, the work of the hands of the workman, with the axe.

Jeremiah 10

⁴ They **deck it with silver and with gold**; they **fasten it with nails and with hammers, that it move not**.

Jeremiah 10

⁵ They are **upright as the palm tree**, but **speak not**: they must needs be borne, because they cannot go. **Be not afraid of them; for they cannot do evil, neither also is it in them to do good**.

Jeremiah 10

⁶ Forasmuch as **there is none like unto thee, O LORD; thou art great, and thy name is great in might**.

Jeremiah 10

⁷ Who would not fear thee, O King of nations? for to thee doth it appertain: forasmuch as among all the wise men of the nations, and in all their kingdoms, **there is none like unto thee**.

Jeremiah 10

⁸ But **they are altogether brutish and foolish: the stock [wood] is a doctrine of vanities**.
Vanities - [OT:1892](#) הֶבֶל **hebel** (heh'bel); or (rarely in the abs.) **habel** (hab-ale'); from [OT:1891](#); emptiness or vanity; figuratively, something transitory and unsatisfactory; often used as an adverb: **KJV** - ~~x~~ altogether, vain, vanity.

Jeremiah 10

⁹ Silver spread into plates is brought from Tarshish, and gold from Uphaz, the work of the workman, and of the hands of the founder: blue and purple is their clothing: they are all the work of cunning men.

Jeremiah 10

¹⁰ But **the LORD is the true God, He is the living God**, and an **everlasting King**: at His wrath the earth shall tremble, and **the nations shall not be able to abide His indignation**.

Jeremiah 10

Jeremiah 10

¹¹ Thus shall ye say unto them, The gods that have not made the heavens and the earth, even they shall perish from the earth, and from under these heavens.

Jeremiah 10

¹² **He hath made the earth by His power, He hath established the world by His wisdom, and hath stretched out the heavens by His discretion.**

Jeremiah 10

¹³ **When He uttereth His voice, there is a multitude of waters in the heavens, and He causeth the vapours to ascend from the ends of the earth; He maketh lightnings with rain, and bringeth forth the wind out of His treasures.**

Jeremiah 10

¹⁴ **Every man is brutish in his knowledge: every founder [refiner] is confounded [ashamed] by the graven image: for his molten image is falsehood, and there is no breath in them.**

Jeremiah 10

¹⁵ They are **vanity**, and the **work of errors**: in the time of their visitation **they shall perish**.

Jeremiah 10

¹⁶ The portion of Jacob is not like them: for he is the former of all things; and Israel is the rod of his inheritance: **The LORD of hosts is His name.**

Jeremiah 10

¹⁷ Gather up thy wares out of the land, O inhabitant of the fortress.

Jeremiah 10

¹⁸ For thus saith the LORD, Behold, I will sling out the inhabitants of the land at this once, and will **distress them**, that they may find it so.

Jeremiah 10

¹⁹ Woe is me for my hurt! my wound is grievous; but I said, **Truly this is a grief, and I must bear it.**

Jeremiah 10

²⁰ My tabernacle is spoiled, and all my cords are broken: my children are gone forth of me, and they are not: there is none to stretch forth my tent any more, and to set up my curtains.

Jeremiah 10

Jeremiah 10

²¹ For the pastors are become **brutish**, and have not sought the LORD: therefore they shall not prosper, and all their flocks shall be scattered.

Brutish - [OT:1197](#) בָּעַר **ba`ar** (baw-ar'); a primitive root; to kindle, i.e. consume (by fire or by eating); also (as denominative from [OT:1198](#)) to be (-come) brutish: **KJV** - be brutish, bring (put, take) away, burn, (cause to) eat (up), feed, heat, kindle, set ([on fire]), waste.

Jeremiah 10

²² Behold, the noise of the **bruit** is come, and a great **commotion** out of the north country, to make the cities of Judah desolate, and a **den of dragons**.

Bruit - [OT:8052](#) שְׁמוּעָה **shemuw`ah** (sehm-oo-aw'); feminine passive participle of [OT:8074](#); something heard, i.e. an announcement:

KJV - bruit, doctrine, fame, mentioned, news, report, rumor, tidings.

Commotion - [OT:7494](#) רָעַשׁ **ra`ash** (rah'-ash); from [OT:7493](#); vibration, bounding, uproar:

KJV - commotion, confused noise, earthquake, fierceness, quaking, rattling, rushing, shaking.

Jeremiah 10

²³ O LORD, I know that the way of man is not in himself: it is not in man that walketh to direct his steps.

Jeremiah 10

²⁴ **O LORD, correct me, but with judgment; not in thine anger, lest thou bring me to nothing.**

Jeremiah 10

²⁵ **Pour out thy fury upon the heathen that know thee not, and upon the families that call not on thy name:** for they have eaten up Jacob, and devoured him, and consumed him, and have made his habitation desolate.

Jeremiah 11

Jeremiah 11

¹The Word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD saying,

Jeremiah 11

²**Hear ye the Words of this covenant**, and speak unto the men of Judah, and to the inhabitants of Jerusalem;

Jeremiah 11

³And say thou unto them, Thus saith the LORD God of Israel; **Cursed be the man that obeyeth not the Words of this covenant**,

Jeremiah 11

⁴Which I commanded your fathers in the day that I brought them forth out of the land of Egypt, from the iron furnace, saying, **Obey my voice, and do them, according to all which I command you: so shall ye be my people, and I will be your God:**

Jeremiah 11

⁵That I may **perform the oath** which I have sworn unto your fathers, to give them a land flowing with milk and honey, as it is this day. Then answered I, and said, So be it, O LORD.

Jeremiah 11

⁶Then the LORD said unto me, **Proclaim all these Words** in the cities of Judah, and in the streets of Jerusalem, saying, **Hear ye the Words of this covenant, and do them.**

Jeremiah 11

⁷For I earnestly protested unto your fathers in the day that I brought them up out of the land of Egypt, even unto this day, rising early and protesting, saying, **Obey my voice.**

Jeremiah 11

⁸Yet **they obeyed not, nor inclined their ear, but walked every one in the imagination of their evil heart:** therefore **I will bring upon them all the Words of this covenant**, which I commanded them to do: but they did them not.

Jeremiah 11

⁹And the LORD said unto me, A **conspiracy** is found among the men of Judah, and among the inhabitants of Jerusalem.

Conspiracy - [OT:7195](#) קִשָּׁר **qesher** (keh'-sher; from [OT:7194](#); an (unlawful) alliance:

KJV - confederacy, conspiracy, treason.

Jeremiah 11

Jeremiah 11

¹⁰ They are **turned back to the iniquities** of their forefathers, which refused to hear my Words; and they **went after other gods** to serve them: the house of Israel and the house of Judah have **broken my covenant** which I made with their fathers.

Jeremiah 11

¹¹ Therefore thus saith the LORD, Behold, **I will bring evil upon them**, which they **shall not be able to escape**; and **though they shall cry unto me, I will not hearken unto them**.

Jeremiah 11

¹² Then shall the cities of Judah and inhabitants of Jerusalem go, and cry unto the gods unto whom they offer incense: but **they shall not save them at all in the time of their trouble**.

Jeremiah 11

¹³ For according to the **number of thy cities were thy gods**, O Judah; and according to the **number of the streets of Jerusalem have ye set up altars** to that **shameful thing**, even altars to burn incense unto Baal.

Jeremiah 11

¹⁴ **Therefore pray not thou for this people, neither lift up a cry or prayer for them: for I will not hear them in the time that they cry unto me for their trouble**.

Jeremiah 11

¹⁵ What hath my beloved to do in mine house, seeing she hath wrought lewdness with many, and the holy flesh is passed from thee? when thou doest evil, then thou rejoicest.

Jeremiah 11

¹⁶ **The LORD called thy name**, A **green olive tree**, fair, and of goodly fruit: with the noise of a great tumult he hath kindled fire upon it, and the branches of it are broken.

Jeremiah 11

¹⁷ For the LORD of hosts, that **planted thee**, hath **pronounced evil against thee**, for the evil of the house of Israel and of the house of Judah, which they have done against themselves to **provoke me to anger** in offering incense unto Baal.

Jeremiah 11

¹⁸ And **the LORD hath given me knowledge of it**, and I know it: then thou shewedst me their doings.

Jeremiah 11

Jeremiah 11

¹⁹ But I was like a lamb or an ox that is brought to the slaughter; and I knew not that **they had devised devices against me**, saying, Let us destroy the tree with the fruit thereof, and let us cut him off from the land of the living, that his name may be no more remembered.

Jeremiah 11

²⁰ But, O LORD of hosts, that **judgest righteously**, that triest the reins and the heart, let me see thy **vengeance on them**: for unto thee have **I revealed my cause**.

Cause - [OT:7379](#) רִיב **riyb** (reeb); or **rib** (reeb); from [OT:7378](#); a contest (personal or legal):

KJV - * adversary, cause, chiding, contend (-tion), controversy, multitude [from the margin], pleading, strife, strive (-ing), suit.

Jeremiah 11

²¹ Therefore thus saith the LORD of the men of Anathoth, that **seek thy life**, saying, **Prophesy not in the name of the LORD, that thou die not by our hand**:

Jeremiah 11

²² Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts, Behold, **I will punish them**: the young men shall die by the sword; their sons and their daughters shall die by famine:

Jeremiah 11

²³ And **there shall be no remnant of them**: for **I will bring evil upon the men of Anathoth**, even the year of their visitation.

Jeremiah 12

Jeremiah 12

¹ **Righteous art thou, O LORD, when I plead with thee: yet let me talk with thee** of thy judgments: Wherefore doth the way of the wicked prosper? wherefore are all they happy that deal very treacherously?

Jeremiah 12

² Thou hast planted them, yea, they have taken root: they grow, yea, they bring forth fruit: thou art near in their mouth, and far from their reins.

Jeremiah 12

³ **But thou, O LORD, knowest me:** thou hast **seen me**, and **tried mine heart** toward thee: pull them out like sheep for the slaughter, and prepare them for the day of slaughter.

Jeremiah 12

⁴ How long shall the land mourn, and the herbs of every field wither, for the wickedness of them that dwell therein? the beasts are consumed, and the birds; because they said, He shall not see our last end.

Jeremiah 12

⁵ If thou hast run with the footmen, and they have wearied thee, then how canst thou contend with horses? and if in the land of peace, wherein thou trustedst, they wearied thee, then how wilt thou do in the swelling of Jordan?

Jeremiah 12

⁶ For even thy brethren, and the house of thy father, even they have **dealt treacherously** with thee; yea, they have called a multitude after thee: **believe them not, though they speak fair words unto thee.**

Jeremiah 12

⁷ I have forsaken mine house, I have left mine heritage; **I have given the dearly beloved of my soul into the hand of her enemies.**

Jeremiah 12

⁸ Mine heritage is unto me as a lion in the forest; it crieth out against me: therefore have I hated it.

Jeremiah 12

⁹ Mine heritage is unto me as a speckled bird, the birds round about are against her; come ye, assemble all the beasts of the field, come to devour.

Jeremiah 12

¹⁰ **Many pastors have destroyed my vineyard, they have trodden my portion under foot, they have made my pleasant portion a desolate wilderness.**

Jeremiah 12

Jeremiah 12

¹¹ They have made it desolate, and being desolate it mourneth unto me; the whole land is made desolate, because **no man layeth it [puts it] to heart.**

Jeremiah 12

¹² The spoilers are come upon all high places through the wilderness: for **the sword of the LORD shall devour from the one end of the land even to the other end of the land: no flesh shall have peace.**

Jeremiah 12

¹³ They have sown wheat, but shall reap thorns: they have put themselves to pain, but shall not profit: and **they shall be ashamed of your revenues because of the fierce anger of the LORD.**

Jeremiah 12

¹⁴ Thus saith the LORD against all mine evil neighbours, that touch the inheritance which I have caused my people Israel to inherit; Behold, **I will pluck them out of their land, and pluck out the house of Judah from among them.**

Jeremiah 12

¹⁵ And it shall come to pass, after that **I have plucked them out I will return, and have compassion** on them, and will **bring them again**, every man to his heritage, and every man to his land.

Jeremiah 12

¹⁶ And it shall come to pass, **if they will diligently learn the ways of my people, to swear by my name, The LORD liveth**; as they taught my people to swear by Baal; then shall they be built in the midst of my people.

Jeremiah 12

¹⁷ **But if they will not obey, I will utterly pluck up and destroy that nation**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 13

Jeremiah 13

¹ Thus saith the LORD unto me, Go and get thee a linen girdle, and put it upon thy loins, and put it not in water.

Jeremiah 13

² So I got a girdle according to the Word of the LORD, and put it on my loins.

Jeremiah 13

³ And the Word of the LORD came unto me the second time, saying,

Jeremiah 13

⁴ Take the girdle that thou hast got, which is upon thy loins, and arise, go to Euphrates, and hide it there in a hole of the rock.

Jeremiah 13

⁵ So I went, and hid it by Euphrates, as the LORD commanded me.

Jeremiah 13

⁶ And it came to pass after many days, that the LORD said unto me, Arise, go to Euphrates, and take the girdle from thence, which I commanded thee to hide there.

Jeremiah 13

⁷ Then I went to Euphrates, and digged, and took the girdle from the place where I had hid it: and, behold, the **girdle was marred**, it was **profitable for nothing**.

Marred - [OT:7843](#) שָׁחַח **shachath** (shaw-khath'); a primitive root; to decay, i.e. (causatively) ruin (literally or figuratively):

KJV - batter, cast off, corrupt (-er, -ing), destroy (-er, -uction), lose, mar, perish, spill, spoiler, ^xutterly, waste (-r).

Profitable - [OT:6743](#) צָלַח **tsalach** (tsaw-lakh'); or **tsaleach** (tsaw-lay'-akh); a primitive root; to push forward, in various senses (literal or figurative, transitive or intransitive):

KJV - break out, come (mightily), go over, be good, be meet, be profitable, (cause to, effect, make to, send) prosper (-ity, -ous, -ously).

Jeremiah 13

⁸ Then the Word of the LORD came unto me, saying,

Jeremiah 13

⁹ Thus saith the LORD, **After this manner will I mar the pride of Judah, and the great pride of Jerusalem.**

Jeremiah 13

Jeremiah 13

¹⁰ **This evil people, which refuse to hear my Words, which walk in the imagination of their heart, and walk after other gods, to serve them, and to worship them, shall even be as this girdle, which is good for nothing.**

Jeremiah 13

¹¹ **For as the girdle cleaveth [clings] to the loins of a man, so have I caused to cleave [cling] unto me the whole house of Israel and the whole house of Judah, saith the LORD; that they might be unto me for a people, and for a name, and for a praise, and for a glory: but they would not hear.**

Jeremiah 13

¹² **Therefore thou shalt speak unto them this Word; Thus saith the LORD God of Israel, Every bottle shall be filled with wine: and they shall say unto thee, Do we not certainly know that every bottle shall be filled with wine?**

Jeremiah 13

¹³ **Then shalt thou say unto them, Thus saith the LORD, Behold, I will fill all the inhabitants of this land, even the kings that sit upon David's throne, and the priests, and the prophets, and all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, with drunkenness.**

Jeremiah 13

¹⁴ **And I will dash them one against another, even the fathers and the sons together, saith the LORD: I will not pity, nor spare, nor have mercy, but destroy them.**

Jeremiah 13

¹⁵ **Hear ye, and give ear; be not proud: for the LORD hath spoken.**

Jeremiah 13

¹⁶ **Give glory to the LORD your God, before he cause darkness, and before your feet stumble upon the dark mountains, and, while ye look for light, he turn it into the shadow of death, and make it gross darkness.**

Jeremiah 13

¹⁷ **But if ye will not hear it, my soul shall weep in secret places for [because of] your pride; and mine eye shall weep sore, and run down with tears, because the LORD's flock is carried away captive.**

Jeremiah 13

Jeremiah 13

¹⁸ Say unto the king and to the queen, **Humble yourselves, sit down:** for your principalities shall come down, even the crown of your glory.

Principalities - [OT:4761](#) מַרְאֲשָׁה **mar'ashah** (mar-aw-shaw'); denominative from [OT:7218](#); properly, headship, i.e. (plural for collective) dominion:
KJV - principality.

Jeremiah 13

¹⁹ The cities of the south shall be shut up, and none shall open them: Judah shall be carried away captive all of it, **it shall be wholly carried away captive.**

Jeremiah 13

²⁰ Lift up your eyes, and behold them that come from the north: where is the flock that was given thee, thy **beautiful** flock?

Jeremiah 13

²¹ What wilt thou say when he shall punish thee? for thou hast taught them to be captains, and as chief over thee: **shall not sorrows take thee, as a woman in travail?**

Jeremiah 13

²² And if thou say in thine heart, Wherefore come these things upon me? For the greatness of thine iniquity are thy skirts discovered, and thy heels made bare.

Made bare - [OT:2554](#) חָמַץ **chamac** (khaw-mas'); a primitive root; to be violent; by implication, to maltreat:
KJV - make bare, shake off, violate, do violence, take away violently, wrong, imagine wrongfully.

Jeremiah 13

²³ Can the Ethiopian change his skin, or the leopard his spots? then may ye also do good, that are **accustomed** [instructed, learned] to do evil.

Jeremiah 13

²⁴ **Therefore will I scatter them as the stubble that passeth away by the wind of the wilderness.**

Jeremiah 13

²⁵ This is thy lot, the portion of thy measures from me, saith the LORD; because thou hast **forgotten me**, and **trusted in falsehood**.

Jeremiah 13

²⁶ Therefore will I discover thy skirts upon thy face, that thy shame may appear.

Jeremiah 13

Jeremiah 13

²⁷ I have seen thine adulteries, and thy neighings, the lewdness of thy whoredom, and thine abominations on the hills in the fields. Woe unto thee, O Jerusalem! wilt thou not be made clean? when shall it once be?

Lewdness - [OT:2154](#) זִמָּה **zimmah** (zim-maw'); or **zammah** (zam-maw'); from [OT:2161](#); a plan, especially a bad one:

KJV - heinous crime, lewd (-ly, -ness), mischief, purpose, thought, wicked (device, mind, -ness).

Jeremiah 14

Jeremiah 14

¹ The Word of the LORD that came to Jeremiah **concerning the dearth**.

dearth - [OT:1226](#) בַּצְרָה **batssoresh** (bats-tso'-reth); feminine intensive from [OT:1219](#); restraint (of rain), i.e. drought: **KJV** - dearth, drought.

Jeremiah 14

² Judah mourneth, and the gates thereof languish; they are black unto the ground; and the cry of Jerusalem is gone up.

Jeremiah 14

³ And their nobles have sent their little ones to the waters: they came to the pits, and found no water; they **returned with their vessels empty**; they were **ashamed and confounded**, and **covered their heads**.

Jeremiah 14

⁴ Because the ground is chapt, for there was no rain in the earth, the **plowmen [farmers] were ashamed**, they covered their heads.

Chapt - [OT:2865](#) חָתַת **chathath** (khaw-thath'); a primitive root; properly, to prostrate; hence, to break down, either (literally) by violence, or (figuratively) by confusion and fear:

KJV - abolish, affright, be (make) afraid, amaze, beat down, discourage, (cause to) dismay, go down, scare, terrify.

Jeremiah 14

⁵ Yea, the hind [doe] also calved in the field, and forsook it, because there was no grass.

Jeremiah 14

⁶ And the wild asses did stand in the high places, they snuffed up the wind like dragons; their eyes did fail, because there was no grass.

Snuffed up - [OT:7602](#) שָׁאֵף **sha'aph** (shaw-af'); a primitive root; to inhale eagerly; figuratively, to cover; by implication, to be angry; also to hasten:

KJV - desire (earnestly), devour, haste, pant, snuff up, swallow up.

Jeremiah 14

⁷ O LORD, though our iniquities testify against us, do thou it for thy name's sake: **for our backslidings are many; we have sinned against thee**.

Jeremiah 14

⁸ O the **hope of Israel**, the **saviour** thereof **in time of trouble**, why shouldest thou be as a stranger in the land, and as a wayfaring man that turneth aside to tarry for a night?

Jeremiah 14

Jeremiah 14

⁹ Why shouldest thou be as a man astonied, as a mighty man that cannot save? yet thou, O LORD, art in the midst of us, and we are called by thy name; leave us not.

Astonied - [OT:1724](#) אִי־יָדָע **daham** (daw-ham'); a primitive root (compare [OT:1740](#)); to be dumb, i.e. (figuratively) dumbfounded: **KJV** - astonished.

Jeremiah 14

¹⁰ Thus saith the LORD unto this people, Thus have they **loved to wander**, they have **not refrained their feet**, therefore **the LORD doth not accept them**; he will now **remember their iniquity, and visit their sins**.

Jeremiah 14

¹¹ Then said the LORD unto me, **Pray not for this people for their good**.

Jeremiah 14

¹² **When they fast, I will not hear their cry**; and when they offer burnt offering and an oblation, **I will not accept them**: but I will **consume them by the sword, and by the famine, and by the pestilence**.

Jeremiah 14

¹³ Then said I, Ah, Lord GOD! behold, the [false] prophets say unto them, Ye shall not see the sword, neither shall ye have famine; but I will give you assured peace in this place.

Jeremiah 14

¹⁴ Then the LORD said unto me, **The prophets prophesy lies in my name: I sent them not, neither have I commanded them, neither spake unto them: they prophesy unto you a false vision and divination, and a thing of nought, and the deceit of their heart**.

Jeremiah 14

¹⁵ Therefore thus saith the LORD concerning the [false] prophets that prophesy in my name, and I sent them not, yet they say, Sword and famine shall not be in this land; **By sword and famine shall those prophets be consumed**.

Jeremiah 14

¹⁶ And the people to whom they prophesy shall be cast out in the streets of Jerusalem because of the famine and the sword; and they shall have none to bury them, them, their wives, nor their sons, nor their daughters: for **I will pour their wickedness upon them**.

Jeremiah 14

Jeremiah 14

¹⁷ Therefore thou shalt say this Word unto them; Let mine eyes run down with tears night and day, and let them not cease: for the virgin daughter of my people is **broken with a great breach**, with a very **grievous blow**.

Jeremiah 14

¹⁸ If I go forth into the field, then behold the slain with the sword! and if I enter into the city, then behold them that are sick with famine! yea, both the prophet and the priest go about into a land that they know not.

Jeremiah 14

¹⁹ Hast thou utterly rejected Judah? hath thy soul lothed Zion? why hast thou smitten us, and there is no healing for us? we looked for peace, and there is no good; and for the time of healing, and behold trouble!

Jeremiah 14

²⁰ **We acknowledge, O LORD, our wickedness, and the iniquity of our fathers: for we have sinned against thee.**

Jeremiah 14

²¹ **Do not abhor us, for thy name's sake, do not disgrace the throne of thy glory: remember, break not thy covenant with us.**

Jeremiah 14

²² Are there any among the vanities of the Gentiles that can cause rain? or can the heavens give showers? art not thou he, O LORD our God? therefore **we will wait upon thee**: for thou hast made all these things.

Jeremiah 15

Jeremiah 15

¹ Then said the LORD unto me, Though Moses and Samuel stood before me, yet **my mind could not be toward this people**: cast them out of my sight, and let them go forth.

Jeremiah 15

² And it shall come to pass, if they say unto thee, Whither shall we go forth? then thou shalt tell them, Thus saith the LORD; Such as are for death, to death; and such as are for the sword, to the sword; and such as are for the famine, to the famine; and such as are for the captivity, to the captivity.

Jeremiah 15

³ And **I will appoint over them four kinds**, saith the LORD: the **sword to slay**, and the **dogs to tear**, and the **fowls of the heaven**, and the **beasts of the earth, to devour and destroy**.

Jeremiah 15

⁴ And I will cause them to be **removed** into all kingdoms of the earth, because of Manasseh the son of Hezekiah king of Judah, for that which he did in Jerusalem.

Jeremiah 15

⁵ For who shall have pity upon thee, O Jerusalem? or who shall bemoan thee? or who shall go aside to ask how thou doest?

Jeremiah 15

⁶ Thou hast forsaken me, saith the LORD, thou art gone backward: therefore will I stretch out my hand against thee, and destroy thee; **I am weary with repenting**.

Repenting - [OT:5162](#) נָחַם **nacham** (naw-kham'); a primitive root; properly, to sigh, i.e. breathe strongly; by implication, to be sorry, i.e. (in a favorable sense) to pity, console or (reflexively) rue; or (unfavorably) to avenge (oneself): **KJV** - comfort (self), ease [one'sself], repent (-eringself,-,).

Jeremiah 15

⁷ And I will fan¹ them with a fan² in the gates of the land; I will bereave them of children, **I will destroy my people since they return not from their ways**.

Fan¹ - [OT:2219](#) זָרַח **zarah** (zaw-raw'); a primitive root [compare [OT:2114](#)]; to toss about; by implication, to diffuse, winnow: **KJV** - cast away, compass, disperse, fan, scatter (away), spread, strew, winnow.

Fan² - [OT:4214](#) מִזְרֶה **mizreh** (miz-reh'); from [OT:2219](#); a winnowing shovel (as scattering the chaff): **KJV** - fan.

Bereave - [OT:7921](#) שָׁכַל **shakol** (shaw-kole'); a primitive root; properly, to miscarry, i.e. suffer abortion; by analogy, to bereave (literally or figuratively): **KJV** - bereave (of children), barren, cast calf (fruit, young), be (make) childless, deprive, destroy, ^xexpect, lose children, miscarry, rob of children, spoil.

Jeremiah 15

Jeremiah 15

⁸ Their widows are increased to me above the sand of the seas: I have brought upon them against the mother of the young men a spoiler at noonday: **I have caused him to fall upon it suddenly, and terrors upon the city.**

Jeremiah 15

⁹ She that hath borne seven languisheth: she hath given up the ghost; her sun is gone down while it was yet day: she hath been ashamed and confounded: **and the residue of them will I deliver to the sword before their enemies,** saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 15

¹⁰ **Woe is me, my mother, that thou hast borne me a man of strife and a man of contention to the whole earth!** I have neither lent on usury, nor men have lent to me on usury; yet every one of them doth curse me.

Contention - [OT:4066](#) מַדּוֹן **madown** (maw-dohn'); from [OT:1777](#); a contest or quarrel: **KJV** - brawling, contention (-ous), discord, strife.

Jeremiah 15

¹¹ The LORD said, **Verily [truly] it shall be well with thy remnant; verily I will cause the enemy to entreat thee well in the time of evil and in the time of affliction.**

Jeremiah 15

¹² Shall iron break the northern iron and the steel?

Jeremiah 15

¹³ Thy substance and thy treasures will I give to the spoil without price, and that for all thy sins, even in all thy borders.

Jeremiah 15

¹⁴ And I will make thee to pass with thine enemies into a land which thou knowest not: for a **fire is kindled in mine anger, which shall burn upon you.**

Jeremiah 15

¹⁵ **O LORD, thou knowest: remember me, and visit me, and revenge me of my persecutors; take me not away in thy longsuffering: know that for thy sake I have suffered rebuke.**

Jeremiah 15

¹⁶ Thy Words were found, and **I did eat them;** and thy Word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of mine heart: for **I am called by thy name, O LORD God of hosts.**

Jeremiah 15

Jeremiah 15

¹⁷ I sat not in the assembly of the mockers, nor rejoiced; I sat alone because of thy hand: for thou hast **filled me with indignation**.

Indignation - [OT:2195](#) זַעַם **za`am** (zah'-am); from [OT:2194](#); strictly froth at the mouth, i.e. (figuratively) fury (especially of God's displeasure with sin):

KJV - angry, indignation, rage.

Jeremiah 15

¹⁸ Why is my pain **perpetual**, and my wound **incurable**, which refuseth to be healed? wilt thou be altogether unto me as a liar, and as waters that fail?

Jeremiah 15

¹⁹ Therefore thus saith the LORD, **If thou return, then will I bring thee again, and thou shalt stand before me:** and if thou take forth the precious from the vile, thou shalt be as my mouth: let them return unto thee; but return not thou unto them.

Jeremiah 15

²⁰ And **I will make thee unto this people a fenced brasen wall:** and they shall fight against thee, but they shall not prevail against thee: for **I am with thee to save thee and to deliver thee, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 15

²¹ And **I will deliver thee out of the hand of the wicked, and I will redeem thee out of the hand of the terrible.**

Terrible - [OT:6184](#) עָרִיץ **`ariyts** (aw-reeets'); from [OT:6206](#); fearful, i.e. powerful or tyrannical: **KJV** - mighty, oppressor, in great power, strong, terrible, violent.

Jeremiah 16

Jeremiah 16

¹The Word of the LORD came also unto me, saying,

Jeremiah 16

²**Thou shalt not take thee a wife**, neither shalt thou have sons or daughters in this place.

Jeremiah 16

³For thus saith the LORD concerning the sons and concerning the daughters that are born in this place, and concerning their mothers that bare them, and concerning their fathers that begat them in this land;

Jeremiah 16

⁴**They shall die of grievous deaths; they shall not be lamented; neither shall they be buried; but they shall be as dung upon the face of the earth:** and they shall be **consumed by the sword**, and by **famine**; and **their carcasses shall be meat for the fowls of heaven, and for the beasts of the earth.**

Jeremiah 16

⁵For thus saith the LORD, Enter not into the house of mourning, neither go to lament nor bemoan them: for **I have taken away my peace from this people**, saith the LORD, **even lovingkindness and mercies.**

Lovingkindness - [OT:2617](#) **רַחֲמִים** **checed** (kheh'-sed); from [OT:2616](#); kindness; by implication (towards God) piety: rarely (by opposition) reproof, or (subject.) beauty:

KJV - favour, good deed (-liness, -ness), kindly, (loving-) kindness, merciful (kindness), mercy, pity, reproach, wicked thing.

Mercies - [OT:7356](#) **רַחֲמִים** **racham** (rakh'-am); from [OT:7355](#); compassion (in the plural); by extension, the womb (as cherishing the fetus); by implication, a maiden:

KJV - bowels, compassion, damsel, tender love, (great, tender) mercy, pity, womb.

Jeremiah 16

⁶Both the **great and the small shall die in this land:** they shall not be buried, neither shall men lament for them, nor cut themselves, nor make themselves bald for them:

Jeremiah 16

⁷Neither shall men tear themselves for them in mourning, to comfort them for the dead; neither shall men give them the cup of consolation to drink for their father or for their mother.

Jeremiah 16

⁸Thou shalt not also go into the **house of feasting**, to sit with them to eat and to drink.

Jeremiah 16

Jeremiah 16

⁹ For thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, **I will cause to cease out of this place in your eyes, and in your days, the voice of mirth, and the voice of gladness, the voice of the bridegroom, and the voice of the bride.**

Jeremiah 16

¹⁰ And it shall come to pass, when thou shalt shew this people all these Words, and they shall say unto thee, Wherefore hath the LORD **pronounced all this great evil** against us? or what is our iniquity? or what is our sin that we have committed against the LORD our God?

Jeremiah 16

¹¹ Then shalt thou say unto them, Because your **fathers have forsaken me**, saith the LORD, and have **walked after other gods**, and have **served them**, and have **worshipped them**, and have forsaken me, and have **not kept my law**;

Jeremiah 16

¹² And **ye have done worse than your fathers**; for, behold, **ye walk every one after the imagination of his evil heart, that they may not hearken unto me**:

Jeremiah 16

¹³ Therefore will I cast you out of this land into a land that ye know not, neither ye nor your fathers; and there shall ye serve other gods day and night; where I will not shew you favour.

Jeremiah 16

¹⁴ Therefore, behold, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that it shall no more be said, The LORD liveth, that brought up the children of Israel out of the land of Egypt;

Jeremiah 16

¹⁵ But, The LORD liveth, that brought up the children of Israel from the land of the north, and from all the lands whither he had driven them: and **I will bring them again into their land that I gave unto their fathers.**

Jeremiah 16

¹⁶ Behold, I will send for many fishers, saith the LORD, and they shall fish them; and after will I send for many hunters, and they shall hunt them from every mountain, and from every hill, and out of the holes of the rocks.

Jeremiah 16

¹⁷ For mine eyes are upon all their ways: they are not hid from my face, neither is their iniquity hid from mine eyes.

Jeremiah 16

¹⁸ And first **I will recompense their iniquity and their sin double**; because **they have defiled my land**, they have **filled mine inheritance with the carcasses of their detestable and abominable things.**

Jeremiah 16

Jeremiah 16

¹⁹ **O LORD, my strength, and my fortress, and my refuge in the day of affliction**, the Gentiles shall come unto thee from the ends of the earth, and shall say, Surely our fathers have inherited lies, vanity, and things wherein there is no profit.

Jeremiah 16

²⁰ **Shall a man make gods unto himself, and they are no gods?**

Jeremiah 16

²¹ Therefore, behold, I will this once cause them to know, I will cause them to know mine hand and my might; and **they shall know that my name is The LORD.**

Jeremiah 17

Jeremiah 17

¹ **The sin of Judah is written with a pen of iron, and with the point of a diamond: it is graven upon the table of their heart, and upon the horns of your altars;**

Jeremiah 17

² Whilst their children remember their altars and their groves by the green trees upon the high hills.

Jeremiah 17

³ O my mountain in the field, I will give thy substance and all thy treasures to the spoil, and thy high places for sin, throughout all thy borders.

Jeremiah 17

⁴ And thou, even thyself, shalt discontinue from thine heritage that I gave thee; and I will cause thee to serve thine enemies in the land which thou knowest not: for **ye have kindled a fire in mine anger, which shall burn for ever.**

Jeremiah 17

⁵ Thus saith the LORD; **Cursed be the man that trusteth in man, and maketh flesh his arm, and whose heart departeth from the LORD.**

Jeremiah 17

⁶ For he shall be like the heath in the desert, and shall not see when good cometh; but shall **inhabit the parched places** in the wilderness, in a **salt land and not inhabited.**

Heath - [OT:6176](#) עֵרֹוֹעַר **arow`er** (ar-o-ayr'); or `ar`ar (ar-awr'); from [OT:6209](#) reduplicated; a juniper (from its nudity of situation): **KJV** - heath.

Jeremiah 17

⁷ **Blessed is the man that trusteth in the LORD, and whose hope the LORD is.**

Jeremiah 17

⁸ For he shall be as a tree planted by the waters, and that spreadeth out her roots by the river, and shall not see when heat cometh, but her leaf shall be green; and shall not be careful in the year of drought, neither shall cease from yielding fruit.

Jeremiah 17

⁹ **The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked: who can know it?**

Jeremiah 17

Jeremiah 17

10 I the LORD search the heart, I try the reins, even to give every man according to his ways, and according to the fruit of his doings.

Jeremiah 17

11 As the partridge sitteth on eggs, and hatcheth them not; so he that getteth riches, and not by right, shall leave them in the midst of his days, and at his end shall be a fool.

Jeremiah 17

12 A glorious high throne from the beginning is the place of our sanctuary.

Jeremiah 17

13 O LORD, the hope of Israel, **all that forsake thee shall be ashamed,** and they that depart from me shall be **written in the earth,** because they have forsaken the LORD, the fountain of living waters.

Jeremiah 17

14 Heal me, O LORD, and I shall be healed; save me, and I shall be saved: for thou art my praise.

Jeremiah 17

15 Behold, they say unto me, **Where is the Word of the LORD?** let it come now.

Jeremiah 17

16 As for me, **I have not hastened from being a pastor to follow thee: neither have I desired the woeful day; thou knowest: that which came out of my lips was right before thee.**

Jeremiah 17

17 **Be not a terror unto me: thou art my hope in the day of evil.**

Jeremiah 17

18 Let them be confounded [pale, ashamed] that persecute me, but let not me be confounded: let them be dismayed, but let not me be dismayed: **bring upon them the day of evil, and destroy them with double destruction.**

Persecute - [OT:7291](#) רָדַף **radaph** (raw-daf); a primitive root; to run after (usually with hostile intent; figuratively [of time] gone by):

KJV - chase, put to flight, follow (after, on), hunt, (be under) persecute (-ion, -or), pursue (-r).

Jeremiah 17

19 Thus said the LORD unto me; Go and stand in the gate of the children of the people, whereby the kings of Judah come in, and by the which they go out, and in all the gates of Jerusalem;

Jeremiah 17

Jeremiah 17

²⁰ And say unto them, Hear ye the Word of the LORD, ye kings of Judah, and all Judah, and all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, that enter in by these gates:

Jeremiah 17

²¹ Thus saith the LORD; **Take heed to yourselves, and bear no burden on the sabbath day, nor bring it in by the gates of Jerusalem;**

Jeremiah 17

²² Neither carry forth a burden out of your houses on the sabbath day, neither do ye any work, but **hallow ye the sabbath day, as I commanded your fathers.**

Jeremiah 17

²³ **But they obeyed not, neither inclined their ear, but made their neck stiff, that they might not hear, nor receive instruction.**

Jeremiah 17

²⁴ And it shall come to pass, if ye **diligently hearken** unto me, saith the LORD, to bring in no burden through the gates of this city on the sabbath day, but **hallow the sabbath day, to do no work therein;**

Jeremiah 17

²⁵ Then shall there enter into the gates of this city kings and princes sitting upon the throne of David, riding in chariots and on horses, they, and their princes, the men of Judah, and the inhabitants of Jerusalem: and **this city shall remain for ever.**

Jeremiah 17

²⁶ And they shall come from the cities of Judah, and from the places about Jerusalem, and from the land of Benjamin, and from the plain, and from the mountains, and from the south, bringing burnt offerings, and sacrifices, and meat offerings, and incense, and bringing sacrifices of praise, unto the house of the LORD.

Jeremiah 17

²⁷ **But if ye will not hearken unto me to hallow the sabbath day, and not to bear a burden, even entering in at the gates of Jerusalem on the sabbath day; then will I kindle a fire in the gates thereof, and it shall devour the palaces of Jerusalem, and it shall not be quenched.**

Jeremiah 18

Jeremiah 18

¹ The Word which came to Jeremiah from the LORD, saying,

Jeremiah 18

² Arise, and go down to the potter's house, and there I will cause thee to hear my Words.

Potter's - [OT:3335](#) יָצַר **yatsar** (yaw-tsar'); probably identical with [OT:3334](#) (through the squeezing into shape); ([compare [OT:3331](#)]); to mould into a form; especially as a potter; figuratively, to determine (i.e. form a resolution): **KJV** - * earthen, fashion, form, frame, make (-r), potter, purpose.

Jeremiah 18

³ Then I went down to the potter's house, and, behold, **he wrought a work on the wheels**.

Wheels - [OT:70](#) אֲבֵן **'oben** (o'ben); from the same as [OT:68](#); a pair of stones (only dual); a potter's wheel or a midwife's stool (consisting alike of two horizontal disks with a support between): **KJV** - wheel, stool.

Jeremiah 18

⁴ And the **vessel that he made of clay was marred** in the hand of the potter: so he **made it again another vessel**, as seemed good to the potter to make it.

Jeremiah 18

⁵ Then the Word of the LORD came to me, saying,

Jeremiah 18

⁶ O house of Israel, cannot I do with you as this potter? saith the LORD. Behold, **as the clay is in the potter's hand, so are ye in mine hand, O house of Israel.**

Jeremiah 18

⁷ At what instant I shall speak concerning a nation, and concerning a kingdom, to pluck up, and to pull down, and to destroy it;

Jeremiah 18

⁸ **If that nation, against whom I have pronounced, turn from their evil, I will repent of the evil that I thought to do unto them.**

Repent - [OT:5162](#) נָחַם **nacham** (naw-kham'); a primitive root; properly, to sigh, i.e. breathe strongly; by implication, to be sorry, i.e. (in a favorable sense) to pity, console or (reflexively) rue; or (unfavorably) to avenge (oneself): **KJV** - comfort (self), ease [one'sself], repent (-eringself,-).

Jeremiah 18

Jeremiah 18

⁹ And at what instant I shall speak concerning a nation, and concerning a kingdom, to build and to plant it;

Jeremiah 18

¹⁰ **If it do evil in my sight, that it obey not my voice, then I will repent of the good, wherewith I said I would benefit them.**

Jeremiah 18

¹¹ Now therefore go to, speak to the men of Judah, and to the inhabitants of Jerusalem, saying, Thus saith the LORD; Behold, **I frame evil against you, and devise a device against you: return ye now every one from his evil way, and make your ways and your doings good.**

Jeremiah 18

¹² And they said, **There is no hope: but we will walk after our own devices, and we will every one do the imagination of his evil heart.**

Jeremiah 18

¹³ Therefore thus saith the LORD; Ask ye now among the heathen, who hath heard such things: **the virgin of Israel hath done a very horrible thing.**

Jeremiah 18

¹⁴ Will a man leave the snow of Lebanon which cometh from the rock of the field? or shall the cold flowing waters that come from another place be forsaken?

Jeremiah 18

¹⁵ Because my people hath forgotten me, they have burned incense to vanity, and they have caused them to **stumble in their ways** from the ancient paths, to walk in paths, in a way not cast up;

Jeremiah 18

¹⁶ To make their land desolate, and a **perpetual hissing**; every one that passeth thereby shall be astonished, and wag his head.

Hissing - [OT:8292](#) שֶׁרִיָּקָה **sheruwqah** (sher-oo-kaw'); or (by permutation) **sheryqah** (sher-ee-kaw'); feminine passive participle of [OT:8319](#); a whistling (in scorn); by analogy, a piping: **KJV** - bleating, hissing.

Jeremiah 18

¹⁷ **I will scatter them as with an east wind before the enemy; I will shew them the back, and not the face, in the day of their calamity.**

Jeremiah 18

Jeremiah 18

¹⁸ Then **said they**, Come and let us **devise devices** [plot] against Jeremiah; for the law shall not perish from the priest, nor counsel from the wise, nor the word from the prophet. Come, and let us **smite him with the tongue, and let us not give heed to any of his Words.**

Jeremiah 18

¹⁹ Give heed to me, O LORD, and hearken to the voice of them that contend with me.

Jeremiah 18

²⁰ Shall evil be recompensed for good? for **they have digged a pit for my soul**. Remember that I **stood before thee to speak good** for them, and to **turn away thy wrath** from them.

Jeremiah 18

²¹ Therefore **deliver up their children to the famine**, and **pour out their blood by the force of the sword**; and let their wives be bereaved of their children, and be widows; and let their men be put to death; let their young men be slain by the sword in battle.

Jeremiah 18

²² Let a cry be heard from their houses, when thou shalt bring a troop suddenly upon them: for **they have digged a pit to take me, and hid snares for my feet.**

Jeremiah 18

²³ **Yet, LORD, thou knowest all their counsel against me to slay me: forgive not their iniquity, neither blot out their sin from thy sight, but let them be overthrown before thee; deal thus with them in the time of thine anger.**

Jeremiah 19

Jeremiah 19

¹ Thus saith the LORD, Go and get a potter's earthen bottle, and take of the ancients of the people, and of the ancients of the priests;

Potter's - [OT:3335](#) יָצַר **yatsar** (yaw-tsar'); probably identical with [OT:3334](#) (through the squeezing into shape); ([compare [OT:3331](#)]); to mould into a form; especially as a potter; figuratively, to determine (i.e. form a resolution): **KJV** - ^x earthen, fashion, form, frame, make (-r), potter, purpose.

Bottle - [OT:1228](#) בַּקְבֹּקֶב **baqbuk** (bak-book'); from [OT:1238](#); a bottle (from the gurgling in emptying): **KJV** - bottle, cruse.

Jeremiah 19

² And go forth unto the valley of the son of Hinnom [Jebusite], which is by the entry of the east gate, and proclaim there the Words that I shall tell thee,

Jeremiah 19

³ And say, **Hear ye the Word of the LORD, O kings of Judah, and inhabitants of Jerusalem;** Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, **I will bring evil upon this place, the which whosoever heareth, his ears shall tingle.**

Tingle - [OT:6750](#) צָלַל **tsalal** (tsaw-lal'); a primitive root [identical with [OT:6749](#) through the idea of vibration]; to tinkle, i.e. rattle together (as the ears in reddening with shame, or the teeth in chattering with fear): **KJV** - quiver, tingle

Jeremiah 19

⁴ Because **they have forsaken me**, and have **estranged this place**, and have **burned incense in it unto other gods**, whom neither they nor their fathers have known, nor the kings of Judah, and have **filled this place with the blood of innocents;**

Jeremiah 19

⁵ They have **built also the high places of Baal**, to **burn their sons** with fire for burnt offerings unto Baal, which **I commanded not, nor spake it, neither came it into my mind:**

Jeremiah 19

⁶ Therefore, behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that this place shall no more be called Tophet, nor The valley of the son of Hinnom, but **The valley of slaughter.**

Tophet - [OT:8612](#) תּוֹפֶת **Topheth** (to'-feth); the same as [OT:8611](#); Topheth, a place near Jerusalem: **KJV** - Tophet, Topheth.

Jeremiah 19

⁷ And I will make void the counsel of Judah and Jerusalem in this place; and **I will cause them to fall by the sword before their enemies**, and by the hands of them that seek their lives: and **their carcasses will I give to be meat for the fowls of the heaven, and for the beasts of the earth.**

Jeremiah 19

Jeremiah 19

⁸ And I will make this city desolate, and an hissing; every one that passeth thereby shall be astonished and hiss because of all the plagues thereof.

Hissing - [OT:8322](#) שֶׁרָקָה **shereqah** (sher-ay-kaw'); from [OT:8319](#); a derision:
KJV - hissing.

Hiss - [OT:8319](#) שָׂרַק **sharaq** (shaw-rak'); a primitive root; properly, to be shrill, i.e. to whistle or hiss (as a call or in scorn): **KJV** - hiss.

Jeremiah 19

⁹ And I will cause them to eat the flesh of their sons and the flesh of their daughters, and they shall eat every one the flesh of his friend in the siege and straitness, wherewith their enemies, and they that seek their lives, shall straiten [distress] them.

Jeremiah 19

¹⁰ Then shalt thou **break the bottle in the sight of the men** that go with thee,

Jeremiah 19

¹¹ And shalt say unto them, Thus saith the LORD of hosts; **Even so will I break this people and this city, as one breaketh a potter's vessel, that cannot be made whole again:** and they shall **bury them in Tophet**, till there be no place to bury.

Jeremiah 19

¹² Thus will I do unto this place, saith the LORD, and to the inhabitants thereof, and even make this city as Tophet:

Jeremiah 19

¹³ And the houses of Jerusalem, and the houses of the kings of Judah, shall be defiled as the place of Tophet, because of all the houses upon whose roofs they have burned incense unto all the host of heaven, and have poured out drink offerings unto other gods.

Jeremiah 19

¹⁴ Then came Jeremiah from Tophet, whither the LORD had sent him to prophesy; and he stood in the court of the LORD's house; and said to all the people,

Jeremiah 19

¹⁵ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, I will bring upon this city and upon all her towns all the evil that I have pronounced against it, **because they have hardened their necks, that they might not hear my Words.**

Jeremiah 20

Jeremiah 20

¹ Now **Pashur** the son of **Immer** the priest, who was also **chief governor** in the house of the LORD, heard that Jeremiah prophesied these things.

Pashur - [OT:6583](#) פֶּשְׁחֹרִי **Pashchuw** (pash-khoor'); probably from [OT:6582](#); liberation; Pashchur, the name of four Israelites: **KJV** - Pashur.

Immer - [OT:564](#) אִמֶּר **Immer** (im-mare'); from [OT:559](#); talkative; Immer, the name of five Israelites: **KJV** - Immer.

Jeremiah 20

² Then **Pashur smote Jeremiah the prophet, and put him in the stocks that were in the high gate of Benjamin, which was by the house of the LORD.**

Jeremiah 20

³ And it came to pass on the morrow, that **Pashur brought forth Jeremiah out of the stocks.** Then said Jeremiah unto him, **The LORD hath not called thy name Pashur, but Magormissabib.**

Magormissabib - [OT:4036](#) מַגּוֹר מִסַּבִּיב **Magowr mic-Cabiyb** (maw-gore' mis-saw-beeb'); from [OT:4032](#) and [OT:5439](#) with the preposition inserted; affright from around; Magor-mis-Sabib, a symbolic name of Pashur: **KJV** - Magor-missabib

Jeremiah 20

⁴ For thus saith the LORD, Behold, **I will make thee a terror to thyself, and to all thy friends: and they shall fall by the sword of their enemies, and thine eyes shall behold it: and I will give all Judah into the hand of the king of Babylon, and he shall carry them captive into Babylon, and shall slay them with the sword.**

Jeremiah 20

⁵ Moreover **I will deliver all the strength of this city, and all the labours thereof, and all the precious things thereof, and all the treasures of the kings of Judah will I give into the hand of their enemies, which shall spoil them, and take them, and carry them to Babylon.**

Jeremiah 20

⁶ And thou, Pashur, and all that dwell in thine house shall go into captivity: and thou shalt come to Babylon, and **there thou shalt die, and shalt be buried there, thou, and all thy friends, to whom thou hast prophesied lies.**

Jeremiah 20

⁷ **O LORD, thou hast deceived me, and I was deceived; thou art stronger than I, and hast prevailed: I am in derision daily, every one mocketh me.**

Deceived - [OT:6601](#) פָּתָהּ **pathah** (paw-thaw'); a primitive root; to open, i.e. be (causatively, make) roomy; usually figuratively (in a mental or moral sense) to be (causatively, make) simple or (in a sinister way) delude: **KJV** - allure, deceive, enlarge, entice, flatter, persuade, silly (one).

Jeremiah 20

Jeremiah 20

⁸ For since I spake, I cried out, I cried violence and spoil; because the Word of the LORD was made a **reproach unto me**, and a **derision**, daily.

Jeremiah 20

⁹ Then I said, **I will not make mention of him, nor speak any more in his name. But his Word was in mine heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was weary with forbearing, and I could not stay.**

Jeremiah 20

¹⁰ For I heard the defaming [slander] of many, fear on every side. Report, say they, and we will report it. All my familiars watched for my halting, saying, Peradventure he will be enticed, and we shall prevail against him, and we shall take our revenge on him.

Familiars - [OT:7965](#) שְׁלֹמֹם **shalom** (shaw-lome'); or **shalom** (shaw-lome'); from [OT:7999](#); safe, i.e. (figuratively) well, happy, friendly; also (abstractly) welfare, i.e. health, prosperity, peace:

KJV - ^x do, familiar, ^x fare, favour, + friend, ^x great, (good) health, (X perfect, such as be at) peace (-able, -ably), prosper (-ity, -ous), rest, safe (-ty), salute, welfare, (X all is, be) well, ^x wholly.

Halting - [OT:6761](#) צִלְעָה **tsela`** (tseh'-lah); from [OT:6760](#); a limping or full (figuratively): **KJV** - adversity, halt (-ing).

Jeremiah 20

¹¹ But the LORD is with me as a mighty terrible one: therefore my persecutors shall stumble, and they shall not prevail: they shall be greatly ashamed; for they shall not prosper: **their everlasting confusion shall never be forgotten.**

Jeremiah 20

¹² But, O LORD of hosts, that triest the righteous, and seest the reins and the heart, **let me see thy vengeance on them: for unto thee have I opened my cause.**

Jeremiah 20

¹³ **Sing unto the LORD, praise ye the LORD: for he hath delivered the soul of the poor from the hand of evildoers.**

Jeremiah 20

¹⁴ **Cursed be the day wherein I was born: let not the day wherein my mother bare me be blessed.**

Jeremiah 20

Jeremiah 20

¹⁵ Cursed be the man who brought tidings to my father, saying, A man child is born unto thee; making him very glad.

Jeremiah 20

¹⁶ And let that man be as the cities which the LORD overthrew, and repented not: and let him hear the cry in the morning, and the shouting at noontide;

Jeremiah 20

¹⁷ Because he slew me not from the womb; or that my mother might have been my grave, and her womb to be always great with me.

Jeremiah 20

¹⁸ Wherefore came I forth out of the womb to see labour and sorrow, that my days should be consumed with shame?

Jeremiah 21

Jeremiah 21

¹The Word which came unto Jeremiah from the LORD, when king Zedekiah sent unto him Pashur the son of Melchiah, and Zephaniah the son of Maaseiah the priest, saying,

Jeremiah 21

²Enquire, **I pray thee, of the LORD for us; for Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon maketh war against us; if so be that the LORD will deal with us according to all his wondrous works, that he may go up from us.**

Jeremiah 21

³Then said Jeremiah unto them, **Thus shall ye say to Zedekiah:**

Jeremiah 21

⁴Thus saith the LORD God of Israel; **Behold, I will turn back the weapons of war that are in your hands, wherewith ye fight against the king of Babylon, and against the Chaldeans, which besiege you without the walls, and I will assemble them into the midst of this city.**

Jeremiah 21

⁵And **I myself will fight against you** with an outstretched hand and with a strong arm, even in anger, and in fury, and in great wrath.

Jeremiah 21

⁶And **I will smite the inhabitants** of this city, both man and beast: they shall die of a great pestilence.

Jeremiah 21

⁷And afterward, saith the LORD, **I will deliver Zedekiah king of Judah, and his servants, and the people, and such as are left in this city from the pestilence, from the sword, and from the famine, into the hand of Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon, and into the hand of their enemies, and into the hand of those that seek their life: and he shall smite them with the edge of the sword; he shall not spare them, neither have pity, nor have mercy.**

Jeremiah 21

⁸And unto this people thou shalt say, Thus saith the LORD; **Behold, I set before you the way of life, and the way of death.**

Jeremiah 21

Jeremiah 21

⁹ He that abideth in this city shall **die by the sword**, and **by the famine**, and **by the pestilence**: but he that **goeth out, and falleth to the Chaldeans** that besiege you, he shall live, and his life shall be unto him for a prey.

Jeremiah 21

¹⁰ For I have set my face against this city for evil, and not for good, saith the LORD: it shall be given into the hand of the king of Babylon, and he shall burn it with fire.

Jeremiah 21

¹¹ And touching the house of the king of Judah, say, Hear ye the Word of the LORD;

Jeremiah 21

¹² O house of David, thus saith the LORD; **Execute judgment** in the morning, and deliver him that is spoiled out of the hand of the oppressor, lest my fury go out like fire, and burn that none can quench it, because of the evil of your doings.

Jeremiah 21

¹³ Behold, I am against thee, O inhabitant of the valley [vale, broad depression], and rock of the plain, saith the LORD; which say, Who shall come down against us? or who shall enter into our habitations?

Plain - [OT:4334](#) מִישׁוֹר **miyshowr** (mee-shore'); or **miyshor** (mee-shore'); from [OT:3474](#); a level, i.e. a plain (often used [with the article prefix] as a properly, name of certain districts); figuratively, concord; also straightness, i.e. (figuratively) justice (sometimes adverbially, justly): **KJV** - equity, even place, plain, right (-eously), (made) straight, uprightness.

Jeremiah 21

¹⁴ But **I will punish you according to the fruit of your doings**, saith the LORD: and **I will kindle a fire in the forest thereof, and it shall devour all things round about it.**

Jeremiah 22

Jeremiah 22

¹ Thus saith the LORD; Go down to the house of the king of Judah, and speak there this Word,

Jeremiah 22

² And say, Hear the Word of the LORD, O king of Judah, that sittest upon the throne of David, thou, and thy servants, and thy people that enter in by these gates:

Jeremiah 22

³ Thus saith the LORD; Execute ye judgment and righteousness, and deliver the spoiled out of the hand of the oppressor: and **do no wrong, do no violence to the stranger, the fatherless, nor the widow, neither shed innocent blood in this place.**

Jeremiah 22

⁴ For if ye do this thing indeed, then shall there enter in by the gates of this house kings sitting upon the throne of David, riding in chariots and on horses, he, and his servants, and his people.

Jeremiah 22

⁵ But **if ye will not hear these Words**, I swear by myself, saith the LORD, that this house shall become a desolation.

Jeremiah 22

⁶ For thus saith the LORD unto the king's house of Judah; Thou art Gilead unto me, and the head of Lebanon: yet surely I will make thee a wilderness, and cities which are not inhabited.

Jeremiah 22

⁷ And **I will prepare destroyers against thee**, every one with his weapons: and they shall cut down thy choice cedars, and cast them into the fire.

Jeremiah 22

⁸ And many nations shall pass by this city, and they shall say every man to his neighbour, Wherefore hath the LORD done thus unto this great city?

Jeremiah 22

⁹ Then they shall answer, Because they have **forsaken the covenant** of the LORD their God, and **worshipped other gods, and served them.**

Jeremiah 22

¹⁰ **Weep ye not for the dead, neither bemoan him: but weep sore for him that goeth away: for he shall return no more, nor see his native country.**

Jeremiah 22

¹¹ For thus saith the LORD touching **Shallum** the son of Josiah king of Judah, which reigned instead of Josiah his father, which went forth out of this place; **He shall not return thither any more:**

Jeremiah 22

Jeremiah 22

¹² But he shall **die in the place whither they have led him captive**, and shall see this land no more.

Jeremiah 22

¹³ Woe unto him that **buildeth his house by unrighteousness**, and his **chambers by wrong**; that useth his **neighbour's service without wages**, and **giveth him not for his work**;

Jeremiah 22

¹⁴ That saith, I will build me a wide house and large chambers, and cutteth him out windows; and it is cieled with cedar, and painted with vermilion.

Jeremiah 22

¹⁵ Shalt thou reign, because thou closest thyself in cedar? did not thy father eat and drink, and do judgment and justice, and then it was well with him?

Jeremiah 22

¹⁶ He judged the cause of the poor and needy; then it was well with him: was not this to know me? saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 22

¹⁷ But thine eyes and thine heart are not but for thy covetousness, and for to shed innocent blood, and for oppression, and for violence, to do it.

Jeremiah 22

¹⁸ Therefore thus saith the LORD concerning **Jehoiakim** the son of Josiah king of Judah; They shall not lament for him, saying, Ah my brother! or, Ah sister! they shall not lament for him, saying, Ah lord! or, Ah his glory!

Jeremiah 22

¹⁹ He shall be **buried with the burial of an ass**, drawn and cast forth beyond the gates of Jerusalem.

Jeremiah 22

²⁰ Go up to Lebanon, and cry; and lift up thy voice in Bashan, and cry from the passages: for all **thy lovers are destroyed**.

Jeremiah 22

²¹ I spake unto thee in thy prosperity; but thou saidst, I will not hear. This hath been thy manner from thy youth, that thou **obeyedst not my voice**.

Jeremiah 22

²² **The wind shall eat up all thy pastors, and thy lovers shall go into captivity: surely then shalt thou be ashamed and confounded for all thy wickedness.**

Jeremiah 22

Jeremiah 22

²³ O inhabitant of Lebanon, that makest thy nest in the cedars, how gracious shalt thou be when pangs come upon thee, the pain as of a woman in travail!

Jeremiah 22

²⁴ As I live, saith the LORD, though **Coniah** the son of Jehoiakim king of Judah were the signet upon my right hand, yet would **I pluck thee thence**;

Jeremiah 22

²⁵ And **I will give thee into the hand of them that seek thy life**, and into the hand of them whose face thou fearest, even into the hand of **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon**, and into the **hand of the Chaldeans**.

Jeremiah 22

²⁶ And I will cast thee out, and thy mother that bare thee, into another country, where ye were not born; and there shall ye die.

Jeremiah 22

²⁷ But to the land whereunto they desire to return, thither shall they not return.

Jeremiah 22

²⁸ Is this man Coniah a despised broken idol? is he a vessel wherein is no pleasure? wherefore are they cast out, he and his seed, and are cast into a land which they know not?

Jeremiah 22

²⁹ **O earth, earth, earth, hear the Word of the LORD.**

Jeremiah 22

³⁰ Thus saith the LORD, **Write ye this man childless**, a man that **shall not prosper** in his days: for **no man of his seed shall prosper**, sitting upon the throne of David, and ruling any more in Judah.

Jeremiah 23

Jeremiah 23

¹ Woe be unto the [false] pastors that destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 23

² Therefore thus saith the LORD God of Israel against the pastors that feed my people; Ye have scattered my flock, and driven them away, and have not visited them: behold, I will visit upon you the evil of your doings, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 23

³ And I will gather the remnant of my flock out of all countries whither I have driven them, and will bring them again to their folds; and they shall be fruitful and increase.

Jeremiah 23

⁴ And I will set up shepherds over them which shall feed them: and they shall fear no more, nor be dismayed, neither shall they be lacking, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 23

⁵ Behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that I will raise unto David a righteous Branch, and a King shall reign and prosper, and shall execute judgment and justice in the earth.

Jeremiah 23

⁶ In his days Judah shall be saved, and Israel shall dwell safely: and this is his name whereby

he shall be called, **THE LORD OUR
RIGHTEOUSNESS.**

Jeremiah 23

⁷ Therefore, behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that they shall no more say, The LORD liveth, which brought up the children of Israel out of the land of Egypt;

Jeremiah 23

Jeremiah 23

⁸ But, **The LORD liveth**, which brought up and which led the seed of the house of Israel out of the north country, and from all countries whither I had driven them; and they shall dwell in their own land.

Jeremiah 23

⁹ **Mine heart within me is broken because of the prophets; all my bones shake; I am like a drunken man, and like a man whom wine hath overcome, because of the LORD, and because of the Words of His holiness.**

Ephesians 5

18 And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit;

1 Corinthians 10

4 And did all drink the same spiritual drink: for they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them: and that Rock was Christ.

Jeremiah 23

¹⁰ For the **land is full of adulterers**; for because of swearing the land mourneth; the pleasant places of the wilderness are dried up, and their course is evil, and their force is not right.

Jeremiah 23

¹¹ For **both prophet and priest are profane**; yea, in my house have **I found their wickedness [evil]**, saith the LORD.

Profane - [OT:2610](#) חָנָפִים **chaneph** (khaw-nafe'); a primitive root; to soil, especially in a moral sense: **KJV** - corrupt, defile, ^xgreatly, pollute, profane.

Jeremiah 23

¹² Wherefore **their way shall be unto them as slippery ways in the darkness**: they shall be **driven on**, and **fall** therein: for **I will bring evil upon them**, even the year of their visitation, saith the LORD.

Slippery - [OT:2519](#) חַלְאֻלָּה **chalaqlaqqah** (khal-ak-lak-kaw'); by reduplication from [OT:2505](#); properly, something very smooth; i.e. a treacherous spot; figuratively, blandishment: **KJV** - flattery, slippery.

Jeremiah 23

¹³ And I have seen folly in the prophets of Samaria; they prophesied in Baal, and **caused my people Israel to err**.

Jeremiah 23

Jeremiah 23

¹⁴ I have seen also in the **prophets of Jerusalem an horrible thing**: they commit adultery, and walk in lies: they strengthen also the hands of evildoers, that none doth return from his wickedness; **they are all of them unto me as Sodom, and the inhabitants thereof as Gomorrah.**

Horrible thing - [OT:8186](#) שְׁעֵרֵי־רָהַב **sha`aruwrah** (shah-ar-oo-raw'); or **sha`ariyriyah** (shah-ar-ee-ree-yaw'); or **sha`arurith** (shah-ar-oo-reeth'); feminine from [OT:8176](#) in the sense of [OT:8175](#); something fearful: **KJV** - horrible thing.

Jeremiah 23

¹⁵ Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts concerning the prophets; Behold, **I will feed them with wormwood, and make them drink the water of gall**: for from the prophets of Jerusalem is **profaneness** gone forth into all the land.

Wormwood - [OT:3939](#) לְעֵנָב **la`anah** (lah-an-aw'); from an unused root supposed to mean to curse; wormwood (regarded as poisonous, and therefore accursed): **KJV** - hemlock, wormwood.

Gall - [OT:7219](#) שֶׁן־רֹשׁ **ro'sh** (roshe); or **rowsh** ([Deut 32:32](#)) (roshe); apparently the same as [OT:7218](#); a poisonous plant, probably the poppy (from its conspicuous head); generally poison (even of serpents): **KJV** - gall, hemlock, poison, venom.

Profaneness - [OT:2613](#) חַנְּפָה **chanuphah** (khan-oo-faw'); feminine from [OT:2610](#); impiety: **KJV** - profaneness.

Jeremiah 23

¹⁶ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, **Hearken not unto the words of the prophets that prophesy unto you**: they make you vain: they speak a vision of their own heart, and not out of the mouth of the LORD.

Jeremiah 23

¹⁷ They [lying prophets] say still unto them that **despise me**, The LORD hath said, Ye shall have peace; and they say unto every one that walketh after the **imagination of his own heart, No evil shall come upon you.**

Jeremiah 23

¹⁸ For who hath stood in the counsel of the LORD, and hath perceived and heard his Word? who hath marked his Word, and heard it?

Jeremiah 23

Jeremiah 23

¹⁹ Behold, a **whirlwind** of the LORD is gone forth in fury, even a **grievous** whirlwind: it shall fall grievously upon the head of the wicked.

Whirlwind - [OT:5591](#) **צַעַר** **ca`ar** (sah'-ar); or (feminine) **ce`arah** (seh-aw-raw'); from [OT:5590](#); a hurricane: **KJV** - storm (-y), tempest, whirlwind.

Grievous - [OT:2342](#) **חָוַל** **chuwl** (khood); or **chiyl** (kheel); a primitive root; properly, to twist or whirl (in a circular or spiral manner), i.e. (specifically) to dance, to writhe in pain (especially of parturition) or fear; figuratively, to wait, to pervert: **KJV** - bear, (make to) bring forth, (make to) calve, dance, drive away, fall grievously (with pain), fear, form, great, grieve, (be) grievous, hope, look, make, be in pain, be much (sore) pained, rest, shake, shapen, (be) sorrow (-ful), stay, tarry, travail (with pain), tremble, trust, wait carefully (patiently), be wounded.

Jeremiah 23

²⁰ **The anger of the LORD shall not return, until He have executed, and till He have performed the thoughts of His heart: in the latter days ye shall consider it perfectly.**

Jeremiah 23

²¹ I have not sent these prophets, yet they ran: **I have not spoken to them, yet they prophesied.**

Jeremiah 23

²² But if they had stood in my counsel, and had caused my people to hear my Words, then **they should have turned them from their evil way, and from the evil of their doings.**

Jeremiah 23

²³ Am I a God at hand, saith the LORD, and not a God afar off?

Jeremiah 23

²⁴ **Can any hide himself in secret places that I shall not see him? saith the LORD. Do not I fill heaven and earth? saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 23

²⁵ I have heard what the [false] prophets said, that **prophesy lies in my name**, saying, **I have dreamed, I have dreamed.**

Jeremiah 23

²⁶ How long shall this be in the heart of the prophets that prophesy lies? yea, **they are prophets of the deceit [fraud] of their own heart;**

Jeremiah 23

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²⁷ Which think to **cause my people to forget my name by their dreams** which they tell every man to his neighbour, as their fathers have forgotten my name for Baal.

Jeremiah 23

²⁸ The **prophet that hath a dream, let him tell a dream; and he that hath my Word, let him speak my Word faithfully.** What is the chaff to the wheat? saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 23

²⁹ Is not my **Word like as a fire?** saith the LORD; and like a **hammer that breaketh the rock in pieces?**

Jeremiah 23

³⁰ Therefore, behold, **I am against the [false] prophets,** saith the LORD, that steal my Words every one from his neighbour.

Jeremiah 23

³¹ Behold, I am against the prophets, saith the LORD, **that use their tongues,** and say, He saith.

Jeremiah 23

³² Behold, **I am against them that prophesy false dreams,** saith the LORD, and do tell them, and cause **my people to err by their lies [sham],** and by **their lightness [frivolity];** yet **I sent them not, nor commanded them:** therefore they shall not profit this people at all, saith the LORD.

Err - [OT:8582](#) תַּאֲהוּ ta`ah (taw-aw'); a primitive root; to vacillate, i.e. reel or stray (literally or figuratively); also causative of both:

KJV - (cause to) go astray, deceive, dissemble, (cause to, make to) err, pant, seduce, (make to) stagger, (cause to) wander, be out of the way.

Jeremiah 23

³³ And when this people, or the prophet, or a priest, shall ask thee, saying, What is the burden of the LORD? thou shalt then say unto them, What burden? **I will even forsake you,** saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 23

³⁴ And as for the prophet, and the priest, and the people, that shall say, **The burden of the LORD, I will even punish that man and his house.**

Jeremiah 23

³⁵ Thus shall ye say every one to his neighbour, and every one to his brother, What hath the LORD answered? and, What hath the LORD spoken?

Jeremiah 23

Jeremiah 23

³⁶ And the burden of the LORD shall ye mention [remember] no more: for **every man's word shall be his burden**; for ye have **perverted the Words of the living God, of the LORD of hosts our God**.

Perverted - [OT:2015](#) פָּדַח **haphak** (haw-fak'); a primitive root; to turn about or over; by implication, to change, overturn, return, pervert:

KJV - ^x become, change, come, be converted, give, make [a bed], overthrow (-turn), perverse, retire, tumble, turn (again, aside, back, to the contrary, every way).

Jeremiah 23

³⁷ Thus shalt thou say to the [false] prophet, What hath the LORD answered thee? and, What hath the LORD spoken?

Jeremiah 23

³⁸ But since ye say, The burden of the LORD; therefore thus saith the LORD; Because ye say this word, The burden of the LORD, and I have sent unto you, saying, Ye shall not say, The burden of the LORD;

Jeremiah 23

³⁹ Therefore, behold, **I, even I, will utterly forget you, and I will forsake you, and the city that I gave you and your fathers, and cast you out of my presence:**

Jeremiah 23

⁴⁰ And I will bring an **everlasting reproach [disgrace] upon you, and a perpetual shame [disgrace], which shall not be forgotten.**

Everlasting/perpetual - [OT:5769](#) עוֹלָם **`owlam** (o-lawm'); or `olam (o-lawm'); from [OT:5956](#); properly, concealed, i.e. the vanishing point; generally, time out of mind (past or future), i.e. (practically) eternity; frequently, adverbial (especially with prepositional prefix) always:

KJV - always (-s), ancient (time), any more, continuance, eternal, (for, [n-]) ever (-lasting, -more, of old), lasting, long (time), (of) old (time), perpetual, at any time, (beginning of the) world (+without end). Compare [OT:5331](#), [OT:5703](#).

Jeremiah 24

Jeremiah 24

¹ The LORD shewed me, and, behold, **two baskets of figs** were set before the temple of the LORD, after that **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon had carried away captive** Jeconiah the son of Jehoiakim king of Judah, and the princes of Judah, with the carpenters and smiths, from Jerusalem, and had brought them to Babylon.

Jeremiah 24

² **One basket had very good figs**, even like the **figs that are first ripe**: and the other basket had very **naughty [evil] figs, which could not be eaten, they were so bad.**

Jeremiah 24

³ Then said the LORD unto me, What seest thou, Jeremiah? And I said, **Figs; the good figs**, very good; and the **evil, very evil, that cannot be eaten, they are so evil.**

Jeremiah 24

⁴ Again the Word of the LORD came unto me, saying,

Jeremiah 24

⁵ Thus saith the LORD, the God of Israel; **Like these good figs, so will I acknowledge them that are carried away captive of Judah, whom I have sent out of this place into the land of the Chaldeans for their good.**

Jeremiah 24

⁶ For I will set mine eyes upon them for good, and I will bring them again to this land: and I will build them, and not pull them down; and I will plant them, and **not pluck them up.**

Jeremiah 24

⁷ And I will give them an heart to know me, that I am the LORD: and they shall be my people, and I will be their God: for **they shall return unto me with their whole heart.**

Jeremiah 24

⁸ And as the **evil figs**, which cannot be eaten, they are so evil; surely thus saith the LORD, **So will I give Zedekiah the king of Judah, and his princes, and the residue of Jerusalem, that remain in this land, and them that dwell in the land of Egypt:**

Jeremiah 24

⁹ And I will deliver them to be removed into all the kingdoms of the earth for their hurt, to be a reproach and a proverb, a taunt and a curse, in all places whither I shall drive them.

Jeremiah 24

¹⁰ And I will send the sword, the famine, and the pestilence, among them, till they be consumed from off the land that I gave unto them and to their fathers.

Jeremiah 25

Jeremiah 25

¹ The Word that came to Jeremiah concerning all the people of Judah in the fourth [4th] year of **Jehoiakim** the son of Josiah king of Judah, that was the **first year of Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon**;

Jeremiah 25

² The which Jeremiah the prophet spake unto all the people of Judah, and to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, saying,

Jeremiah 25

³ From the thirteenth [30th] year of **Josiah** the son of Amon king of Judah, even unto this day, that is the three and twentieth [23rd] year, the Word of the LORD hath come unto me, and I have spoken unto you, **rising early and speaking**; but **ye have not hearkened**.

Jeremiah 25

⁴ And the LORD hath sent unto you all his servants the prophets, rising early and sending them; but **ye have not hearkened, nor inclined your ear to hear**.

Jeremiah 25

⁵ They said, **Turn ye again now every one from his evil way, and from the evil of your doings, and dwell in the land that the LORD hath given unto you and to your fathers for ever and ever**:

Jeremiah 25

⁶ And **go not after other gods to serve them, and to worship them, and provoke me not to anger with the works of your hands; and I will do you no hurt**.

Jeremiah 25

⁷ Yet ye have not **hearkened unto me**, saith the LORD; that ye might provoke me to anger with the works of your hands to your own hurt.

Jeremiah 25

⁸ Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts; **Because ye have not heard my Words**,

Jeremiah 25

⁹ Behold, I will send and take all the families of the north, saith the LORD, and **Nebuchadrezzar the king of Babylon, my servant**, and will bring them **against this land, and against the inhabitants thereof, and against all these nations round about, and will utterly destroy them, and make them an astonishment, and an hissing, and perpetual desolations**.

Jeremiah 25

Jeremiah 25

¹⁰ Moreover I will take from them the voice of mirth, and the voice of gladness, the voice of the bridegroom, and the voice of the bride, the sound of the millstones, and the light of the candle.

Jeremiah 25

¹¹ And this **whole land shall be a desolation**, and an **astonishment**; and these nations shall serve the king of Babylon seventy [70] years.

Jeremiah 25

¹² And it shall come to pass, when seventy [70] years are accomplished, that **I will punish the king of Babylon**, and that nation, saith the LORD, for their iniquity, and the land of the Chaldeans, and will **make it perpetual desolations**.

Jeremiah 25

¹³ And I will bring upon that land all my Words which I have pronounced against it, even all that is **written in this book**, which **Jeremiah hath prophesied** against all the nations.

Jeremiah 25

¹⁴ For many nations and great kings shall serve themselves of them also: and **I will recompense them according to their deeds, and according to the works of their own hands**.

Jeremiah 25

¹⁵ For thus saith the LORD God of Israel unto me; Take the wine cup of this fury at my hand, and cause all the nations, to whom I send thee, to drink it.

Jeremiah 25

¹⁶ And they shall **drink**, and **be moved**, and **be mad**, because of the sword that I will send among them.

Jeremiah 25

¹⁷ Then took I the cup at the LORD's hand, and **made all the nations to drink**, unto whom the LORD had sent me:

Jeremiah 25

¹⁸ To wit, Jerusalem, and the cities of Judah, and the kings thereof, and the princes thereof, to make them a desolation, an astonishment, an hissing, and a curse; as **it is this day**;

Jeremiah 25

¹⁹ Pharaoh king of Egypt, and his servants, and his princes, and all his people;

Jeremiah 25

Jeremiah 25

²⁰ And all the **mingled people**, and all the kings of the land of Uz, and all the kings of the land of the Philistines, and Ashkelon, and Azzah, and Ekron, and the remnant of Ashdod,

Jeremiah 25

²¹ Edom, and Moab, and the children of Ammon,

Jeremiah 25

²² And all the kings of Tyrus, and all the kings of Zidon, and the kings of the isles which are beyond the sea,

Jeremiah 25

²³ Dedan, and Tema, and Buz, and all that are in the utmost corners,

Jeremiah 25

²⁴ And all the kings of Arabia, and all the kings of the mingled people that dwell in the desert,

Jeremiah 25

²⁵ And all the kings of Zimri, and all the kings of Elam, and all the kings of the Medes,

Jeremiah 25

²⁶ And all the kings of the north, far and near, one with another, and all the kingdoms of the world, which are upon the face of the earth: and the king of Sheshach **shall drink after them.**

Jeremiah 25

²⁷ Therefore thou shalt say unto them, Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; **Drink ye, and be drunken, and spue, and fall, and rise no more, because of the sword which I will send among you.**

Jeremiah 25

²⁸ And it shall be, **if they refuse to take the cup at thine hand to drink**, then shalt thou say unto them, **Thus saith the LORD of hosts; Ye shall certainly drink.**

Jeremiah 25

²⁹ For, lo, I begin to bring evil on the city which is called by my name, and should ye be **utterly unpunished? Ye shall not be unpunished:** for I will call for a sword upon all the inhabitants of the earth, saith the LORD of hosts.

Jeremiah 25

³⁰ Therefore prophesy thou against them all these Words, and say unto them, **The LORD shall roar from on high, and utter His voice from His holy habitation; He shall mightily roar upon His habitation; He shall give a shout, as they that tread the grapes, against all the inhabitants of the earth.**

Jeremiah 25

Jeremiah 25

³¹ **A noise shall come even to the ends of the earth;** for the LORD hath a controversy with the nations, he will plead with all flesh; he will give them that are wicked to the sword, saith the LORD.

Controversy - [OT:7379](#) רִיב **riyb** (reeb); or **rib** (reeb); from [OT:7378](#); a contest (personal or legal):

KJV - + adversary, cause, chiding, contend (-tion), controversy, multitude [from the margin], pleading, strife, strive (-ing), suit.

Jeremiah 25

³² Thus saith the LORD of hosts, **Behold, evil shall go forth from nation to nation, and a great whirlwind shall be raised up from the coasts of the earth.**

Jeremiah 25

³³ And **the slain of the LORD shall be at that day from one end of the earth even unto the other end of the earth:** they shall not be lamented, neither gathered, nor buried; **they shall be dung upon the ground.**

Jeremiah 25

³⁴ Howl, ye shepherds, and cry; and wallow yourselves in the ashes, ye principal of the flock: for **the days of your slaughter and of your dispersions are accomplished;** and ye shall fall like a pleasant vessel.

Jeremiah 25

³⁵ And the **shepherds shall have no way to flee, nor the principal of the flock to escape.**

Jeremiah 25

³⁶ A voice of the cry of the shepherds, and an howling of the principal of the flock, shall be heard: for **the LORD hath spoiled their pasture.**

Jeremiah 25

³⁷ And the **peaceable habitations are cut down because of the fierce anger of the LORD.**

Jeremiah 25

³⁸ He hath **forsaken his covert,** as the lion: for their **land is desolate because of the fierceness of the oppressor,** and because of **His fierce anger.**

Opressor - [OT:3238](#) יָנַח **yanah** (yaw-naw'); a primitive root; to rage or be violent: by implication, to suppress, to maltreat:

KJV - destroy, (thrust out by) oppress (-ing, -ion, -or), proud, vex, do violence.

Jeremiah 26

Jeremiah 26

¹ In the **beginning of the reign of Jehoiakim** the son of Josiah king of Judah came this Word from the LORD, saying,

Jeremiah 26

² Thus saith the LORD; **Stand in the court of the LORD's house**, and speak unto all the cities of Judah, which come to worship in the LORD's house, all the Words that I command thee to speak unto them; **diminish not a Word**:

Jeremiah 26

³ **If so be they will hearken**, and turn every man from his evil way, **that I may repent** me of the evil, which I purpose to do unto them because of the evil of their doings.

Jeremiah 26

⁴ And thou shalt say unto them, Thus saith the LORD; **If ye will not hearken to me, to walk in my law, which I have set before you,**

Jeremiah 26

⁵ **To hearken to the Words of my servants the prophets**, whom I sent unto you, both rising up early, and sending them, **but ye have not hearkened**;

Jeremiah 26

⁶ Then will **I make this house like Shiloh, and will make this city a curse to all the nations of the earth.**

Jeremiah 26

⁷ So the priests and the prophets and all the people heard Jeremiah speaking these Words in the house of the LORD.

Jeremiah 26

⁸ Now it came to pass, when **Jeremiah had made an end of speaking all that the LORD had commanded him to speak unto all the people, that the priests and the prophets and all the people took him, saying, Thou shalt surely die.**

Jeremiah 26

⁹ **Why hast thou prophesied** [thusly] in the name of the LORD, saying, This house shall be like Shiloh, and this city shall be desolate without an inhabitant? And all the people were gathered against Jeremiah in the house of the LORD.

Jeremiah 26

¹⁰ When the princes of Judah heard these things, then they came up from the king's house unto the house of the LORD, and sat down in the entry of the new gate of the LORD's house.

Jeremiah 26

Jeremiah 26

¹¹ Then spake the priests and the prophets unto the princes and to all the people, saying, **This man is worthy to die**; for he hath **prophesied against this city**, as ye have heard with your ears.

Jeremiah 26

¹² Then spake **Jeremiah** unto all the princes and to all the people, saying, **The LORD sent me to prophesy against this house and against this city all the Words that ye have heard.**

Jeremiah 26

¹³ Therefore now **amend your ways and your doings**, and **obey the voice of the LORD your God**; and **the LORD will repent him of the evil that He hath pronounced against you.**

Jeremiah 26

¹⁴ As for me, behold, I am in your hand: do with me as seemeth good and meet unto you.

Jeremiah 26

¹⁵ But know ye for certain, that **if ye put me to death, ye shall surely bring innocent blood upon yourselves, and upon this city, and upon the inhabitants thereof: for of a truth the LORD hath sent me unto you to speak all these Words in your ears.**

Jeremiah 26

¹⁶ Then said the princes and all the people unto the priests and to the prophets; **This man is not worthy to die**: for he hath spoken to us in the name of the **LORD our God.**

Jeremiah 26

¹⁷ Then rose up certain of the elders of the land, and spake to all the assembly of the people, saying,

Jeremiah 26

¹⁸ Micah the Morasthite prophesied in the days of Hezekiah king of Judah, and spake to all the people of Judah, saying, Thus saith the LORD of hosts; **Zion shall be plowed like a field, and Jerusalem shall become heaps, and the mountain of the house as the high places of a forest.**

Jeremiah 26

¹⁹ Did Hezekiah king of Judah and all Judah put him at all to death? did he not fear the LORD, and besought the LORD, and **the LORD repented him of the evil which he had pronounced against them? Thus might we procure great evil against our souls.**

Jeremiah 26

Jeremiah 26

²⁰ And there was also a man that prophesied in the name of the LORD, Urijah the son of Shemaiah of Kirjathjearim, who **prophesied against this city and against this land according to all the Words of Jeremiah.**

Jeremiah 26

²¹ And when **Jehoiakim the king**, with all his mighty men, and all the princes, **heard his Words, the king sought to put him to death:** but when **Urijah heard it, he was afraid, and fled, and went into Egypt;**

Jeremiah 26

²² And Jehoiakim the king sent men into Egypt, namely, Elnathan the son of Achbor, and certain men with him into Egypt.

Jeremiah 26

²³ And they fetched forth Urijah out of Egypt, and brought him unto Jehoiakim the king; who slew him with the sword, and cast his dead body into the graves of the common people.

Jeremiah 26

²⁴ Nevertheless the hand of **Ahikam the son of Shaphan was with Jeremiah, that they should NOT give him into the hand of the people to put him to death.**

Jeremiah 27

Jeremiah 27

¹ In the beginning of the reign of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah king of Judah came this Word unto Jeremiah from the LORD, saying,

Jeremiah 27

² Thus saith the LORD to me; **Make thee bonds and yokes, and put them upon thy neck,**

Jeremiah 27

³ And send them to the king of Edom, and to the king of Moab, and to the king of the Ammonites, and to the king of Tyrus, and to the king of Zidon, by the hand of the messengers which come to Jerusalem unto Zedekiah king of Judah;

Jeremiah 27

⁴ And command them to say unto their masters, Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Thus shall ye say unto your masters;

Jeremiah 27

⁵ I have made the earth, the man and the beast that are upon the ground, by my great power and by my outstretched arm, and have given it unto whom it seemed meet unto me.

Jeremiah 27

⁶ And now have I given all these lands into the hand of Nebuchadnezzar the king of Babylon, my servant; and the beasts of the field have I given him also to serve him.

Jeremiah 27

⁷ And all nations shall serve him, and his son, and his son's son, until the very time of his land come: and then many nations and great kings shall serve themselves of him.

Jeremiah 27

⁸ And it shall come to pass, that the nation and kingdom which will not serve the same Nebuchadnezzar the king of Babylon, and that will not put their neck under the yoke of the king of Babylon, that nation will I punish, saith the LORD, with the sword, and with the famine, and with the pestilence, until I have consumed them by his hand.

Jeremiah 27

⁹ Therefore **hearken not ye to your [false] prophets**, nor to your **diviners**, nor to your **dreamers**, nor to your **enchanters**, nor to your **sorcerers**, which speak unto you, saying, Ye shall not serve the king of Babylon:

Jeremiah 27

¹⁰ For they **prophesy a lie** unto you, to remove you far from your land; and that I should drive you out, and ye should perish.

Jeremiah 27

Jeremiah 27

¹¹ But the nations that bring their neck under the yoke of the king of Babylon, and serve him, those will I let **remain still in their own land**, saith the LORD; and **they shall till it, and dwell therein.**

Jeremiah 27

¹² I spake also to Zedekiah king of Judah according to all these Words, saying, Bring your necks under the yoke of the king of Babylon, and serve him and his people, and live.

Jeremiah 27

¹³ Why will ye die, thou and thy people, by the sword, by the famine, and by the pestilence, as the LORD hath spoken against the nation that will not serve the king of Babylon?

Jeremiah 27

¹⁴ Therefore hearken not unto the words of the prophets that speak unto you, saying, Ye shall not serve the king of Babylon: for **they prophesy a lie** unto you.

Jeremiah 27

¹⁵ For I have not sent them, saith the LORD, yet they **prophesy a lie** in my name; that I might drive you out, and that ye might perish, ye, and the prophets that prophesy unto you.

Jeremiah 27

¹⁶ Also I spake to the priests and to all this people, saying, Thus saith the LORD; **Hearken not to the words of your prophets that prophesy unto you**, saying, Behold, the vessels of the LORD's house shall now shortly be brought again from Babylon: for **they prophesy a lie unto you.**

Jeremiah 27

¹⁷ Hearken not unto them; **serve the king of Babylon, and live**: wherefore should this city be laid waste?

Jeremiah 27

¹⁸ But **if they be prophets**, and if the word of the LORD be with them, **let them now make intercession to the LORD of hosts**, that the vessels which are left in the house of the LORD, and in the house of the king of Judah, and at Jerusalem, go not to Babylon.

Jeremiah 27

¹⁹ For thus saith the LORD of hosts concerning the pillars, and concerning the sea, and concerning the bases, and concerning the residue of the vessels that remain in this city.

Jeremiah 27

²⁰ Which Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon took not, when he carried away captive Jeconiah the son of Jehoiakim king of Judah from Jerusalem to Babylon, and all the nobles of Judah and Jerusalem;

Jeremiah 27

Jeremiah 27

²¹ Yea, thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, concerning the vessels that remain in the house of the LORD, and in the house of the king of Judah and of Jerusalem;

Jeremiah 27

²² **They shall be carried to Babylon**, and there shall they be until the day that I visit them, saith the LORD; **then will I bring them up, and restore them to this place.**

Jeremiah 28

Jeremiah 28

¹ And it came to pass the same year, in the beginning of the reign of Zedekiah king of Judah, in the fourth [4th] year, and in the fifth [5th] month, that **Hananiah** the son of Azur the [false] prophet, which was of Gibeon, spake unto me in the house of the LORD, in the presence of the priests and of all the people, saying [lying],

Hananiah - [OT:2608](#) חַנַּנְיָהוּ **Chananyah** (khan-an-yaw'); or **Chananyahuw** (khan-an-yaw'-hoo); from [OT:2603](#) and [OT:3050](#); Jah has favored; Chananjah, the name of thirteen Israelites: -Hananiah.

Jeremiah 28

² Thus speaketh the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, saying, **I have broken the yoke of the king of Babylon.**

Jeremiah 28

³ **Within two [2] full years will I bring again into this place all the vessels of the LORD's house, that Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon took away from this place, and carried them to Babylon:**

Jeremiah 28

⁴ **And I will bring again to this place Jeconiah the son of Jehoiakim king of Judah, with all the captives of Judah, that went into Babylon, saith the LORD: for I will break the yoke of the king of Babylon.**

Jeremiah 28

⁵ Then the prophet **Jeremiah said unto the [false] prophet Hananiah** in the presence of the priests, and in the presence of all the people that stood in the house of the LORD,

Hananiah - [OT:2608](#) חַנַּנְיָהוּ **Chananyah** (khan-an-yaw'); or **Chananyahuw** (khan-an-yaw'-hoo); from [OT:2603](#) and [OT:3050](#); Jah has favored; Chananjah, the name of thirteen Israelites: -Hananiah.

Jeremiah 28

⁶ Even the prophet Jeremiah said [mocking], Amen: the LORD do so: the LORD perform thy words which thou hast [falsely] prophesied, to bring again the vessels of the LORD's house, and all that is carried away captive, from Babylon into this place.

Jeremiah 28

⁷ **Nevertheless hear thou now this Word that I speak in thine ears, and in the ears of all the people;**

Jeremiah 28

⁸ **The prophets that have been before me and before thee of old prophesied both against many countries, and against great kingdoms, of war, and of evil, and of pestilence.**

Jeremiah 28

Jeremiah 28

⁹ The prophet which prophesieth of peace, when the word of the prophet shall come to pass, then shall the prophet be known, that **the LORD hath truly sent him.**

Jeremiah 28

¹⁰ Then Hananiah the [false] prophet took the yoke from off the prophet Jeremiah's neck, and brake it.

Jeremiah 28

¹¹ And **Hananiah spake in the presence of all the people**, saying, Thus saith the LORD; Even so will I break the yoke of Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon from the neck of all nations within the space of two full years. And **the prophet Jeremiah went his way.**

Jeremiah 28

¹² Then the Word of the LORD came unto Jeremiah the prophet, after that Hananiah the [false] prophet had broken the yoke from off the neck of the prophet Jeremiah, saying,

Jeremiah 28

¹³ **Go and tell Hananiah**, saying, Thus saith the LORD; **Thou hast broken the yokes of wood; but thou shalt make for them yokes of iron.**

Jeremiah 28

¹⁴ For thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; **I have put a yoke of iron upon the neck of all these nations, that they may serve Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon; and they shall serve him: and I have given him the beasts of the field also.**

Jeremiah 28

¹⁵ Then said the prophet Jeremiah unto Hananiah the [false] prophet, Hear now, Hananiah; The LORD hath not sent thee; but thou **makest this people to trust in a lie.**

Jeremiah 28

¹⁶ Therefore thus saith the LORD; Behold, **I will cast thee from off the face of the earth: this year thou shalt die, because thou hast taught rebellion against the LORD.**

Jeremiah 28

¹⁷ So **Hananiah the prophet died the same year in the seventh [7th] month.**

Jeremiah 29

Jeremiah 29

¹ Now these are the Words of the letter that Jeremiah the prophet sent from Jerusalem unto the residue of the elders which were carried away captives, and to the priests, and to the prophets, and to all the people whom Nebuchadnezzar had carried away captive from Jerusalem to Babylon;

Jeremiah 29

² (After that Jeconiah the king, and the queen, and the eunuchs, the princes of Judah and Jerusalem, and the carpenters, and the smiths, were departed from Jerusalem;)

Jeremiah 29

³ By the hand of Elasah the son of Shaphan, and Gemariah the son of Hilkiah, (whom Zedekiah king of Judah sent unto Babylon to Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon) saying,

Jeremiah 29

⁴ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, unto all that are carried away captives, whom I have caused to be carried away from Jerusalem unto Babylon;

Jeremiah 29

⁵ **Build ye houses, and dwell in them; and plant gardens, and eat the fruit of them;**

Jeremiah 29

⁶ **Take ye wives, and beget sons and daughters; and take wives for your sons, and give your daughters to husbands, that they may bear sons and daughters; that ye may be increased there, and not diminished.**

Jeremiah 29

⁷ And **seek the peace** of the city whither I have caused you to be carried away captives, and pray unto the LORD for it: **for in the peace thereof shall ye have peace.**

Jeremiah 29

⁸ For thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; **Let not your prophets and your diviners, that be in the midst of you, deceive you, neither hearken to your dreams which ye cause to be dreamed.**

Jeremiah 29

⁹ For **they prophesy falsely** unto you in my name: **I have not sent them**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 29

¹⁰ For thus saith the LORD, That **after seventy [70] years be accomplished at Babylon** I will visit you, and **perform my good Word toward you, in causing you to return to this place.**

Jeremiah 29

Jeremiah 29

¹¹ For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an **expected end**.

Jeremiah 29

¹² Then shall ye call upon me, and ye shall go and pray unto me, and I will hearken unto you.

Jeremiah 29

¹³ And ye shall **seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart**.

Jeremiah 29

¹⁴ And I will be found of you, saith the LORD: and **I will turn away your captivity, and I will gather you from all the nations, and from all the places whither I have driven you, saith the LORD; and I will bring you again into the place whence I caused you to be carried away captive**.

Jeremiah 29

¹⁵ Because ye have said, **The LORD hath raised us up prophets in Babylon;**

Jeremiah 29

¹⁶ Know that thus saith the LORD of the king that sitteth upon the throne of David, and of all the people that dwelleth in this city, and of your brethren that are not gone forth with you into captivity;

Jeremiah 29

¹⁷ Thus saith the LORD of hosts; **Behold, I will send upon them the sword, the famine, and the pestilence, and will make them like vile figs, that cannot be eaten, they are so evil.**

Vile - [OT:8182](#) שׂוֹאֵר **sho`ar** (sho-awr'); from [OT:8176](#); harsh or horrid, i.e. offensive: **KJV** - vile.

Jeremiah 29

¹⁸ And **I will persecute them with the sword**, with the **famine**, and with the **pestilence**, and will deliver them to be **removed** to all the kingdoms of the earth, to be a **curse**, and an **astonishment**, and an **hissing**, and a **reproach**, among all the nations whither I have driven them:

Jeremiah 29

¹⁹ Because they have not hearkened to my Words, saith the LORD, which I sent unto them by my servants the prophets, rising up early and sending them; but ye would not hear, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 29

²⁰ **Hear ye therefore the Word of the LORD, all ye of the captivity**, whom I have sent from Jerusalem to Babylon:

Jeremiah 29

Jeremiah 29

²¹ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, of Ahab the son of Kolaiah, and of Zedekiah the son of Maaseiah, which prophesy a lie unto you in my name; Behold, I will deliver them into the hand of **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon**; and **he shall slay** them before your eyes;

Jeremiah 29

²² And of them shall be taken up a curse by all the captivity of Judah which are in Babylon, saying, The LORD make thee like Zedekiah and like Ahab, whom the king of Babylon roasted in the fire;

Jeremiah 29

²³ Because they have committed villany in Israel, and have **committed adultery** with their neighbours' wives, and have spoken **lying words** in my name, which I have not commanded them; even I know, and am a witness, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 29

²⁴ Thus shalt thou also speak to Shemaiah the Nehelamite, saying,

Jeremiah 29

²⁵ Thus speaketh the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, saying, Because thou hast sent letters in thy name unto all the people that are at Jerusalem, and to Zephaniah the son of Maaseiah the priest, and to all the priests, saying,

Jeremiah 29

²⁶ The LORD hath made thee priest in the stead of Jehoiada the priest, that ye should be officers in the house of the LORD, for every man that is mad, and maketh himself a prophet, that thou shouldest put him in prison, and in the stocks.

Jeremiah 29

²⁷ Now therefore why hast thou not reprov'd Jeremiah of Anathoth, which maketh himself a prophet to you?

Jeremiah 29

²⁸ For therefore he sent unto us in Babylon, saying, This captivity is long: build ye houses, and dwell in them; and plant gardens, and eat the fruit of them.

Jeremiah 29

²⁹ And Zephaniah the priest read this letter in the ears of Jeremiah the prophet.

Jeremiah 29

Jeremiah 29

³⁰ Then came the Word of the LORD unto Jeremiah, saying,

Jeremiah 29

³¹ **Send to all them of the captivity**, saying, Thus saith the LORD concerning Shemaiah the Nehelamite; **Because that Shemaiah hath prophesied unto you, and I sent him not, and he caused you to trust in a lie:**

Jeremiah 29

³² Therefore thus saith the LORD; Behold, **I will punish Shemaiah the Nehelamite, and his seed:** he shall not have a man to dwell among this people; neither shall he behold the good that I will do for my people, saith the LORD; **because he hath taught rebellion** against the LORD.

rebellion - [OT:5627](#) **רָבָה** **carah** (saw-raw'); from [OT:5493](#); apostasy, crime; figuratively, remission:

KJV - ~~x~~ continual, rebellion, revolt ([-ed]), turn away, wrong.

Jeremiah 30

Jeremiah 30

¹ The Word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD, saying,

Jeremiah 30

² Thus speaketh the LORD God of Israel, saying, **Write thee all the Words that I have spoken unto thee in a book.**

Jeremiah 30

³ For, lo, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that **I will bring again the captivity of my people Israel and Judah**, saith the LORD: and **I will cause them to return to the land that I gave to their fathers, and they shall possess it.**

Jeremiah 30

⁴ And these are the Words that the LORD spake concerning Israel and concerning Judah.

Jeremiah 30

⁵ For thus saith the LORD; We have heard a voice of trembling, of fear, and not of peace.

Jeremiah 30

⁶ Ask ye now, and see whether a man doth travail with child? wherefore do I see every man with his hands on his loins, as a woman in travail, and all faces are turned into paleness?

Jeremiah 30

⁷ Alas! for **that day is great**, so that none is like it: it is even the **time of Jacob's trouble**, but **he shall be saved out of it.**

Jeremiah 30

⁸ For it shall come to pass in that day, saith the LORD of hosts, that **I will break his yoke from off thy neck, and will burst thy bonds, and strangers shall no more serve themselves of him:**

Jeremiah 30

⁹ But **they shall serve the LORD their God, and David their king, whom I will raise up unto them.**

Jeremiah 30

¹⁰ Therefore fear thou not, O my servant Jacob, saith the LORD; neither be dismayed, O Israel: for, lo, **I will save thee from afar, and thy seed from the land of their captivity; and Jacob shall return, and shall be in rest, and be quiet, and none shall make him afraid.**

Jeremiah 30

Jeremiah 30

¹¹ For I am with thee, saith the LORD, to save thee: though **I make a full end of all nations** whither I have scattered thee, yet **I will not make a full end of thee**: but **I will correct thee in measure, and will not leave thee altogether unpunished.**

Jeremiah 30

¹² For thus saith the LORD, Thy bruise is incurable, and thy wound is grievous.

Incurable - [OT:605](#) אָנַשׁ 'anash (aw-nash'); a primitive root; to be frail, feeble, or (figuratively) melancholy:

KJV - desperate (-ly wicked), incurable, sick, woeful.

Grievous - [OT:2470](#) חָלָה chalah (khaw-law'); a primitive root [compare [OT:2342](#), [OT:2470](#), [OT:2490](#)]; properly, to be rubbed or worn; hence (figuratively) to be weak, sick, afflicted; or (causatively) to grieve, make sick; also to stroke (in flattering), entreat:

KJV - beseech, (be) diseased, (put to) grief, be grieved, (be) grievous, infirmity, intreat, lay to, put to pain, ^x pray, make prayer, be (fall, make) sick, sore, be sorry, make suit (X supplication), woman in travail, be (become) weak, be wounded.

Jeremiah 30

¹³ There is none to plead thy cause, that thou mayest be bound up: **thou hast no healing medicines.**

Jeremiah 30

¹⁴ All thy lovers have forgotten thee; they seek thee not; for I have wounded thee with the wound of an enemy, with the chastisement of a cruel one, for the multitude of thine iniquity; because thy sins were increased.

Jeremiah 30

¹⁵ Why criest thou for thine affliction? thy **sorrow is incurable** for the **multitude of thine iniquity**: because thy **sins were increased, I have done these things unto thee.**

Jeremiah 30

¹⁶ Therefore all **they that devour thee shall be devoured**; and all thine adversaries, every one of them, shall go into captivity; and **they that spoil thee shall be a spoil**, and **all that prey upon thee will I give for a prey.**

Jeremiah 30

¹⁷ For **I will restore health** unto thee, and **I will heal thee of thy wounds**, saith the LORD; because they called thee an Outcast, saying, This is Zion, whom no man seeketh after.

Jeremiah 30

Jeremiah 30

¹⁸ Thus saith the LORD; Behold, **I will bring again the captivity of Jacob's tents**, and have **mercy on his dwellingplaces**; and the city shall be builded upon her own heap, and the palace shall remain after the manner thereof.

Jeremiah 30

¹⁹ And out of them shall proceed thanksgiving and the voice of them that make merry: and I will multiply them, and they shall not be few; **I will also glorify them, and they shall not be small.**

Jeremiah 30

²⁰ Their children also shall be as aforetime, and their congregation shall be established before me, and **I will punish all that oppress [distress] them.**

Jeremiah 30

²¹ And their nobles shall be of themselves, and their governor shall proceed from the midst of them; and I will cause him to draw near, and he shall approach unto me: for who is this that **engaged his heart** to approach unto me? saith the LORD.

engaged - [OT:6148](#) עָרַב `arab (aw-rab'); a primitive root; to braid, i.e. intermix; technically, to traffic (as if by barter); also or give to be security (as a kind of exchange):

KJV - engage, (inter-) meddle (with), mingle (self), mortgage, occupy, give pledges, be (-come, put in) surety, undertake.

Jeremiah 30

²² And **ye shall be my people, and I will be your God.**

Jeremiah 30

²³ Behold, **the whirlwind of the LORD goeth forth with fury, a continuing whirlwind: it shall fall with pain upon the head of the wicked.**

Jeremiah 30

²⁴ **The fierce anger of the LORD shall not return, until he hath done it, and until he have performed the intents of his heart: in the latter days ye shall consider it.**

Jeremiah 31

Jeremiah 31

¹ At the same time, saith the LORD, will I be the God of all the families of Israel, and **they shall be my people.**

Jeremiah 31

² Thus saith the LORD, The **people which were left of the sword found grace in the wilderness; even Israel, when I went to cause him to rest.**

Jeremiah 31

³ The LORD hath appeared of old unto me, saying, Yea, **I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with lovingkindness have I drawn thee.**

Lovingkindness - [OT:2617](#) **רַחֲמִים** **checed** (kheh'-sed); from [OT:2616](#); kindness; by implication (towards God) piety: rarely (by opposition) reproof, or (subject.) beauty:

KJV - favour, good deed (-liness, -ness), kindly, (loving-) kindness, merciful (kindness), mercy, pity, reproach, wicked thing.

Jeremiah 31

⁴ Again I will build thee, and thou shalt be built, O virgin of Israel: thou shalt again be adorned with thy tabrets, and shalt go forth in the dances of them that make merry.

Jeremiah 31

⁵ Thou shalt yet plant vines upon the mountains of Samaria: the planters shall plant, and shall eat them as common things.

Jeremiah 31

⁶ For there shall be a day, that the watchmen upon the mount Ephraim shall cry, Arise ye, and let us go up to Zion unto the LORD our God.

Jeremiah 31

⁷ For thus saith the LORD; **Sing with gladness** for Jacob, and **shout** among the chief of the nations: publish ye, **praise** ye, and say, **O LORD, save thy people, the remnant of Israel.**

Jeremiah 31

⁸ Behold, **I will bring them from the north country, and gather them from the coasts of the earth, and with them the blind and the lame, the woman with child and her that travaileth with child together: a great company shall return thither.**

Jeremiah 31

⁹ They shall come with weeping, and with supplications will I lead them: **I will cause them to walk by the rivers of waters in a straight way, wherein they shall not stumble: for I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my firstborn.**

Jeremiah 31

Jeremiah 31

¹⁰ Hear the Word of the LORD, O ye nations, and declare it in the isles afar off, and say, He that scattered Israel will **gather him**, and **keep him, as a shepherd** doth his flock.

Jeremiah 31

¹¹ For the LORD hath **redeemed** Jacob, and **ransomed** him from the hand of him that was stronger than he.

Jeremiah 31

¹² Therefore they shall come and sing in the height of Zion, and shall flow together to the goodness of the LORD, for wheat, and for wine, and for oil, and for the young of the flock and of the herd: and their soul shall be as a watered garden; and they shall not sorrow any more at all.

Jeremiah 31

¹³ Then shall the virgin rejoice in the dance, both young men and old together: for **I will turn their mourning into joy, and will comfort them, and make them rejoice from their sorrow.**

Jeremiah 31

¹⁴ And **I will satiate the soul of the priests with fatness, and my people shall be satisfied with my goodness**, saith the LORD.

Satiate - [OT:7301](#) **רָוַה** (raw-vaw'); a primitive root; to slake the thirst (occasionally of other appetites):

KJV - bathe, make drunk, (take the) fill, satiate, (abundantly) satisfy, soak, water (abundantly).

Jeremiah 31

¹⁵ Thus saith the LORD; **A voice was heard in Ramah, lamentation, and bitter weeping; Rahel weeping for her children refused to be comforted for her children, because they were not.**

Jeremiah 31

¹⁶ Thus saith the LORD; Refrain thy voice from weeping, and thine eyes from tears: for **thy work shall be rewarded**, saith the LORD; and **they shall come again from the land of the enemy.**

Jeremiah 31

¹⁷ And **there is hope in thine end**, saith the LORD, that thy children shall come again to their own border.

Jeremiah 31

Jeremiah 31

¹⁸ I have surely heard Ephraim bemoaning himself thus; Thou hast chastised me, and I was chastised, as a bullock unaccustomed to the yoke: turn thou me, and I shall be turned; for thou art the LORD my God.

Jeremiah 31

¹⁹ Surely after that I was turned, I repented; and after that I was instructed, I smote upon my thigh: I was ashamed, yea, even confounded, because I did bear the reproach of my youth.

Jeremiah 31

²⁰ Is Ephraim my dear son? is he a pleasant child? for since I spake against him, I do earnestly remember him still: therefore my bowels are troubled for him; **I will surely have mercy upon him**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 31

²¹ Set thee up waymarks, make thee high heaps: set thine heart toward the highway, even the way which thou wentest: turn again, O virgin of Israel, turn again to these thy cities.

Waymarks - [OT:6725](#) צִיּוּן **tsiyuwn** (tsee-yoon'); from the same as [OT:6723](#) in the sense of conspicuousness [compare [OT:5329](#)]; a monumental or guiding pillar: **KJV** - sign, title, waymark.

High heaps - [OT:8564](#) תְּמוֹנֵי הַיָּם **tamruwr** (tam-roor'); from the same root as [OT:8558](#); an erection, i.e. pillar (probably for a guide-board): **KJV** - high heap.

Jeremiah 31

²² How long wilt thou go about, O thou backsliding [apostate, heathen] daughter? for the LORD hath created a new thing in the earth, **A woman shall compass [surround] a man**.

Jeremiah 31

²³ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; As yet they shall use this speech in the land of Judah and in the cities thereof, when I shall bring again their captivity; The LORD bless thee, O habitation of justice, and mountain of holiness.

Jeremiah 31

²⁴ And there shall dwell in Judah itself, and in all the cities thereof together, husbandmen, and they that go forth with flocks.

Jeremiah 31

²⁵ For **I have satiated the weary soul, and I have replenished every sorrowful soul**.

Satiated - [OT:7301](#) רָוַח **ravah** (raw-vaw'); a primitive root; to slake the thirst (occasionally of other appetites):

KJV - bathe, make drunk, (take the) fill, satiate, (abundantly) satisfy, soak, water (abundantly).

Jeremiah 31

Jeremiah 31

²⁶ Upon this I awaked, and beheld; and my **sleep was sweet unto me.**

Jeremiah 31

²⁷ Behold, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that **I will sow the house of Israel and the house of Judah with the seed of man, and with the seed of beast.**

Jeremiah 31

²⁸ And it shall come to pass, that like as I have watched over them, to pluck up, and to break down, and to throw down, and to destroy, and to afflict; so will **I watch over them, to build, and to plant, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 31

²⁹ In those days they shall say no more, **The fathers have eaten a sour grape, and the children's teeth are set on edge [to be dull].**

Jeremiah 31

³⁰ But **every one shall die for his own iniquity**: every man that eateth the sour grape, his teeth shall be set on edge.

Jeremiah 31

³¹ Behold, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that **I will make a new covenant** with the house of Israel, and with the house of Judah:

Covenant - [OT:1285](#) בְּרִיתְיָ **beriyth** (ber-eeth'); from [OT:1262](#) (in the sense of cutting [like [OT:1254](#)]); a compact (because made by passing between pieces of flesh): - confederacy, [con-] feder [-ate], covenant, league.

Jeremiah 31

³² **Not according to the covenant that I made with their fathers** in the day that I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt; which my covenant they brake, although I was an husband unto them, saith the LORD:

Jeremiah 31

³³ But **this shall be the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel**; After those days, saith the LORD, **I will put my law in their inward parts, and write it in their hearts; and will be their God, and they shall be my people.**

Jeremiah 31

Jeremiah 31

³⁴ And they shall **teach no more every man his neighbour**, and every man his brother, saying, Know the LORD: for **they shall all know me, from the least of them unto the greatest of them**, saith the LORD: for **I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more.**

Jeremiah 31

³⁵ Thus saith the LORD, which giveth the **sun for a light** by day, and the **ordinances [appointment] of the moon and of the stars for a light** by night, which **divideth the sea** when the waves thereof roar; The LORD of hosts is his name:

Jeremiah 31

³⁶ If those ordinances depart from before me, saith the LORD, then the seed of Israel also shall cease from being a nation before me for ever.

Jeremiah 31

³⁷ Thus saith the LORD; If heaven above can be measured, and the foundations of the earth searched out beneath, I will also cast off all the seed of Israel for all that they have done, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 31

³⁸ Behold, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that the city shall be built to the LORD from the tower of Hananeel unto the gate of the corner.

Hananeel - [OT:2606](#) חַנַּנְאֵל **Chanan'el** (khan-an-ale'); from [OT:2603](#) and [OT:410](#); God has favored; Chananel, probably an Israelite, from whom a tower of Jerusalem was named: -Hananeel.

Jeremiah 31

³⁹ And the measuring line shall yet go forth over against it upon the hill Gareb, and shall compass about to Goath.

Gareb - [OT:1619](#) גַּרְבַּי **Gareb** (gaw-rabe'); from the same as [OT:1618](#); scabby; Gareb, the name of an Israelite, also of a hill near Jerusalem: **KJV** - Gareb.

Goath - [OT:1601](#) גֹּאֵת **Go`ah** (go-aw'); feminine active participle of [OT:1600](#); lowing; Goah, a place near Jerusalem: **KJV** - Goath.

Jeremiah 31

⁴⁰ And the whole valley of the dead bodies, and of the ashes, and all the fields unto the brook of Kidron, unto the corner of the horse gate toward the east, shall be **holy unto the LORD**; it shall **not be plucked up, nor thrown down any more for ever.**

Jeremiah 32

Jeremiah 32

¹ The Word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD in the tenth [10th] year of Zedekiah king of Judah, which was the eighteenth [18th] year of Nebuchadrezzar.

Jeremiah 32

² For then the **king of Babylon's army besieged Jerusalem**: and **Jeremiah the prophet was shut up in the court of the prison**, which was in the king of Judah's house.

Jeremiah 32

³ For **Zedekiah king of Judah had shut him up**, saying, Wherefore dost thou prophesy, and say, Thus saith the LORD, Behold, **I will give this city into the hand of the king of Babylon, and he shall take it**;

Jeremiah 32

⁴ And Zedekiah king of **Judah shall not escape** out of the hand of the Chaldeans, but shall surely be delivered into the hand of the king of Babylon, and shall speak with him mouth to mouth, and his eyes shall behold his eyes;

Jeremiah 32

⁵ And he shall **lead Zedekiah to Babylon**, and there shall he be until I visit him, saith the LORD: **though ye fight with the Chaldeans, ye shall not prosper**.

Jeremiah 32

⁶ And Jeremiah said, The Word of the LORD came unto me, saying,

Jeremiah 32

⁷ Behold, Hanameel the son of Shallum thine uncle shall come unto thee saying, Buy thee my field that is in Anathoth: for the right of redemption is thine to buy it.

Jeremiah 32

⁸ So Hanameel mine uncle's son came to me in the court of the prison according to the Word of the LORD, and said unto me, Buy my field, I pray thee, that is in Anathoth, which is in the country of Benjamin: for the right of inheritance is thine, and the redemption is thine; buy it for thyself. Then **I knew that this was the Word of the LORD**.

Jeremiah 32

⁹ And **I bought the field of Hanameel** my uncle's son, that was in Anathoth, and weighed him the money, even seventeen shekels of silver.

Jeremiah 32

¹⁰ And **I subscribed the evidence, and sealed it, and took witnesses, and weighed him the money in the balances**.

Jeremiah 32

Jeremiah 32

¹¹ So I took the evidence of the purchase, both that which was sealed according to the law and custom, and that which was open:

Jeremiah 32

¹² And I **gave the evidence of the purchase** unto Baruch the son of Neriah, the son of Maaseiah, in the sight of Hanameel mine uncle's son, and in the presence of the witnesses that subscribed the book of the purchase, before all the Jews that sat in the court of the prison.

Jeremiah 32

¹³ And I **charged Baruch** before them, saying,

Jeremiah 32

¹⁴ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Take these evidences, this evidence of the purchase, both which is sealed, and this evidence which is open; and put them in an earthen vessel, that they may continue many days.

Jeremiah 32

¹⁵ For thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Houses and fields and vineyards shall be possessed again in this land.

Jeremiah 32

¹⁶ Now when I had delivered the evidence of the purchase unto Baruch the son of Neriah, I prayed unto the LORD, saying,

Jeremiah 32

¹⁷ **Ah Lord GOD! behold, thou hast made the heaven and the earth by thy great power and stretched out arm, and there is nothing too hard for thee:**

Jeremiah 32

¹⁸ Thou **shewest lovingkindness** unto thousands, and **recompensest the iniquity** of the fathers into the bosom of their children after them: **the Great, the Mighty God, the LORD of hosts, is his name,**

Jeremiah 32

¹⁹ **Great in counsel, and mighty in work:** for **thine eyes are open upon all the ways of the sons of men:** to give every one according to his ways, and according to the fruit of his doings:

Jeremiah 32

²⁰ Which hast set signs and wonders in the land of Egypt, even unto this day, and in Israel, and among other men; and hast made thee a name, as at this day;

Jeremiah 32

Jeremiah 32

²¹ And hast **brought forth thy people Israel out of the land of Egypt** with signs, and with wonders, and with a **strong hand**, and with a **stretched out arm**, and with **great terror**;

Jeremiah 32

²² And hast given them this land, which thou didst swear to their fathers to give them, a land flowing with milk and honey;

Jeremiah 32

²³ And they came in, and possessed it; but they **obeyed not thy voice, neither walked in thy law**; they have **done nothing of all that thou commandedst them to do**: therefore thou hast **caused all this evil to come upon them**:

Jeremiah 32

²⁴ Behold the mounts, they are come unto the city to take it; and the city is given into the hand of the **Chaldeans, that fight against it**, because of the sword, and of the famine, and of the pestilence: and what thou hast spoken is come to pass; and, behold, thou seest it.

Jeremiah 32

²⁵ And thou hast said unto me, O Lord GOD, **Buy thee the field for money**, and take witnesses; for the city is given into the hand of the Chaldeans.

Jeremiah 32

²⁶ Then came the Word of the LORD unto Jeremiah, saying,

Jeremiah 32

²⁷ Behold, I am the LORD, the God of all flesh: **is there any thing too hard for me?**

Jeremiah 32

²⁸ Therefore thus saith the LORD; **Behold, I will give this city into the hand of the Chaldeans, and into the hand of Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon, and he shall take it:**

Jeremiah 32

²⁹ And the **Chaldeans, that fight against this city**, shall come and **set fire on this city**, and **burn it with the houses**, upon whose roofs they have offered incense unto Baal, and poured out drink offerings unto other gods, to provoke me to anger.

Jeremiah 32

³⁰ For the children of Israel and the **children of Judah have only done evil before me from their youth**: for the children of Israel have only **provoked me to anger** with the work of their hands, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 32

³¹ For this city hath been to me as a provocation of mine anger and of my fury from the day that they built it even unto this day; that I should remove it from before my face,

Jeremiah 32

Jeremiah 32

³² Because of all the **evil of the children of Israel and of the children of Judah**, which they have done to **provoke me to anger**, they, their kings, their princes, their priests, and their prophets, and the men of Judah, and the inhabitants of Jerusalem.

Jeremiah 32

³³ And **they have turned unto me the back**, and not the face: though I taught them, rising up early and teaching them, yet **they have not hearkened to receive instruction**.

Jeremiah 32

³⁴ But they **set their abominations in the house**, which is called by my name, to **defile** it.

Jeremiah 32

³⁵ And they built the high places of Baal, which are in the valley of the son of Hinnom, to **cause their sons and their daughters to pass through the fire unto Molech**; which I commanded them not, neither came it into my mind, that they should do this abomination, to cause Judah to sin.

Jeremiah 32

³⁶ And now therefore thus saith the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning this city, whereof ye say, **It shall be delivered into the hand of the king of Babylon by the sword, and by the famine, and by the pestilence;**

Jeremiah 32

³⁷ Behold, **I will gather them out of all countries, whither I have driven them in mine anger, and in my fury, and in great wrath; and I will bring them again unto this place, and I will cause them to dwell safely:**

Jeremiah 32

³⁸ And **they shall be my people, and I will be their God:**

Jeremiah 32

³⁹ And **I will give them one heart, and one way, that they may fear me for ever, for the good of them, and of their children after them:**

Jeremiah 32

⁴⁰ And **I will make an everlasting covenant with them**, that I will not turn away from them, to do them good; but **I will put my fear in their hearts, that they shall not depart from me.**

Jeremiah 32

⁴¹ Yea, **I will rejoice over them to do them good, and I will plant them in this land assuredly with my whole heart and with my whole soul.**

Jeremiah 32

Jeremiah 32

⁴² For thus saith the LORD; **Like as I have brought all this great evil upon this people, so will I bring upon them all the good that I have promised them.**

Jeremiah 32

⁴³ And fields shall be bought in this land, whereof ye say, It is desolate without man or beast; **it is given into the hand of the Chaldeans.**

Jeremiah 32

⁴⁴ Men shall buy fields for money, and subscribe evidences, and seal them, and take witnesses in the land of Benjamin, and in the places about Jerusalem, and in the cities of Judah, and in the cities of the mountains, and in the cities of the valley, and in the cities of the south: for **I will cause their captivity to return, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 33

Jeremiah 33

¹ Moreover the Word of the LORD came unto Jeremiah the second time, **while he was yet shut up in the court of the prison**, saying,

Jeremiah 33

² Thus saith the LORD the maker thereof, the LORD that formed it, to establish it; the LORD is his name;

Jeremiah 33

³ Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and show thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not.

Jeremiah 33

⁴ For thus saith the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the houses of this city, and concerning the houses of the kings of Judah, which are thrown down by the mounts, and by the sword;

Jeremiah 33

⁵ They come to fight with the Chaldeans, but it is to fill them with the dead bodies of men, whom **I have slain in mine anger and in my fury**, and for all whose wickedness I have hid my face from this city.

Jeremiah 33

⁶ Behold, I will bring it health and cure, and **I will cure them**, and will **reveal unto them the abundance of peace and truth**.

Jeremiah 33

⁷ And **I will cause the captivity of Judah and the captivity of Israel to return, and will build them, as at the first**.

Jeremiah 33

⁸ And **I will cleanse them from all their iniquity**, whereby they have sinned against me; and I will **pardon all their iniquities**, whereby they have sinned, and whereby they have transgressed against me.

Jeremiah 33

⁹ And it shall be to me a name of joy, a praise and an honour before all the nations of the earth, which shall hear all the good that I do unto them: and **they shall fear and tremble for all the goodness and for all the prosperity that I procure unto it**.

Jeremiah 33

¹⁰ Thus saith the LORD; Again there shall be heard in this place, which ye say shall be desolate without man and without beast, even in the cities of Judah, and in the streets of Jerusalem, that are desolate, without man, and without inhabitant, and without beast,

Jeremiah 33

Jeremiah 33

¹¹ The voice of joy, and the voice of gladness, the voice of the bridegroom, and the voice of the bride, the voice of them that shall say, **Praise the LORD of hosts: for the LORD is good; for his mercy endureth for ever:** and of them that shall bring the sacrifice of praise into the house of the LORD. For **I will cause to return the captivity of the land,** as at the first, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 33

¹² Thus saith the LORD of hosts; Again in this place, which is desolate without man and without beast, and in all the cities thereof, shall be an habitation of shepherds causing their flocks to lie down.

Jeremiah 33

¹³ In the cities of the mountains, in the cities of the vale, and in the cities of the south, and in the land of Benjamin, and in the places about Jerusalem, and in the cities of Judah, shall the flocks pass again under the hands of him that telleth them, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 33

¹⁴ Behold, **the days come,** saith the LORD, that **I will perform that good thing which I have promised unto the house of Israel and to the house of Judah.**

Jeremiah 33

¹⁵ In those days, and at that time, will **I cause the Branch of righteousness to grow up unto David;** and **He shall execute judgment and righteousness in the land.**

Jeremiah 33

¹⁶ **In those days shall Judah be saved, and Jerusalem shall dwell safely: and this is the name wherewith she shall be called, The LORD our righteousness.**

Jeremiah 33

¹⁷ For thus saith the LORD; David shall never want a man to sit upon the throne of the house of Israel;

Jeremiah 33

¹⁸ Neither shall the priests the Levites want a man before me to offer burnt offerings, and to kindle meat offerings, and to do sacrifice continually.

Jeremiah 33

Jeremiah 33

¹⁹ And the Word of the LORD came unto Jeremiah, saying,

Jeremiah 33

²⁰ Thus saith the LORD; If ye can break my covenant of the day, and my covenant of the night, and that there should not be day and night in their season;

Jeremiah 33

²¹ Then may also my covenant be broken with David my servant, that he should not have a son to reign upon his throne; and with the Levites the priests, my ministers.

Jeremiah 33

²² As the host of heaven cannot be numbered, neither the sand of the sea measured: so will I multiply the seed of David my servant, and the Levites that minister unto me.

Jeremiah 33

²³ Moreover the Word of the LORD came to Jeremiah, saying,

Jeremiah 33

²⁴ **Considerest thou not what this people have spoken**, saying, The two families which the LORD hath chosen, he hath even cast them off? thus they have despised my people, that they should be no more a nation before them.

Jeremiah 33

²⁵ Thus saith the LORD; If my covenant be not with day and night, and if I have not appointed the ordinances of heaven and earth;

Jeremiah 33

²⁶ Then will I cast away the seed of Jacob and David my servant, so that I will not take any of his seed to be rulers over the seed of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob: for **I will cause their captivity to return, and have mercy on them.**

Jeremiah 34

Jeremiah 34

¹The Word which came unto Jeremiah from the LORD, when **Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon, and all his army, and all the kingdoms of the earth of his dominion, and all the people, fought against Jerusalem, and against all the cities thereof, saying,**

Jeremiah 34

²Thus saith the LORD, the God of Israel; Go and **speak to Zedekiah** king of Judah, and tell him, Thus saith the LORD; Behold, **I will give this city into the hand of the king of Babylon, and he shall burn it with fire:**

Jeremiah 34

³And **thou shalt not escape out of his hand, but shalt surely be taken, and delivered into his hand; and thine eyes shall behold the eyes of the king of Babylon, and he shall speak with thee mouth to mouth, and thou shalt go to Babylon.**

Jeremiah 34

⁴Yet hear the Word of the LORD, O Zedekiah king of Judah; Thus saith the LORD of thee, **Thou shalt not die by the sword:**

Jeremiah 34

⁵But thou shalt **die in peace:** and with the burnings of thy fathers, the former kings which were before thee, so shall they burn odours for thee; and they will lament thee, saying, Ah lord! for I have pronounced the Word, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 34

⁶Then Jeremiah the prophet spake all these Words unto Zedekiah king of Judah in Jerusalem,

Jeremiah 34

⁷When the king of Babylon's army fought against Jerusalem, and against all the cities of Judah that were left, against Lachish, and against Azekah: for these defenced cities remained of the cities of Judah.

Jeremiah 34

⁸This is the Word that came unto Jeremiah from the LORD, after that the king Zedekiah had made a covenant with all the people which were at Jerusalem, to **proclaim liberty** unto them;

Jeremiah 34

⁹That **every man should let his manservant**, and every man his maidservant, being an Hebrew or an Hebrewess, **go free**; that **none should serve himself of them**, to wit, of a Jew his brother.

Jeremiah 34

¹⁰Now when all the princes, and all the people, which had entered into the covenant, heard that every one should let his manservant, and every one his maidservant, go free, that none should serve themselves of them any more, then **they obeyed, and let them go.**

Jeremiah 34

Jeremiah 34

¹¹ **But afterward** they turned, and caused the servants and the handmaids, whom they had let go free, to return, and brought them into subjection for servants and for handmaids.

Jeremiah 34

¹² Therefore the Word of the LORD came to Jeremiah from the LORD, saying,

Jeremiah 34

¹³ Thus saith the LORD, the God of Israel; **I made a covenant** with your fathers in the day that I brought them forth out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondmen, saying,

Jeremiah 34

¹⁴ At the end of seven [7] years let ye go every man his brother an Hebrew, which hath been sold unto thee; and when he hath served thee six [6] years, thou shalt let him go free from thee: but **your fathers hearkened not unto me, neither inclined their ear.**

Jeremiah 34

¹⁵ And ye were now turned, and had done right in my sight, in proclaiming liberty every man to his neighbour; and ye had made a covenant before me in the house which is called by my name:

Jeremiah 34

¹⁶ **But ye turned and polluted my name**, and caused every man his servant, and every man his handmaid, whom he had set at liberty at their pleasure, to return, and **brought them into subjection, to be unto you for servants and for handmaids.**

Jeremiah 34

¹⁷ Therefore thus saith the LORD; **Ye have not hearkened unto me, in proclaiming liberty, every one to his brother, and every man to his neighbour: behold, I proclaim a liberty for you**, saith the LORD, **to the sword, to the pestilence, and to the famine; and I will make you to be removed into all the kingdoms of the earth.**

Jeremiah 34

¹⁸ And I will give the men that have transgressed my covenant, which **have not performed the Words of the covenant** which they had made before me, when they cut the calf in twain, and passed between the parts thereof,

Jeremiah 34

¹⁹ The princes of Judah, and the princes of Jerusalem, the eunuchs, and the priests, and all the people of the land, which passed between the parts of the calf;

Jeremiah 34

Jeremiah 34

²⁰ **I will even give them into the hand of their enemies, and into the hand of them that seek their life: and their dead bodies shall be for meat unto the fowls of the heaven, and to the beasts of the earth.**

Jeremiah 34

²¹ **And Zedekiah king of Judah and his princes will I give into the hand of their enemies, and into the hand of them that seek their life, and into the hand of the king of Babylon's army, which are gone up from you.**

Jeremiah 34

²² **Behold, I will command**, saith the LORD, **and cause them to return to this city; and they shall fight against it, and take it, and burn it with fire: and I will make the cities of Judah a desolation without an inhabitant.**

Jeremiah 35

Jeremiah 35

¹ The Word which came unto Jeremiah from the LORD in the days of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah king of Judah, saying,

Jeremiah 35

² Go unto the house of the Rechabites, and speak unto them, and bring them into the house of the LORD, into one of the chambers, and **give them wine to drink**.

Jeremiah 35

³ Then I took Jaazaniah the son of Jeremiah, the son of Habaziniyah, and his brethren, and all his sons, and the whole house of the Rechabites;

Jeremiah 35

⁴ And I **brought them into the house of the LORD**, into the chamber of the sons of Hanan, the son of Igdaliah, a man of God, which was by the chamber of the princes, which was above the chamber of Maaseiah the son of Shallum, the **keeper of the door**:

Jeremiah 35

⁵ And I set before the sons of the house of the Rechabites **pots full of wine, and cups**, and I said unto them, **Drink ye wine**.

Jeremiah 35

⁶ But they said, **We will drink no wine**: for Jonadab the son of Rechab our father commanded us, saying, **Ye shall drink no wine, neither ye, nor your sons for ever**:

Jeremiah 35

⁷ Neither shall ye build house, nor sow seed, nor plant vineyard, nor have any: but all your days ye shall dwell in tents; that ye may **live many days in the land where ye be strangers**.

Jeremiah 35

⁸ Thus have we **obeyed the voice of Jonadab** the son of Rechab our father in all that he hath charged us, to **drink no wine all our days**, we, our wives, our sons, nor our daughters;

Jeremiah 35

⁹ Nor to build houses for us to dwell in: neither have we vineyard, nor field, nor seed:

Jeremiah 35

¹⁰ But we have dwelt in tents, and **have obeyed**, and **done according to all that Jonadab** our father commanded us.

Jeremiah 35

¹¹ But it came to pass, when **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon came up into the land**, that we said, Come, and let us go to Jerusalem for fear of the army of the Chaldeans, and for fear of the army of the Syrians: so we dwell at Jerusalem.

Jeremiah 35

Jeremiah 35

¹² Then came the Word of the LORD unto Jeremiah, saying,

Jeremiah 35

¹³ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Go and tell the men of Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem, Will ye not receive instruction to hearken to my Words? saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 35

¹⁴ The words of Jonadab the son of Rechab, that he commanded his sons not to drink wine, are performed; for unto this day **they drink none, but obey their father's commandment: notwithstanding I have spoken unto you, rising early and speaking; but ye hearkened not unto me.**

Jeremiah 35

¹⁵ I have sent also unto you all my servants the prophets, rising up early and sending them, saying, **Return ye now every man from his evil way, and amend your doings, and go not after other gods to serve them, and ye shall dwell in the land which I have given to you and to your fathers: but ye have not inclined your ear, nor hearkened unto me.**

Jeremiah 35

¹⁶ Because the sons of Jonadab the son of Rechab have performed the commandment of their father, which he commanded them; but **this people hath not hearkened unto me:**

Jeremiah 35

¹⁷ Therefore thus saith the LORD God of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, **I will bring upon Judah and upon all the inhabitants of Jerusalem all the evil that I have pronounced against them: because I have spoken unto them, but they have not heard; and I have called unto them, but they have not answered.**

Jeremiah 35

¹⁸ And Jeremiah said unto the house of the Rechabites, Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Because ye have obeyed the commandment of Jonadab your father, and kept all his precepts, and done according unto all that he hath commanded you:

Jeremiah 35

¹⁹ Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; **Jonadab the son of Rechab shall not want a man to stand before me for ever.**

Jeremiah 36

Jeremiah 36

¹ And it came to pass in the fourth [4th] year of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah king of Judah, that this Word came unto Jeremiah from the LORD, saying,

Jeremiah 36

² **Take thee a roll of a book, and write therein all the Words that I have spoken unto thee against Israel, and against Judah, and against all the nations, from the day I spake unto thee, from the days of Josiah, even unto this day.**

Jeremiah 36

³ It may be that the house of Judah will **hear all the evil** which I purpose to do unto them; that they may return every man from his evil way; that **I may forgive their iniquity and their sin.**

Jeremiah 36

⁴ Then Jeremiah called Baruch the son of Neriah: and **Baruch wrote from the mouth of Jeremiah all the Words of the LORD**, which he had spoken unto him, upon a roll of a book.

Baruch – [OT:1263](#) בְּרֻכָּא **Baruwk** (baw-rook'); passive participle from [OT:1288](#); blessed; Baruk, the name of three Israelites: **KJV** - Baruch.

Jeremiah 36

⁵ And **Jeremiah commanded Baruch**, saying, I am shut up [detained]; I cannot go into the house of the LORD:

Jeremiah 36

⁶ Therefore go thou, and **read in the roll**, which thou hast **written from my mouth**, the **Words of the LORD** in the **ears of the people** in the LORD's house upon the fasting day: and also thou shalt **read them in the ears of all Judah** that come out of their cities.

Jeremiah 36

⁷ It may be they will present their supplication before the LORD, and will return every one from his evil way: for great is the anger and the fury that the LORD hath pronounced against this people.

Jeremiah 36

⁸ And **Baruch the son of Neriah did according to all that Jeremiah the prophet commanded him, reading in the book the words of the LORD in the LORD's house.**

Jeremiah 36

⁹ And it came to pass in the fifth [5th] year of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah king of Judah, in the **ninth [9th] month, that they proclaimed a fast** before the LORD to all the people in Jerusalem, and to all the people that came from the cities of Judah unto Jerusalem.

Jeremiah 36

Jeremiah 36

¹⁰ Then read Baruch in the book the Words of Jeremiah in the house of the LORD, in the chamber of **Gemariah** the son of **Shaphan** the scribe, in the higher court, at the entry of the new gate of the LORD's house, in the ears of all the people.

Gemariah – [OT:1587](#) גִּמְרִיָּה **Gemaryah** (ghem-ar-yaw'); or **Gemaryahuw** (ghem-ar-yaw'-hoo); from [OT:1584](#) and [OT:3050](#); Jah has perfected; Gemarjah, the name of two Israelites: **KJV** - Gemariah.

Shaphan – [OT:8227](#) שַׁפָּן **shaphan** (shaw-fawn'); from [OT:8226](#); a species of rock-rabbit (from its hiding), i.e. probably the hyrax: **KJV** - coney, Shaphan.

Jeremiah 36

¹¹ When **Michaiah** the son of Gemariah, the son of Shaphan, had **heard out of the book all the Words of the LORD**,

Jeremiah 36

¹² Then he went down into the king's house, into the scribe's chamber: and, lo, all the princes sat there, even Elishama the scribe, and Delaiah the son of Shemaiah, and Elnathan the son of Achbor, and Gemariah the son of Shaphan, and Zedekiah the son of Hananiah, and all the princes.

Jeremiah 36

¹³ Then **Michaiah** declared unto them all the words that he had heard, when Baruch read the book in the ears of the people.

Jeremiah 36

¹⁴ Therefore all the princes sent Jehudi the son of Nethaniah, the son of Shelemiah, the son of Cush, unto Baruch, saying, **Take in thine hand the roll wherein thou hast read in the ears of the people, and come.** So Baruch the son of Neriah took the roll in his hand, and came unto them.

Jeremiah 36

¹⁵ And they said unto him, **Sit down now, and read it in our ears.** So Baruch read it in their ears.

Jeremiah 36

¹⁶ Now it came to pass, when they had heard all the words, they were afraid both one and other, and said unto Baruch, **We will surely tell the king of all these Words.**

Jeremiah 36

¹⁷ And they asked Baruch, saying, Tell us now, **How didst thou write all these Words** at his mouth?

Jeremiah 36

Jeremiah 36

¹⁸ Then Baruch answered them, **He pronounced all these Words unto me with his mouth, and I wrote them with ink in the book.**

Jeremiah 36

¹⁹ Then said the princes unto Baruch, Go, **hide thee [yourself], thou and Jeremiah;** and let no man know where ye be.

Jeremiah 36

²⁰ And they went in to the king into the court, but they **laid up the roll in the chamber of Elishama the scribe, and told all the Words in the ears of the king.**

Jeremiah 36

²¹ So the king sent Jehudi to fetch the roll: and he took it out of Elishama the scribe's chamber. And Jehudi read it in the ears of the king, and in the ears of all the princes which stood beside the king.

Elishama – [OT:476](#) אֱלִישָׁמָע 'Eliyshama` (el-ee-shaw-maw'); from [OT:410](#) and [OT:8085](#); God of hearing; Elishama, the name of seven Israelites:
KJV - Elishama.

Jeremiah 36

²² Now the king sat in the winterhouse in the ninth [9th] month: and there was a fire on the hearth burning before him.

Jeremiah 36

²³ And it came to pass, that when Jehudi had read three or four leaves, he cut it with the penknife, and cast it into the fire that was on the hearth, until all the roll was consumed in the fire that was on the hearth.

Leaves – [OT:1817](#) דֶּלֶת **deleth** (deh'-leth); from [OT:1802](#); something swinging, i.e. the valve of a door:
KJV - door (two-leaved), gate, leaf, lid. [In [Ps 141:3](#), dal, irreg.].

Jeremiah 36

²⁴ Yet they were **not** afraid, nor rent their garments, neither the king, nor any of his servants that heard all these Words.

Jeremiah 36

²⁵ Nevertheless Elnathan and Delaiah and Gemariah had made intercession to the king that he would **not burn the roll:** but he would not hear them.

Jeremiah 36

Jeremiah 36

²⁶ But the king commanded **Jerahmeel** the son of Hammelech, and **Seraiah** the son of Azriel, and **Shelemiah** the son of Abdeel, to take **Baruch the scribe and Jeremiah** the prophet: **but the LORD hid them.**

Jeremiah 36

²⁷ Then the **Word of the LORD** came to **Jeremiah**, after that the king had burned the roll, and the **Words which Baruch wrote at the mouth of Jeremiah**, saying,

Jeremiah 36

²⁸ **Take thee again another roll**, and **write in it all the former Words** that were in the first roll, which **Jehoiakim** the king of Judah hath burned.

Jeremiah 36

²⁹ And thou shalt **say to Jehoiakim** king of Judah, Thus saith the LORD; Thou hast **burned this roll**, saying, Why hast thou written therein, saying, **The king of Babylon shall certainly come and destroy this land, and shall cause to cease from thence man and beast?**

Jeremiah 36

³⁰ Therefore thus saith **the LORD of Jehoiakim** king of Judah; **He shall have none to sit upon the throne of David: and his dead body shall be cast out in the day to the heat, and in the night to the frost.**

Jeremiah 36

³¹ And **I will punish him and his seed and his servants for their iniquity**; and I will bring upon them, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and upon the men of Judah, all the evil that I have pronounced against them; but **they hearkened not.**

Jeremiah 36

³² Then took **Jeremiah another roll**, and gave it to **Baruch the scribe**, the son of Neriah; who wrote therein from the mouth of **Jeremiah all the Words of the book** which **Jehoiakim** king of Judah had **burned in the fire**: and there were **added besides unto them many like Words.**

Jeremiah 37

Jeremiah 37

¹ And **king Zedekiah** the son of Josiah **reigned instead of Coniah** the son of Jehoiakim, whom **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon made king [Zedekiah] in the land of Judah.**

Jeremiah 37

² But neither he, nor his servants, nor the people of the land, did hearken unto the Words of the LORD, which he spake by the prophet Jeremiah.

Jeremiah 37

³ And **Zedekiah the king sent Jehucal** the son of Shelemiah and **Zephaniah** the son of Maaseiah the priest **to the prophet Jeremiah**, saying, **Pray now unto the LORD our God for us.**

Jeremiah 37

⁴ Now **Jeremiah came in and went out among the people: for they had not put him into prison.**

Jeremiah 37

⁵ Then **Pharaoh's army was come forth out of Egypt:** and when the **Chaldeans that besieged Jerusalem heard tidings of them, they departed from Jerusalem.**

Jeremiah 37

⁶ Then came the **Word of the LORD unto the prophet Jeremiah** saying,

Jeremiah 37

⁷ Thus saith the LORD, the God of Israel; Thus shall ye say to the king of Judah, that sent you unto me to enquire of me; **Behold, Pharaoh's army, which is come forth to help you, shall return to Egypt into their own land.**

Jeremiah 37

⁸ And the **Chaldeans shall come again, and fight against this city, and take it, and burn it with fire.**

Jeremiah 37

⁹ Thus saith the LORD; **Deceive not yourselves**, saying, The Chaldeans shall surely depart from us: for **they shall not depart.**

Jeremiah 37

¹⁰ For **though ye had smitten the whole army** of the Chaldeans that fight against you, and there remained but wounded men among them, yet should **they rise up every man in his tent, and burn this city with fire.**

Jeremiah 37

Jeremiah 37

¹¹ And it came to pass, that when the army of the **Chaldeans was broken up from Jerusalem for fear of Pharaoh's army,**

Jeremiah 37

¹² Then **Jeremiah went forth out of Jerusalem to go into the land of Benjamin, to separate himself** thence in the midst of the people.

Jeremiah 37

¹³ And when he was in the **gate of Benjamin**, a captain of the ward [supervision] was there, whose name was **Irijah**, the son of Shelemiah, the son of Hananiah; and he **took Jeremiah the prophet**, saying, Thou **fallest away to [join with] the Chaldeans.**

Irijah – [OT:3376](#) יִרְיָהּ **Yir'iyayh** (yir-ee-yaw'); from [OT:3373](#) and [OT:3050](#); fearful of Jah; Jirijah, an Israelite: **KJV** - Irijah.

Jeremiah 37

¹⁴ Then said Jeremiah, **It is false; I fall not away to the Chaldeans.** But he hearkened not to him: so **Irijah took Jeremiah, and brought him to the princes.**

Jeremiah 37

¹⁵ Wherefore the **princes were wroth with Jeremiah, and smote him, and put him in prison in the house of Jonathan the scribe:** for they had made that the prison.

Jonathan – [OT:3083](#) יְהוֹנָתָן **Yehownathan** (yeh-ho-naw-thawn'); from [OT:3068](#) and [OT:5414](#); Jehovah-given; Jehonathan, the name of four Israelites: **KJV** - Jonathan. Compare [OT:3129](#).

Jeremiah 37

¹⁶ When **Jeremiah was entered into the dungeon [pit hole], and into the cabins,** and **Jeremiah had remained there many days;**

Cabins – [OT:2588](#) חַנוּוֹת **chanuwth** (khaw-nooth'); from [OT:2583](#); properly, a vault or cell (with an arch); by implication, a prison: **KJV** - cabin.

Jeremiah 37

¹⁷ Then **Zedekiah the king sent, and took him out:** and the king **asked him secretly in his house, and said, Is there any word from the LORD?** And Jeremiah said, **There is: for, said he, thou shalt be delivered into the hand of the king of Babylon.**

Jeremiah 37

¹⁸ Moreover Jeremiah said unto king Zedekiah, **What have I offended** against thee, or against thy servants, or against this people, that ye have put me in prison?

Jeremiah 37

Jeremiah 37

¹⁹ **Where are now your prophets** which prophesied unto you, saying, The king of Babylon shall not come against you, nor against this land?

Jeremiah 37

²⁰ Therefore **hear now**, I pray thee, **O my lord the king**: let my supplication, I pray thee, be accepted before thee; that thou **cause me not to return to the house of Jonathan the scribe, lest I die there.**

Jeremiah 37

²¹ Then **Zedekiah the king commanded that they should commit Jeremiah into the court of the prison, and that they should give him daily a piece of bread out of the bakers' street, until all the bread in the city were spent. Thus Jeremiah remained in the court of the prison.**

Jeremiah 38

Jeremiah 38

¹ Then **Shephatiah** the son of Mattan, and Gedaliah the son of Pashur, and **Jucal** the son of Shelemiah, and **Pashur** the son of Malchiah, **heard the Words** that Jeremiah had spoken unto all the people, saying,

Jeremiah 38

² Thus saith the LORD, **He that remaineth in this city shall die by the sword, by the famine, and by the pestilence:** but **he that goeth forth to the Chaldeans shall live;** for he shall have his life for a prey, and shall live.

Jeremiah 38

³ Thus saith the LORD, **This city shall surely be given into the hand of the king of Babylon's army, which shall take it.**

Jeremiah 38

⁴ Therefore the **princes said unto the king**, We beseech thee, **let this man be put to death:** for thus he **weakeneth the hands of the men of war** that remain in this city, and the **hands of all the people**, in **speaking such words** unto them: for **this man seeketh not the welfare of this people, but the hurt.**

Jeremiah 38

⁵ Then **Zedekiah the king** said, Behold, **he is in your hand:** for the king is not he that can do any thing against you.

Jeremiah 38

⁶ **Then took they Jeremiah**, and **cast him into the dungeon of Malchiah** the son of Hammelech, that was in the court of the prison: and they let down Jeremiah with cords. And in the dungeon there was no water, but mire: so Jeremiah sunk in the mire.

Jeremiah 38

⁷ Now when Ebedmelech the Ethiopian, one of the eunuchs which was in the king's house, heard that they had put Jeremiah in the dungeon; the king then sitting in the gate of Benjamin;

Jeremiah 38

⁸ Ebedmelech went forth out of the king's house, and spake to the king saying,

Jeremiah 38

⁹ My lord the king, these men have done evil in all that they have done to Jeremiah the prophet, whom they have cast into the dungeon; and he is like to die for hunger in the place where he is: for there is no more bread in the city.

Jeremiah 38

¹⁰ Then the king commanded Ebedmelech the Ethiopian, saying, Take from hence thirty men with thee, and take up Jeremiah the prophet out of the dungeon, before he die.

Jeremiah 38

Jeremiah 38

¹¹ So Ebedmelech took the men with him, and went into the house of the king under the treasury, and took thence old cast clouts and old rotten rags, and let them down by cords into the dungeon to Jeremiah.

Jeremiah 38

¹² And Ebedmelech the Ethiopian said unto Jeremiah, Put now these old cast clouts and rotten rags under thine armholes under the cords. And Jeremiah did so.

Jeremiah 38

¹³ So they drew up Jeremiah with cords, and took him up out of the dungeon: and Jeremiah remained in the court of the prison.

Jeremiah 38

¹⁴ Then Zedekiah the king sent, and took Jeremiah the prophet unto him into the third entry that is in the house of the LORD: and the king said unto Jeremiah, I will ask thee a thing; hide nothing from me.

Jeremiah 38

¹⁵ Then Jeremiah said unto Zedekiah, If I declare it unto thee, wilt thou not surely put me to death? and if I give thee counsel, wilt thou not hearken unto me?

Jeremiah 38

¹⁶ So Zedekiah the king sware secretly unto Jeremiah, saying, As the LORD liveth, that made us this soul, I will not put thee to death, neither will I give thee into the hand of these men that seek thy life.

Jeremiah 38

¹⁷ Then said Jeremiah unto Zedekiah, Thus saith the LORD, the God of hosts, the God of Israel; If thou wilt assuredly go forth unto the king of Babylon's princes, then thy soul shall live, and this city shall not be burned with fire; and thou shalt live, and thine house:

Jeremiah 38

¹⁸ But if thou wilt not go forth to the king of Babylon's princes, then shall this city be given into the hand of the Chaldeans, and they shall burn it with fire, and thou shalt not escape out of their hand.

Jeremiah 38

¹⁹ And Zedekiah the king said unto Jeremiah, I am afraid of the Jews that are fallen to the Chaldeans, lest they deliver me into their hand, and they mock me.

Jeremiah 38

²⁰ But Jeremiah said, They shall not deliver thee. Obey, I beseech thee, the voice of the LORD, which I speak unto thee: so it shall be well unto thee, and thy soul shall live.

Jeremiah 38

Jeremiah 38

²¹ But if thou refuse to go forth, this is the word that the LORD hath shewed me:

Jeremiah 38

²² And, behold, all the women that are left in the king of Judah's house shall be brought forth to the king of Babylon's princes, and those women shall say, Thy friends have set thee on, and have prevailed against thee: thy feet are sunk in the mire, and they are turned away back.

Jeremiah 38

²³ So they shall bring out all thy wives and thy children to the Chaldeans: and thou shalt not escape out of their hand, but shalt be taken by the hand of the king of Babylon: and thou shalt cause this city to be burned with fire.

Jeremiah 38

²⁴ Then said Zedekiah unto Jeremiah, Let no man know of these words, and thou shalt not die.

Jeremiah 38

²⁵ But if the princes hear that I have talked with thee, and they come unto thee, and say unto thee, Declare unto us now what thou hast said unto the king, hide it not from us, and we will not put thee to death; also what the king said unto thee:

Jeremiah 38

²⁶ Then thou shalt say unto them, I presented my supplication before the king, that he would not cause me to return to Jonathan's house, to die there.

Jeremiah 38

²⁷ Then came all the princes unto Jeremiah, and asked him: and he told them according to all these words that the king had commanded. So they left off speaking with him; for the matter was not perceived.

Jeremiah 38

²⁸ So Jeremiah abode in the court of the prison until the day that Jerusalem was taken: and he was there when Jerusalem was taken.

Jeremiah 39

Jeremiah 39

¹ In the ninth [9th] year of Zedekiah king of Judah, in the tenth [10th] month, came **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon and all his army against Jerusalem**, and they besieged it.

Jeremiah 39

² And in the eleventh [11th] year of Zedekiah, in the fourth [4th] month, the ninth [9th] day of the month, [1 ½ years later] **the city was broken up**.

Jeremiah 39

³ And all the princes of the king of Babylon came in, and sat in the middle gate, even Nergalsharezer, Samgarnebo, Sarsechim, Rabsaris, Nergalsharezer, Rabmag, with all the residue of the princes of the king of Babylon.

Jeremiah 39

⁴ And it came to pass, that when **Zedekiah the king of Judah saw them**, and all the men of war, then **they fled**, and went forth out of the city **by night**, by the way of the **king's garden**, by the **gate betwixt the two walls**: and he **went out the way of the plain**.

Jeremiah 39

⁵ But the **Chaldeans' army pursued after them**, and **overtook Zedekiah in the plains of Jericho**: and when they had taken him, they **brought him up to Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon** to Riblah in the land of Hamath, where **he gave judgment upon him**.

Jeremiah 39

⁶ Then the **king of Babylon slew the sons of Zedekiah** in Riblah before his eyes: also the king of Babylon **slew all the nobles of Judah**.

Jeremiah 39

⁷ Moreover he **put out Zedekiah's eyes**, and **bound him with chains**, to carry him **to Babylon**.

Jeremiah 39

⁸ And the **Chaldeans burned the king's house**, and the **houses of the people**, with fire, and **brake down the walls of Jerusalem**.

Jeremiah 39

⁹ Then **Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard carried away captive into Babylon the remnant of the people that remained in the city**, and those that fell away, that fell to him, with the rest of the people that remained.

Jeremiah 39

¹⁰ But Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard **left of the poor of the people**, which **had nothing**, in the land of Judah, and **gave them vineyards and fields at the same time**.

Jeremiah 39

Jeremiah 39

¹¹ Now **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon gave charge concerning Jeremiah** to Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard, saying,

Jeremiah 39

¹² **Take him, and look well to him, and do him no harm; but do unto him even as he shall say unto thee.**

Jeremiah 39

¹³ So Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard sent, and Nebushasban, Rabsaris, and Nergalsharezer, Rabmag, and all the king of Babylon's princes;

Jeremiah 39

¹⁴ Even they sent, and **took Jeremiah out of the court of the prison, and committed him unto Gedaliah** the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan, that he **should carry him home: so he dwelt among the people.**

Jeremiah 39

¹⁵ Now **the Word of the LORD came unto Jeremiah**, while he was **shut up in the court of the prison**, saying,

Jeremiah 39

¹⁶ Go and speak to Ebedmelech the Ethiopian, saying, Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, **I will bring my Words upon this city for evil, and not for good; and they shall be accomplished in that day before thee.**

Jeremiah 39

¹⁷ **But I will deliver thee in that day**, saith the LORD: and **thou shalt not be given into the hand of the men of whom thou art afraid.**

Jeremiah 39

¹⁸ For **I will surely deliver thee**, and **thou shalt not fall by the sword**, but thy life shall be for a prey unto thee: **because thou hast put thy trust in me**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 40

Jeremiah 40

¹The Word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD, after that Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard had **let him go from Ramah**, when he had taken him being bound in chains among all that were carried away captive of Jerusalem and Judah, which were **carried away captive** unto Babylon.

Jeremiah 40

²And the captain of the guard **took Jeremiah**, and **said unto him, The LORD thy God hath pronounced this evil upon this place.**

Jeremiah 40

³Now **the LORD hath brought it, and done according as He hath said**: because ye have **sinned** against the LORD, and **have not obeyed his voice**, therefore **this thing is come upon you.**

Jeremiah 40

⁴And now, behold, **I loose thee this day from the chains** which were upon thine hand. If it seem good unto thee to **come with me into Babylon**, come; and **I will look well unto thee**: but if it seem ill unto thee to come with me into Babylon, forbear: behold, **all the land is before thee: whither it seemeth good and convenient for thee to go, thither go.**

Jeremiah 40

⁵Now while he was not yet gone back, he said, Go back also to **Gedaliah** the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan, whom the king of Babylon hath **made governor over the cities of Judah**, and dwell with him among the people: or **go wheresoever it seemeth convenient unto thee to go.** So the captain of the guard **gave him victuals and a reward, and let him go.**

Jeremiah 40

⁶**Then went Jeremiah unto Gedaliah the son of Ahikam to Mizpah; and dwelt with him among the people that were left in the land.**

Jeremiah 40

⁷Now when all the captains of the forces which were in the fields, even they and their men, heard that the king of Babylon had made Gedaliah the son of Ahikam governor in the land, and had committed unto him men, and women, and children, and of the poor of the land, of them that were not carried away captive to Babylon;

Jeremiah 40

⁸Then they came to Gedaliah to Mizpah, even Ishmael the son of Nethaniah, and Johanan and Jonathan the sons of Kareah, and Seraiah the son of Tanhumeth, and the sons of Ephai the Netophathite, and Jezaniah the son of a Maachathite, they and their men.

Jeremiah 40

Jeremiah 40

⁹ And Gedaliah the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan sware unto them and to their men, saying, **Fear not to serve the Chaldeans: dwell in the land, and serve the king of Babylon, and it shall be well with you.**

Jeremiah 40

¹⁰ As for me, behold, **I will dwell at Mizpah, to serve the Chaldeans**, which will come unto us: but ye, **gather ye wine, and summer fruits, and oil, and put them in your vessels, and dwell in your cities that ye have taken.**

Jeremiah 40

¹¹ Likewise when all the Jews that were in Moab, and among the Ammonites, and in Edom, and that were in all the countries, heard that **the king of Babylon had left a remnant of Judah**, and that he had **set over them Gedaliah** the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan;

Jeremiah 40

¹² Even all the **Jews returned out of all places whither they were driven, and came to the land of Judah, to Gedaliah, unto Mizpah**, and gathered wine and summer fruits very much.

Jeremiah 40

¹³ Moreover Johanan the son of Kareah, and all the captains of the forces that were in the fields, came to Gedaliah to Mizpah,

Jeremiah 40

¹⁴ And said unto him, **Dost thou certainly know that Baalis the king of the Ammonites hath sent Ishmael the son of Nethaniah to slay thee? But Gedaliah the son of Ahikam believed them not.**

Jeremiah 40

¹⁵ Then Johanan the son of Kareah spake to Gedaliah in Mizpah secretly saying, Let me go, I pray thee, and I will slay Ishmael the son of Nethaniah, and no man shall know it: wherefore should he slay thee, that all the Jews which are gathered unto thee should be scattered, and the remnant in Judah perish?

Jeremiah 40

¹⁶ But **Gedaliah** the son of Ahikam said unto Johanan the son of Kareah, **Thou shalt not do this thing: for thou speakest falsely of Ishmael.**

Jeremiah 41

Jeremiah 41

¹ Now it came to pass in the seventh [7th] month, that **Ishmael the son of Nethaniah the son of Elishama, of the seed royal**, and the **princes of the king**, even **ten [10] men with him**, came unto Gedaliah the son of Ahikam to Mizpah; and there **they did eat bread together in Mizpah**.

Jeremiah 41

² **Then arose Ishmael the son of Nethaniah, and the ten men that were with him, and smote Gedaliah** the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan with the sword, and **slew him**, whom the king of Babylon had made governor over the land.

Jeremiah 41

³ **Ishmael also slew all the Jews that were with him, even with Gedaliah, at Mizpah, and the Chaldeans that were found there, and the men of war.**

Jeremiah 41

⁴ And it came to pass the second [2nd] day after he had slain Gedaliah, and **no man knew it**,

Jeremiah 41

⁵ That there came certain from **Shechem**, from Shiloh, and from Samaria, even fourscore [80] men, having their **beards shaven**, and their **clothes rent**, and **having cut themselves**, with offerings and incense in their hand, to bring them to the house of the LORD.

Jeremiah 41

⁶ And **Ishmael the son of Nethaniah went forth from Mizpah to meet them, weeping all along as he went**: and it came to pass, as he met them, he said unto them, Come to Gedaliah the son of Ahikam.

Jeremiah 41

⁷ And it was so, when they **came into the midst of the city**, that **Ishmael the son of Nethaniah slew them**, and **cast them into the midst of the pit**, he, and the men that were with him.

Jeremiah 41

⁸ But ten [10] men were found among them that said unto Ishmael, **Slay us not: for we have treasures in the field**, of wheat, and of barley, and of oil, and of honey. So **he forbore, and slew them not among their brethren.**

Jeremiah 41

⁹ Now the **pit wherein Ishmael had cast all the dead bodies** of the men, whom he had slain because of Gedaliah, was it which **Asa the king had made for fear of Baasha king of Israel**: and **Ishmael the son of Nethaniah filled it with them that were slain.**

Jeremiah 41

Jeremiah 41

¹⁰ Then **Ishmael carried away captive all the residue of the people that were in Mizpah, even the king's daughters, and all the people that remained in Mizpah**, whom Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard had committed to Gedaliah the son of Ahikam: and Ishmael the son of Nethaniah carried them away captive, and **departed to go over to the Ammonites**.

Jeremiah 41

¹¹ But when **Johanan the son of Kareah**, and all the captains of the forces that were with him, **heard of all the evil** that Ishmael the son of Nethaniah had done,

Jeremiah 41

¹² Then they **took all the men**, and **went to fight with Ishmael** the son of Nethaniah, and **found him by the great waters that are in Gibeon**.

Jeremiah 41

¹³ Now it came to pass, that when all the people which were with Ishmael saw Johanan the son of Kareah, and all the captains of the forces that were with him, then they were glad.

Jeremiah 41

¹⁴ So all the people that Ishmael had carried away captive from Mizpah cast about and returned, and went unto Johanan the son of Kareah.

Jeremiah 41

¹⁵ But Ishmael the son of Nethaniah escaped from Johanan with eight men, and **went to the Ammonites**.

Jeremiah 41

¹⁶ Then **took Johanan** the son of Kareah, and all the captains of the forces that were with him, all the **remnant of the people whom he had recovered from Ishmael** the son of Nethaniah, from Mizpah, after that he had slain Gedaliah the son of Ahikam, even **mighty men of war**, and the **women**, and the **children**, and the **eunuchs**, whom he had **brought again from Gibeon**:

Jeremiah 41

¹⁷ And **they departed**, and dwelt in the habitation of **Chimham, which is by Bethlehem, to go to enter into Egypt**,

Jeremiah 41

¹⁸ Because of the **Chaldeans**: for **they were afraid of them**, because **Ishmael the son of Nethaniah had slain Gedaliah** the son of Ahikam, whom the **king of Babylon made governor** in the land.

Jeremiah 42

Jeremiah 42

¹ Then all the captains of the forces, and Johanan the son of Kareah, and Jezaniah the son of Hoshaiah, and all the people from the least even unto the greatest, came near,

Jeremiah 42

² And said unto Jeremiah the prophet, Let, we beseech thee, our supplication be accepted before thee, and **pray for us unto the LORD thy God, even for all this remnant; (for we are left but a few of many, as thine eyes do behold us:)**

Jeremiah 42

³ That the LORD thy God may **shew us the way wherein we may walk, and the thing that we may do.**

Jeremiah 42

⁴ Then Jeremiah the prophet said unto them, **I have heard you;** behold, I will pray unto the LORD your God according to your words; and it shall come to pass, that **whatsoever thing the LORD shall answer you, I will declare it unto you; I will keep nothing back from you.**

Jeremiah 42

⁵ Then they said to Jeremiah, **The LORD be a true and faithful witness between us, if we do not even according to all things for the which the LORD thy God shall send thee to us.**

Jeremiah 42

⁶ **Whether it be good, or whether it be evil, we will obey the voice of the LORD our God, to whom we send thee; that it may be well with us, when we obey the voice of the LORD our God.**

Jeremiah 42

⁷ And it came to pass after ten [10] days, that the Word of the LORD came unto Jeremiah.

Jeremiah 42

⁸ Then called he Johanan the son of Kareah, and all the captains of the forces which were with him, and all the people from the **least even to the greatest,**

Jeremiah 42

⁹ And said unto them, Thus saith the LORD, the God of Israel, unto whom ye **sent me to present your supplication before Him;**

Jeremiah 42

¹⁰ If ye will **still abide in this land, then will I build you, and not pull you down, and I will plant you, and not pluck you up:** for I repent me of the evil that I have done unto you.

Jeremiah 42

Jeremiah 42

¹¹ **Be not afraid of the king of Babylon, of whom ye are afraid; be not afraid of him, saith the LORD: for I am with you to save you, and to deliver you from his hand.**

Jeremiah 42

¹² **And I will shew mercies unto you, that he may have mercy upon you, and cause you to return to your own land.**

Jeremiah 42

¹³ **But if ye say,** We will not dwell in this land, neither obey the voice of the LORD your God,

Jeremiah 42

¹⁴ **Saying, No; but we will go into the land of Egypt,** where we shall see no war, nor hear the sound of the trumpet, nor have hunger of bread; and there will we dwell:

Jeremiah 42

¹⁵ **And now therefore hear the Word of the LORD, ye remnant of Judah; Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; If ye wholly set your faces to enter into Egypt, and go to sojourn there;**

Jeremiah 42

¹⁶ **Then it shall come to pass, that the sword, which ye feared, shall overtake you there in the land of Egypt, and the famine, whereof ye were afraid, shall follow close after you there in Egypt; and there ye shall die.**

Jeremiah 42

¹⁷ **So shall it be with all the men that set their faces to go into Egypt to sojourn there; they shall die by the sword, by the famine, and by the pestilence: and none of them shall remain or escape from the evil that I will bring upon them.**

Jeremiah 42

¹⁸ **For thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; As mine anger and my fury hath been poured forth upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem; so shall my fury be poured forth upon you, when ye shall enter into Egypt: and ye shall be an execration, and an astonishment, and a curse, and a reproach; and ye shall see this place no more.**

Jeremiah 42

¹⁹ **The LORD hath said concerning you, O ye remnant of Judah; Go ye not into Egypt: know certainly that I have admonished you this day.**

Jeremiah 42

Jeremiah 42

²⁰ For ye **dissembled in your hearts**, when ye sent me unto the LORD your God, saying, Pray for us unto the LORD our God; and according unto all that the LORD our God shall say, so declare unto us, and we will do it.

Jeremiah 42

²¹ And now I have this day declared it to you; but **ye have not obeyed the voice of the LORD your God, nor any thing for the which he hath sent me unto you.**

Jeremiah 42

²² **Now therefore know certainly that ye shall die by the sword, by the famine, and by the pestilence, in the place whither ye desire to go and to sojourn.**

Jeremiah 43

Jeremiah 43

¹ And it came to pass, that when Jeremiah had made an end of speaking unto all the people all the Words of the LORD their God, for which the LORD their God had sent him to them, even all these Words,

Jeremiah 43

² Then spake **Azariah** the son of Hoshaiah, and Johanan the son of Kareah, **and all the proud men**, saying unto Jeremiah, **Thou speakest falsely: the LORD our God hath not sent thee to say, Go not into Egypt to sojourn there:**

Jeremiah 43

³ But **Baruch** the son of Neriah **setteth thee on against us**, for **to deliver us into the hand of the Chaldeans**, that they might **put us to death**, and **carry us away captives** into Babylon.

Jeremiah 43

⁴ So **Johanan** the son of Kareah, and **all the captains of the forces**, and **all the people**, **obeyed not the voice of the LORD, to dwell in the land of Judah.**

Jeremiah 43

⁵ But **Johanan** the son of Kareah, and **all the captains** of the forces, **took all the remnant of Judah**, that were returned from all nations, whither they had been driven, to dwell in the land of Judah;

Jeremiah 43

⁶ Even men, and women, and children, and the king's daughters, and every person that Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard had left with Gedaliah the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan, and Jeremiah the prophet, and Baruch the son of Neriah.

Jeremiah 43

⁷ So **they came into the land of Egypt**: for **they obeyed NOT the voice of the LORD**: thus **came they even to Tahpanhes.**

Jeremiah 43

⁸ Then came the Word of the LORD unto Jeremiah in Tahpanhes, saying,

Jeremiah 43

⁹ **Take great stones** in thine hand, and **hide them in the clay in the brickkiln**, which is at the entry of Pharaoh's house in Tahpanhes, in the sight of the men of Judah;

Jeremiah 43

¹⁰ And say unto them, Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, I will send and take **Nebuchadrezzar the king of Babylon, my servant**, and **will set his throne** upon these stones that I have hid; and he shall **spread his royal pavilion over them.**

Jeremiah 43

Jeremiah 43

¹¹ And when he cometh, **he shall smite the land of Egypt**, and **deliver such as are for death to death**; and such as are **for captivity to captivity**; and such as are **for the sword to the sword**.

Jeremiah 43

¹² And **I will kindle a fire in the houses of the gods of Egypt**; and he shall **burn them**, and **carry them away captives**: and he shall array himself with the land of Egypt, as a shepherd putteth on his garment; and he shall go forth from thence in peace.

Jeremiah 43

¹³ **He shall break also the images of Bethshemesh**, that is in the land of Egypt; and the **houses of the gods of the Egyptians shall he burn with fire**.

Jeremiah 44

Jeremiah 44

¹The Word that came to Jeremiah **concerning all the Jews which dwell in the land of Egypt**, which dwell at Migdol, and at Tahpanhes, and at Noph, and in the country of Pathros, saying,

Jeremiah 44

²Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; **Ye have seen all the evil that I have brought upon Jerusalem, and upon all the cities of Judah; and, behold, this day they are a desolation, and no man dwelleth therein,**

Jeremiah 44

³**Because of their wickedness** which they have committed to provoke me to anger, in that they went to burn incense, and to serve other gods, whom they knew not, neither they, ye, nor your fathers.

Jeremiah 44

⁴Howbeit I sent unto you all my servants the prophets, rising early and sending them, saying, Oh, **do not this abominable thing that I hate.**

Jeremiah 44

⁵But **they hearkened not**, nor inclined their ear to turn from their wickedness, to burn no incense unto other gods.

Jeremiah 44

⁶Wherefore **my fury and mine anger was poured forth**, and was kindled in the cities of Judah and in the streets of Jerusalem; and they are wasted and desolate, as at this day.

Jeremiah 44

⁷Therefore now thus saith the LORD, the God of hosts, the God of Israel; **Wherefore commit ye this great evil against your souls, to cut off from you man and woman, child and suckling, out of Judah, to leave you none to remain;**

Jeremiah 44

⁸In that **ye provoke me unto wrath** with the works of your hands, burning incense unto other gods **in the land of Egypt**, whither ye be **gone to dwell**, that ye might **cut yourselves off**, and that ye might **be a curse and a reproach among all the nations of the earth?**

Jeremiah 44

⁹Have ye forgotten the wickedness of your fathers, and the wickedness of the kings of Judah, and the wickedness of their wives, and your own wickedness, and the wickedness of your wives, which they have committed in the land of Judah, and in the streets of Jerusalem?

Jeremiah 44

¹⁰**They are not humbled even unto this day**, neither have they feared, nor walked in my law, nor in my statutes, that I set before you and before your fathers.

Jeremiah 44

Jeremiah 44

¹¹ Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, I will set my face against you for evil, and to cut off all Judah.

Jeremiah 44

¹² And **I will take the remnant of Judah, that have set their faces to go into the land of Egypt to sojourn there, and they shall all be consumed, and fall in the land of Egypt;** they shall even be consumed by the sword and by the famine: they shall die, from the least even unto the greatest, by the sword and by the famine: and they shall be an **execration, and an astonishment, and a curse, and a reproach.**

Jeremiah 44

¹³ For **I will punish them that dwell in the land of Egypt,** as I have punished Jerusalem, by the sword, by the famine, and by the pestilence:

Jeremiah 44

¹⁴ So that **none of the remnant of Judah, which are gone into the land of Egypt to sojourn there, shall escape or remain, that they should return into the land of Judah, to the which they have a desire to return to dwell there: for none shall return but such as shall escape.**

Jeremiah 44

¹⁵ Then all the men which knew that their wives had burned incense unto other gods, and all the women that stood by, a great multitude, even all the people that dwelt in the land of Egypt, in Pathros, answered Jeremiah, saying,

Jeremiah 44

¹⁶ As for the word that thou hast spoken unto us in the name of the LORD, **we will not hearken unto thee.**

Jeremiah 44

¹⁷ But **we will certainly do whatsoever thing goeth forth out of our own mouth,** to burn incense unto the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, as we have done, we, and our fathers, our kings, and our princes, in the cities of Judah, and in the streets of Jerusalem: for **then had we plenty of victuals, and were well, and saw no evil.**

Jeremiah 44

¹⁸ But since we left off to burn incense to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, **we have wanted all things,** and have been consumed by the sword and by the famine.

Jeremiah 44

Jeremiah 44

¹⁹ And when we burned incense to the **queen of heaven**, and poured out drink offerings unto her, did we make her cakes to **worship her**, and pour out drink offerings unto her, without our men?

Jeremiah 44

²⁰ Then Jeremiah said unto all the people, to the men, and to the women, and to all the people which had given him that answer, saying,

Jeremiah 44

²¹ The incense that ye burned in the cities of Judah, and in the streets of Jerusalem, ye, and your fathers, your kings, and your princes, and the people of the land, did not the LORD remember them, and came it not into his mind?

Jeremiah 44

²² So that the LORD could no longer bear, **because of the evil of your doings**, and because of the **abominations which ye have committed**; therefore is your land a desolation, and an astonishment, and a curse, without an inhabitant, as at this day.

Jeremiah 44

²³ Because ye have burned incense, and because ye have **sinned against the LORD**, and have **not obeyed the voice of the LORD, nor walked in His law, nor in His statutes, nor in His testimonies**; therefore this evil is happened unto you, as at this day.

Jeremiah 44

²⁴ Moreover Jeremiah said unto all the people, and to all the women, **Hear the word of the LORD, all Judah that are in the land of Egypt:**

Jeremiah 44

²⁵ Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, saying; Ye and your wives have both spoken with your mouths, and fulfilled with your hand, saying, We will surely perform our vows that we have vowed, to **burn incense to the queen of heaven**, and to **pour out drink offerings unto her**: ye will surely accomplish your vows, and surely perform your vows.

Jeremiah 44

²⁶ Therefore hear ye the Word of the LORD, all Judah that dwell in the land of Egypt; Behold, **I have sworn by my great name, saith the LORD, that my name shall no more be named in the mouth of any man of Judah in all the land of Egypt, saying, The Lord GOD liveth.**

Jeremiah 44

²⁷ Behold, **I will watch over them for evil, and not for good**: and all the **men of Judah that are in the land of Egypt shall be consumed by the sword and by the famine, until there be an end of them.**

Jeremiah 44

Jeremiah 44

²⁸ Yet a small number that escape the sword shall return out of the land of Egypt into the land of Judah, and all the remnant of Judah, that are gone into the land of Egypt to sojourn there, shall know whose words shall stand, mine, or their's.

Jeremiah 44

²⁹ And this shall be a sign unto you, saith the LORD, that I will punish you in this place, that ye may know that my Words shall surely stand against you for evil:

Jeremiah 44

³⁰ Thus saith the LORD; Behold, I will give Pharaohhophra king of Egypt into the hand of his enemies, and into the hand of them that seek his life; as I gave Zedekiah king of Judah into the hand of Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon, his enemy, and that sought his life.

Jeremiah 45

Jeremiah 45

¹ The Word that Jeremiah the prophet **spake unto Baruch** the son of Neriah, when he had **written these Words in a book** at the mouth of Jeremiah, in the fourth [4th] year of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah king of Judah, saying,

Jeremiah 45

² Thus saith the LORD, the God of Israel, unto thee, O Baruch:

Jeremiah 45

³ Thou didst say, **Woe is me now! for the LORD hath added grief to my sorrow; I fainted in my sighing, and I find no rest.**

Jeremiah 45

⁴ Thus shalt thou say unto him, The LORD saith thus; Behold, **that which I have built will I break down, and that which I have planted I will pluck up, even this whole land.**

Jeremiah 45

⁵ And **seekest thou great things for thyself? seek them not:** for, behold, **I will bring evil upon all flesh,** saith the LORD: **but thy life will I give unto thee for a prey in all places whither thou goest.**

Jeremiah 46

Jeremiah 46

¹ The Word of the LORD which came to Jeremiah the prophet **against the Gentiles**;

Jeremiah 46

² **Against Egypt, against the army of Pharaohnecho king of Egypt**, which was by the river Euphrates in Carchemish, which Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon smote in the fourth [4th] year of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah king of Judah.

Jeremiah 46

³ Order ye the buckler and shield, and draw near to battle.

Jeremiah 46

⁴ Harness the horses; and get up, ye horsemen, and stand forth with your helmets; furbish the spears, and put on the brigandines.

Jeremiah 46

⁵ Wherefore have I seen them dismayed and turned away back? and their mighty ones are beaten down, and are fled apace, and look not back: for fear was round about, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 46

⁶ Let **not** the swift flee away, **nor** the mighty man escape; **they shall stumble, and fall toward the north by the river Euphrates.**

Jeremiah 46

⁷ Who is this that **cometh up as a flood**, whose waters are moved as the rivers?

Jeremiah 46

⁸ **Egypt riseth up like a flood**, and his waters are moved like the rivers; and he saith, **I will go up, and will cover the earth; I will destroy the city and the inhabitants thereof.**

Jeremiah 46

⁹ Come up, ye horses; and rage, ye chariots; and let the mighty men come forth; the Ethiopians and the Libyans, that handle the shield; and the Lydians, that handle and bend the bow.

Jeremiah 46

¹⁰ For **this is the day of the Lord GOD of hosts, a day of vengeance**, that he may **avenge him of his adversaries**: and the **sword shall devour**, and it shall be satiate and made drunk with their blood: for the Lord GOD of hosts hath a sacrifice in the north country by the river Euphrates.

Jeremiah 46

¹¹ Go up into Gilead, and take balm, O virgin, the daughter of Egypt: in vain shalt thou use many medicines; for **thou shalt not be cured.**

Jeremiah 46

Jeremiah 46

¹² The nations have heard of thy shame, and thy cry hath filled the land: for the **mighty man hath stumbled against the mighty, and they are fallen both together.**

Jeremiah 46

¹³ The Word that the LORD spake to Jeremiah the prophet, **how Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon should come and smite the land of Egypt.**

Jeremiah 46

¹⁴ **Declare** ye in Egypt, and **publish** in Migdol, and **publish** in Noph and in Tahpanhes: say ye, **Stand fast, and prepare thee; for the sword shall devour round about thee.**

Jeremiah 46

¹⁵ Why are thy valiant men swept away? they stood not, because the LORD did drive them.

Jeremiah 46

¹⁶ He made many to fall, yea, **one fell upon another**: and they said, Arise, and **let us go again to our own people, and to the land of our nativity, from the oppressing sword.**

Jeremiah 46

¹⁷ They did cry there, Pharaoh king of Egypt is but a noise; he hath passed the time appointed.

Jeremiah 46

¹⁸ **As I live, saith the King, whose name is the LORD of hosts, Surely as Tabor is among the mountains, and as Carmel by the sea, so shall he come.**

Jeremiah 46

¹⁹ O thou daughter dwelling in Egypt, furnish thyself to go into captivity: for Noph shall be waste and desolate without an inhabitant.

Jeremiah 46

²⁰ Egypt is like a very fair heifer, but **destruction cometh**; it cometh **out of the north.**

Jeremiah 46

²¹ Also her hired men are in the midst of her like **fatted bullocks**; for they also are **turned back**, and are **fled away** together: they **did not stand**, because the day of their **calamity was come upon them**, and the time of their visitation.

Jeremiah 46

²² The voice thereof shall go like a serpent; for they shall march with an army, and come against her with axes, as hewers of wood.

Jeremiah 46

Jeremiah 46

²³ They shall cut down her forest, saith the LORD, though it cannot be searched; because they are **more than the grasshoppers**, and are **innumerable**.

Jeremiah 46

²⁴ The daughter of Egypt shall be confounded; she shall be **delivered into the hand of the people of the north**.

Jeremiah 46

²⁵ The LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, saith; Behold, **I will punish the multitude of No, and Pharaoh, and Egypt, with their gods, and their kings**; even Pharaoh, and all them that trust in him:

Jeremiah 46

²⁶ And **I will deliver them into the hand of those that seek their lives, and into the hand of Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon**, and into the hand of his servants: and afterward it shall be inhabited, as in the days of old, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 46

²⁷ **But fear not thou, O my servant Jacob, and be not dismayed, O Israel: for, behold, I will save thee from afar off, and thy seed from the land of their captivity; and Jacob shall return, and be in rest and at ease, and none shall make him afraid.**

Jeremiah 46

²⁸ Fear thou not, O Jacob my servant, saith the LORD: for **I am with thee; for I will make a full end of all the nations whither I have driven thee**: but I will not make a full end of thee, but **correct thee in measure**; yet will I not leave thee wholly unpunished.

Jeremiah 47

Jeremiah 47

¹ The Word of the LORD that came to Jeremiah the prophet **against the Philistines**, before that Pharaoh **smote Gaza**.

Jeremiah 47

² Thus saith the LORD; Behold, **waters rise up out of the north**, and shall be an **overflowing flood**, and shall **overflow the land**, and all that is therein; the city, and them that dwell therein: then the men shall cry, and all the inhabitants of the land shall howl.

Jeremiah 47

³ At the noise of the stamping of the hoofs of his strong horses, at the rushing of his chariots, and at the rumbling of his wheels, the fathers shall not look back to their children for feebleness of hands;

Jeremiah 47

⁴ Because of **the day that cometh to spoil all the Philistines**, and to cut off from Tyrus and Zidon every helper that remaineth: for **the LORD will spoil the Philistines**, the remnant of the country of Caphtor.

Jeremiah 47

⁵ Baldness is come upon Gaza; Ashkelon is cut off with the remnant of their valley: how long wilt thou cut thyself?

Jeremiah 47

⁶ O thou sword of the LORD, how long will it be ere thou be quiet? put up thyself into thy scabbard, rest, and be still.

Jeremiah 47

⁷ How can it be quiet, seeing the LORD hath given it a charge against Ashkelon, and against the sea shore? there hath **he appointed it**.

Jeremiah 48

Jeremiah 48

¹ Against Moab thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Woe unto Nebo! for it is spoiled: Kiriathaim is confounded and taken: Misgab is confounded and dismayed.

Jeremiah 48

² There shall be no more praise of Moab: in Heshbon they have **devised evil against it**; come, and let us cut it off from being a nation. Also thou shalt be cut down, **O Madmen; the sword shall pursue thee.**

Jeremiah 48

³ A voice of crying shall be from Horonaim, spoiling and great destruction.

Jeremiah 48

⁴ **Moab is destroyed**; her little ones have caused a cry to be heard.

Jeremiah 48

⁵ For in the going up of Luhith continual weeping shall go up; for in the going down of Horonaim the **enemies have heard a cry of destruction.**

Jeremiah 48

⁶ **Flee, save your lives, and be like the heath in the wilderness.**

Jeremiah 48

⁷ For because thou hast **trusted in thy works and in thy treasures**, thou shalt also be taken: and Chemosh shall go forth into captivity with his priests and his princes together.

Jeremiah 48

⁸ And the **spoiler shall come upon every city, and no city shall escape**: the valley also shall perish, and the plain shall be destroyed, as the LORD hath spoken.

Jeremiah 48

⁹ Give wings unto Moab, that it may flee and get away: for the cities thereof shall be desolate, without any to dwell therein.

Jeremiah 48

¹⁰ **Cursed be he that doeth the work of the LORD deceitfully, and cursed be he that keepeth back his sword from blood.**

Jeremiah 48

¹¹ Moab hath been **at ease** from his youth, and he hath **settled** on his lees, and hath not been emptied from vessel to vessel, neither hath he gone into captivity: therefore his taste remained in him, and his **scent [odor] is not changed.**

Jeremiah 48

Jeremiah 48

¹² Therefore, behold, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that **I will send unto him wanderers, that shall cause him to wander, and shall empty his vessels, and break their bottles.**

Jeremiah 48

¹³ And Moab shall be ashamed of Chemosh, as the house of Israel was ashamed of Bethel their confidence.

Jeremiah 48

¹⁴ How say ye, We are mighty and strong men for the war?

Jeremiah 48

¹⁵ **Moab is spoiled**, and gone up out of her cities, and his chosen young men are gone down to the slaughter, **saith the King, whose name is the LORD of hosts.**

Jeremiah 48

¹⁶ **The calamity of Moab is near to come, and his affliction hasteth fast.**

Jeremiah 48

¹⁷ All ye that are about him, bemoan him; and all ye that know his name, say, How is the strong staff broken, and the beautiful rod!

Jeremiah 48

¹⁸ Thou daughter that dost inhabit Dibon, come down from thy glory, and sit in thirst; for the spoiler of Moab shall come upon thee, and he shall destroy thy strong holds.

Jeremiah 48

¹⁹ O inhabitant of Aroer, stand by the way, and espy; ask him that fleeth, and her that escapeth, and say, What is done?

Jeremiah 48

²⁰ **Moab is confounded; for it is broken down: howl and cry; tell ye it in Arnon, that Moab is spoiled,**

Jeremiah 48

²¹ And **judgment is come upon the plain country;** upon Holon, and upon Jahazah, and upon Mephaath,

Jeremiah 48

²² And upon Dibon, and upon Nebo, and upon Bethdiblathaim,

Jeremiah 48

²³ And upon Kiriathaim, and upon Bethgamul, and upon Bethmeon,

Jeremiah 48

Jeremiah 48

²⁴ And upon Kerioth, and upon Bozrah, and upon all the cities of the land of Moab, far or near.

Jeremiah 48

²⁵ **The horn of Moab is cut off, and his arm is broken**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 48

²⁶ Make ye him drunken: for **he magnified himself against the LORD: Moab also shall wallow in his vomit, and he also shall be in derision.**

Jeremiah 48

²⁷ For **was not Israel a derision** unto thee? was he found among thieves? for since thou spakest of him, thou skippedst for joy.

Jeremiah 48

²⁸ O ye that dwell in Moab, leave the cities, and dwell in the rock, and be like the dove that maketh her nest in the sides of the hole's mouth.

Jeremiah 48

²⁹ We have heard the pride of Moab, (he is exceeding proud) his loftiness, and his arrogancy, and his pride, and the haughtiness of his heart.

Jeremiah 48

³⁰ I know his wrath, saith the LORD; but it shall not be so; his lies shall not so effect it.

Jeremiah 48

³¹ Therefore will I howl for Moab, and I will cry out for all Moab; mine heart shall mourn for the men of Kirheres.

Jeremiah 48

³² O vine of Sibmah, I will weep for thee with the weeping of Jazer: thy plants are gone over the sea, they reach even to the sea of Jazer: **the spoiler is fallen upon thy summer fruits and upon thy vintage.**

Jeremiah 48

³³ And **joy and gladness is taken from the plentiful field, and from the land of Moab, and I have caused wine to fail from the winepresses**: none shall tread with shouting; their shouting shall be no shouting.

Jeremiah 48

³⁴ From the cry of Heshbon even unto Elealeh, and even unto Jahaz, have they uttered their voice, from Zoar even unto Horonaim, as an heifer of three years old: for the waters also of Nimrim shall be desolate.

Jeremiah 48

Jeremiah 48

³⁵ Moreover I will cause to cease in Moab, saith the LORD, him that offereth in the high places, and him that burneth incense to his gods.

Jeremiah 48

³⁶ Therefore mine heart shall sound for Moab like pipes, and mine heart shall sound like pipes for the men of Kirheres: because the **riches that he hath gotten are perished**.

Jeremiah 48

³⁷ For every head shall be bald, and every beard clipped: upon all the hands shall be cuttings, and upon the loins sackcloth.

Jeremiah 48

³⁸ **There shall be lamentation generally upon all the housetops of Moab**, and in the streets thereof: for **I have broken Moab like a vessel wherein is no pleasure**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 48

³⁹ They shall howl, saying, **How is it broken down!** how hath **Moab turned the back with shame!** so shall **Moab be a derision and a dismay**ing to all them about him.

Jeremiah 48

⁴⁰ For thus saith the LORD; **Behold, He shall fly as an eagle, and shall spread his wings over Moab**.

Jeremiah 48

⁴¹ Kerioth is taken, and the strong holds are surprised, and the mighty men's hearts in Moab at that day shall be as the heart of a woman in her pangs.

Jeremiah 48

⁴² And **Moab shall be destroyed from being a people, because he hath magnified himself against the LORD**.

Jeremiah 48

⁴³ **Fear, and the pit, and the snare**, shall be upon thee, O inhabitant of Moab, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 48

⁴⁴ He that **fleeth from the fear shall fall into the pit**; and he that **getteth up out of the pit shall be taken in the snare**: for I will bring upon it, even upon Moab, the year of their visitation, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 48

Jeremiah 48

⁴⁵ **They that fled stood under the shadow of Heshbon because of the force: but a fire shall come forth out of Heshbon, and a flame from the midst of Sihon, and shall devour the corner of Moab, and the crown of the head of the tumultuous ones.**

Jeremiah 48

⁴⁶ **Woe be unto thee, O Moab! the people of Chemosh perisheth: for thy sons are taken captives, and thy daughters captives.**

Jeremiah 48

⁴⁷ **Yet will I bring again the captivity of Moab in the latter days, saith the LORD. Thus far is the judgment of Moab.**

Jeremiah 49

Jeremiah 49

¹ Concerning the Ammonites, thus saith the LORD; Hath Israel no sons? hath he no heir? why then doth their king inherit Gad, and his people dwell in his cities?

Jeremiah 49

² Therefore, behold, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that **I will cause an alarm of war to be heard in Rabbah of the Ammonites**; and it shall be a **desolate heap**, and her daughters shall be **burned with fire**: then shall **Israel be heir unto them that were his heirs**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 49

³ Howl, O Heshbon, for Ai is spoiled: cry, ye daughters of Rabbah, gird you with sackcloth; lament, and run to and fro by the hedges; for their king shall go into captivity, and his priests and his princes together.

Jeremiah 49

⁴ Wherefore gloriest thou in the valleys, thy flowing valley, O backsliding daughter? that trusted in her treasures, saying, Who shall come unto me?

Jeremiah 49

⁵ Behold, **I will bring a fear upon thee**, saith the Lord GOD of hosts, from all those that be about thee; and ye shall be driven out every man right forth; and none shall gather up him that wandereth.

Jeremiah 49

⁶ And **afterward I will bring again the captivity** of the children of Ammon, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 49

⁷ Concerning Edom, thus saith the LORD of hosts; Is wisdom no more in Teman? is counsel perished from the prudent? is their wisdom vanished?

Jeremiah 49

⁸ Flee ye, turn back, dwell deep, O inhabitants of Dedan; for **I will bring the calamity of Esau upon him, the time that I will visit him**.

Jeremiah 49

⁹ If grapegatherers come to thee, would they not leave some gleaning grapes? if thieves by night, they will destroy till they have enough.

Jeremiah 49

¹⁰ But **I have made Esau bare, I have uncovered his secret places, and he shall not be able to hide himself: his seed is spoiled, and his brethren, and his neighbours, and he is not**.

Jeremiah 49

¹¹ Leave thy fatherless children, **I will preserve them alive**; and let thy widows trust in me.

Jeremiah 49

Jeremiah 49

¹² For thus saith the LORD; Behold, they whose judgment was not to drink of the cup have assuredly drunken; and art thou he that shall altogether go unpunished? thou shalt not go unpunished, but thou shalt surely drink of it.

Jeremiah 49

¹³ For I have sworn by myself, saith the LORD, that **Bozrah shall become a desolation, a reproach, a waste, and a curse;** and all the **cities thereof shall be perpetual wastes.**

Jeremiah 49

¹⁴ I have heard a rumour from the LORD, and an ambassador is sent unto the heathen, saying, Gather ye together, and come against her, and rise up to the battle.

Jeremiah 49

¹⁵ For, lo, I will make thee small among the heathen, and despised among men.

Jeremiah 49

¹⁶ **Thy terribleness hath deceived thee, and the pride of thine heart, O thou that dwellest in the clefts of the rock, that holdest the height of the hill: though thou shouldest make thy nest as high as the eagle, I will bring thee down from thence, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 49

¹⁷ Also **Edom shall be a desolation:** every one that goeth by it shall be astonished, and shall hiss at all the plagues thereof.

Jeremiah 49

¹⁸ As in the overthrow of Sodom and Gomorrah and the neighbour cities thereof, saith the LORD, no man shall abide there, neither shall a son of man dwell in it.

Jeremiah 49

¹⁹ Behold, he shall come up like a lion from the swelling of Jordan against the habitation of the strong: but I will suddenly make him run away from her: and who is a chosen man, that I may appoint over her? for who is like me? and who will appoint me the time? and who is that shepherd that will stand before me?

Jeremiah 49

²⁰ Therefore **hear the counsel of the LORD,** that he hath taken against Edom; and his purposes, that he hath purposed against the inhabitants of Teman: **Surely the least of the flock shall draw them out: surely he shall make their habitations desolate with them.**

Jeremiah 49

²¹ The earth is moved at the noise of their fall, at the cry the noise thereof was heard in the Red sea.

Jeremiah 49

Jeremiah 49

²² Behold, **he shall come up and fly as the eagle, and spread his wings over Bozrah:** and at that day shall the **heart of the mighty men of Edom be as the heart of a woman in her pangs.**

Jeremiah 49

²³ Concerning Damascus. **Hamath is confounded,** and Arpad: for they have **heard evil tidings:** they are **fainthearted;** there is **sorrow on the sea;** it cannot be quiet.

Jeremiah 49

²⁴ **Damascus is waxed feeble, and turneth herself to flee, and fear hath seized on her: anguish and sorrows have taken her, as a woman in travail.**

Jeremiah 49

²⁵ How is the **city of praise** not left, the **city of my joy!**

Jeremiah 49

²⁶ Therefore her **young men shall fall in her streets,** and all the **men of war shall be cut off** in that day, saith the LORD of hosts.

Jeremiah 49

²⁷ And I will kindle a fire in the wall of Damascus, and it shall consume the palaces of Benhadad.

Jeremiah 49

²⁸ Concerning Kedar, and concerning the kingdoms of Hazor, which **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon shall smite,** thus saith the LORD; Arise ye, go up to Kedar, and spoil the men of the east.

Jeremiah 49

²⁹ Their tents and their flocks shall they take away: they shall take to themselves their curtains, and all their vessels, and their camels; and they shall cry unto them, **Fear is on every side.**

Jeremiah 49

³⁰ **Flee, get you far off, dwell deep, O ye inhabitants of Hazor,** saith the LORD; for **Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon hath taken counsel against you, and hath conceived a purpose against you.**

Jeremiah 49

³¹ Arise, get you up unto the wealthy nation, that **dwelleth without care,** saith the LORD, which have neither gates nor bars, which dwell alone.

Jeremiah 49

Jeremiah 49

³² And their camels shall be a booty, and the multitude of their cattle a spoil: and **I will scatter into all winds them that are in the utmost corners; and I will bring their calamity from all sides thereof, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 49

³³ And **Hazor shall be a dwelling for dragons, and a desolation for ever: there shall no man abide there, nor any son of man dwell in it.**

Jeremiah 49

³⁴ The Word of the LORD that came to Jeremiah the prophet **against Elam** in the beginning of the reign of Zedekiah king of Judah, saying,

Jeremiah 49

³⁵ Thus saith the LORD of hosts; **Behold, I will break the bow of Elam, the chief of their might.**

Jeremiah 49

³⁶ And **upon Elam will I bring the four winds from the four quarters of heaven, and will scatter them toward all those winds; and there shall be no nation whither the outcasts of Elam shall not come.**

Jeremiah 49

³⁷ For **I will cause Elam to be dismayed before their enemies, and before them that seek their life: and I will bring evil upon them, even my fierce anger, saith the LORD; and I will send the sword after them, till I have consumed them:**

Jeremiah 49

³⁸ And I will **set my throne in Elam, and will destroy from thence the king and the princes, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 49

³⁹ **But it shall come to pass in the latter days, that I will bring again the captivity of Elam, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 50

Jeremiah 50

¹ The Word that the LORD spake **against Babylon and against the land of the Chaldeans** by Jeremiah the prophet.

Jeremiah 50

² Declare ye among the nations, and publish, and set up a standard; **publish, and conceal not:** say, **Babylon is taken, Bel is confounded, Merodach is broken in pieces;** her idols are confounded, her images are broken in pieces.

Jeremiah 50

³ For **out of the north there cometh up a nation against her**, which shall make her land desolate, and none shall dwell therein: **they shall remove, they shall depart, both man and beast.**

Jeremiah 50

⁴ In those days, and **in that time**, saith the LORD, the children of Israel shall come, they and the children of Judah together, **going and weeping: they shall go, and seek the LORD their God.**

Jeremiah 50

⁵ They shall ask the way to Zion with their faces thitherward, saying, Come, and let us join ourselves to the LORD in a perpetual covenant that shall not be forgotten.

Jeremiah 50

⁶ **My people hath been lost sheep: their shepherds have caused them to go astray, they have turned them away on the mountains: they have gone from mountain to hill, they have forgotten their restingplace.**

Jeremiah 50

⁷ All that found them have devoured them: and their adversaries said, We offend not, because they have sinned against the LORD, the habitation of justice, even the LORD, the hope of their fathers.

Jeremiah 50

⁸ **Remove out of the midst of Babylon, and go forth out of the land of the Chaldeans, and be as the he goats before the flocks.**

Jeremiah 50

⁹ For, lo, **I will raise and cause to come up against Babylon an assembly of great nations from the north country:** and they shall **set themselves in array against her;** from thence she shall be taken: their **arrows shall be as of a mighty expert man;** none shall return in vain.

Jeremiah 50

¹⁰ And **Chaldea shall be a spoil: all that spoil her shall be satisfied,** saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 50

Jeremiah 50

¹¹ Because ye were glad, because ye rejoiced, O ye destroyers of mine heritage, because ye are **grown fat** as the heifer at grass, and bellow as bulls;

Jeremiah 50

¹² Your mother shall be sore confounded; she that bare you shall be ashamed: behold, the hindermost of the nations shall be a wilderness, a dry land, and a desert.

Jeremiah 50

¹³ Because of the wrath of the LORD it shall not be inhabited, but it shall be wholly desolate: every one that goeth by **Babylon shall be astonished, and hiss at all her plagues.**

Jeremiah 50

¹⁴ **Put yourselves in array against Babylon round about: all ye that bend the bow, shoot at her, spare no arrows: for she hath sinned against the LORD.**

Jeremiah 50

¹⁵ Shout against her round about: she hath given her hand: **her foundations are fallen, her walls are thrown down: for it is the vengeance of the LORD: take vengeance upon her; as she hath done, do unto her.**

Jeremiah 50

¹⁶ Cut off the sower from Babylon, and him that handleth the sickle in the time of harvest: for fear of the oppressing sword they shall turn every one to his people, and they shall flee every one to his own land.

Jeremiah 50

¹⁷ **Israel is a scattered sheep; the lions have driven him away: first the king of Assyria hath devoured him; and last this Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon hath broken his bones.**

Jeremiah 50

¹⁸ Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; **Behold, I will punish the king of Babylon and his land, as I have punished the king of Assyria.**

Jeremiah 50

¹⁹ **And I will bring Israel again to his habitation, and he shall feed on Carmel and Bashan, and his soul shall be satisfied upon mount Ephraim and Gilead.**

Jeremiah 50

Jeremiah 50

²⁰ In those days, and **in that time**, saith the LORD, the **iniquity of Israel shall be sought for, and there shall be none**; and the sins of Judah, and **they shall not be found: for I will pardon them whom I reserve.**

Jeremiah 50

²¹ Go up against the land of Merathaim, even against it, and against the inhabitants of Pekod: **waste and utterly destroy after them**, saith the LORD, and **do according to all that I have commanded thee.**

Jeremiah 50

²² **A sound of battle is in the land, and of great destruction.**

Jeremiah 50

²³ How is the hammer [pounding] of the whole earth cut asunder and broken! **how is Babylon become a desolation among the nations!**

Jeremiah 50

²⁴ I have laid a snare for thee, and thou art also taken, O Babylon, and **thou wast not aware**: thou art found, and also caught, because thou hast **striven against the LORD.**

Jeremiah 50

²⁵ The LORD hath opened his armoury, and hath brought forth the **weapons of his indignation**: for **this is the work of the Lord GOD of hosts** in the land of the Chaldeans.

Armoury - [OT:214](#) אֹצֶר 'owtsar (o-tsaw'); from [OT:686](#); a depository:
KJV - armory, cellar, garner, store (-house), treasure (-house) (-y).

Jeremiah 50

²⁶ Come against her from the utmost border, open her storehouses: cast her up as heaps, and destroy her utterly: **let nothing of her be left.**

Jeremiah 50

²⁷ Slay all her bullocks; let them go down to the slaughter: woe unto them! for their day is come, the time of their visitation.

Jeremiah 50

²⁸ The voice of them that **flee and escape out of the land of Babylon**, to declare in Zion the **vengeance of the LORD our God, the vengeance of his temple.**

Jeremiah 50

Jeremiah 50

²⁹ **Call together the archers against Babylon: all ye that bend the bow, camp against it round about; let none thereof escape: recompense her according to her work; according to all that she hath done, do unto her: for she hath been proud against the LORD, against the Holy One of Israel.**

Jeremiah 50

³⁰ Therefore shall her young men fall in the streets, and all her men of war shall be cut off in that day, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 50

³¹ Behold, I am against thee, O thou most proud, saith the Lord GOD of hosts: for thy day is come, the time that I will visit thee.

Jeremiah 50

³² **And the most proud shall stumble and fall, and none shall raise him up: and I will kindle a fire in his cities, and it shall devour all round about him.**

Jeremiah 50

³³ Thus saith the LORD of hosts; **The children of Israel and the children of Judah were oppressed together: and all that took them captives held them fast; they refused to let them go.**

Jeremiah 50

³⁴ **Their Redeemer is strong; the LORD of hosts is His name:** he shall thoroughly plead their cause, that he may give rest to the land, and disquiet the inhabitants of Babylon.

Jeremiah 50

³⁵ **A sword is upon the Chaldeans,** saith the LORD, and upon the inhabitants of Babylon, and upon her princes, and upon her wise men.

Jeremiah 50

³⁶ **A sword is upon the liars; and they shall dote:** a sword is upon her mighty men; and they shall be dismayed.

Dote - [OT:2973](#) **דוּטַ** **ya'al** (yaw-al'); a primitive root; properly, to be slack, i.e. (figuratively) to be foolish: **KJV** - dote, be (become, do) foolish (-ly).

Jeremiah 50

³⁷ A sword is upon their horses, and upon their chariots, and upon all the mingled people that are in the midst of her; and **they shall become as women: a sword is upon her treasures; and they shall be robbed.**

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³⁸ **A drought is upon her waters;** and they shall be dried up: for it is the land of graven images, and **they are mad upon their idols.**

Jeremiah 50

³⁹ Therefore the wild beasts of the desert with the wild beasts of the islands shall dwell there, and the owls shall dwell therein: and **it shall be no more inhabited for ever;** neither shall it be dwelt in from generation to generation.

Jeremiah 50

⁴⁰ As God overthrew Sodom and Gomorrah and the neighbour cities thereof, saith the LORD; so shall no man abide there, neither shall any son of man dwell therein.

Jeremiah 50

⁴¹ **Behold, a people shall come from the north, and a great nation, and many kings shall be raised up from the coasts of the earth.**

Jeremiah 50

⁴² They shall hold the bow and the lance: **they are cruel, and will not shew mercy:** their voice shall roar like the sea, and they shall ride upon horses, every one put in array, like a man to the battle, against thee, O **daughter of Babylon.**

Jeremiah 50

⁴³ The king of Babylon hath heard the report of them, and his hands waxed feeble: **anguish took hold of him, and pangs as of a woman in travail.**

Jeremiah 50

⁴⁴ Behold, he shall come up like a lion from the swelling of Jordan unto the habitation of the strong: but **I will make them suddenly run away from her:** and who is a chosen man, that I may appoint over her? for who is like me? and who will appoint me the time? and who is that shepherd that will stand before me?

Jeremiah 50

⁴⁵ Therefore hear ye **the counsel of the LORD, that he hath taken against Babylon;** and his purposes, that he hath purposed against the land of the Chaldeans: **Surely the least of the flock shall draw them out:** surely he shall make their habitation desolate with them.

Jeremiah 50

⁴⁶ **At the noise of the taking of Babylon the earth is moved, and the cry is heard among the nations.**

Jeremiah 51

Jeremiah 51

¹ Thus saith the LORD; Behold, **I will raise up against Babylon, and against them that dwell in the midst of them that rise up against me, a destroying wind;**

Jeremiah 51

² And will **send unto Babylon fanners**, that shall **fan her**, and shall **empty her land**: for **in the day of trouble they shall be against her round about**.

Fanners - [OT:2114](#) זָוַר **zuwr** (zoor); a primitive root; to turn aside (especially for lodging); hence to be a foreigner, strange, profane; specifically (active participle) to commit adultery:

KJV - (come from) another (man, place), fanner, go away, (e-) strange (-r, thing, woman).

Fan - [OT:2219](#) זָרַח **zarah** (zaw-raw'); a primitive root [compare [OT:2114](#)]; to toss about; by implication, to diffuse, winnow:

KJV - cast away, compass, disperse, fan, scatter (away), spread, strew, winnow.

Jeremiah 51

³ Against him that bendeth **let the archer bend his bow**, and against him that lifteth himself up in his **brigandine**: and spare ye not her young men; **destroy ye utterly all her host**.

Brigandine - [OT:5630](#) סִירְיֹן **ciyron** (sir-yone'); for [OT:8302](#); a coat of mail:

KJV - brigandine.

Jeremiah 51

⁴ Thus the slain shall fall in the land of the Chaldeans, and they that are thrust through in her streets.

Jeremiah 51

⁵ For **Israel hath not been forsaken, nor Judah of his God, of the LORD of hosts**; though their **land was filled with sin** against the Holy One of Israel.

Jeremiah 51

⁶ **Flee out of the midst of Babylon**, and **deliver every man his soul**: be not cut off in her iniquity; for this is **the time of the LORD's vengeance**; **he will render unto her a recompence**.

Jeremiah 51

⁷ Babylon hath been a golden cup in the LORD's hand, that made all the earth drunken: the nations have drunken of her wine; therefore the nations are mad.

Jeremiah 51

⁸ **Babylon is suddenly fallen and destroyed**: howl for her; take balm for her pain, if so be she may be healed.

Jeremiah 51

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⁹ **We would have healed Babylon, but she is not healed: forsake her, and let us go every one into his own country:** for her judgment reacheth unto heaven, and is lifted up even to the skies.

Jeremiah 51

¹⁰ **The LORD hath brought forth our righteousness:** come, and let us **declare in Zion the work of the LORD our God.**

Jeremiah 51

¹¹ **Make bright the arrows;** gather the shields: **the LORD hath raised up the spirit of the kings of the Medes:** for **his device is against Babylon**, to destroy it; because it is the vengeance of the LORD, the vengeance of his temple.

Jeremiah 51

¹² Set up the standard upon the walls of Babylon, make the watch strong, set up the watchmen, prepare the ambushes: for the LORD hath both devised and done that which he spake against the inhabitants of Babylon.

Jeremiah 51

¹³ O thou that dwellest upon many waters, abundant in treasures, thine end is come, and the measure of thy covetousness.

Jeremiah 51

¹⁴ **The LORD of hosts hath sworn by himself, saying, Surely I will fill thee with men, as with caterpillers; and they shall lift up a shout against thee.**

Jeremiah 51

¹⁵ He hath made the earth by His power, He hath established the world by His wisdom, and hath stretched out the heaven by His understanding.

Jeremiah 51

¹⁶ When he uttereth His voice, there is a multitude of waters in the heavens; and He causeth the vapours to ascend from the ends of the earth: he maketh lightnings with rain, and bringeth forth the wind out of his treasures.

Jeremiah 51

¹⁷ Every man is brutish by his knowledge; every founder is confounded by the graven image: for **his molten image is falsehood, and there is no breath in them.**

Jeremiah 51

¹⁸ They are vanity, **the work of errors:** in the time of their visitation **they shall perish.**

Jeremiah 51

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¹⁹ The portion of Jacob is not like them; for he is the former of all things: and Israel is the rod of his inheritance: the LORD of hosts is his name.

Jeremiah 51

²⁰ **Thou art my battle axe and weapons of war: for with thee will I break in pieces the nations, and with thee will I destroy kingdoms;**

Jeremiah 51

²¹ **And with thee will I break in pieces the horse and his rider; and with thee will I break in pieces the chariot and his rider;**

Jeremiah 51

²² With thee also will I break in pieces man and woman; and with thee will I break in pieces old and young; and with thee will I break in pieces the young man and the maid;

Jeremiah 51

²³ I will also break in pieces with thee the shepherd and his flock; and with thee will I break in pieces the husbandman and his yoke of oxen; and with thee will I break in pieces captains and rulers.

Jeremiah 51

²⁴ And I will render unto Babylon and to all the inhabitants of Chaldea all their evil that they have done in Zion in your sight, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 51

²⁵ **Behold, I am against thee, O destroying mountain, saith the LORD, which destroyest all the earth: and I will stretch out mine hand upon thee, and roll thee down from the rocks, and will make thee a burnt mountain.**

Jeremiah 51

²⁶ And they shall not take of thee a stone for a corner, nor a stone for foundations; but thou shalt be **desolate for ever**, saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 51

²⁷ Set ye up a standard in the land, blow the trumpet among the nations, prepare the nations against her, call together against her the kingdoms of Ararat, Minni, and Ashchenaz; appoint a captain against her; **cause the horses to come up as the rough caterpillers.**

Jeremiah 51

²⁸ Prepare against her the nations with the kings of the Medes, the captains thereof, and all the rulers thereof, and all the land of his dominion.

Jeremiah 51

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²⁹ And the land shall tremble and sorrow: for every purpose of the LORD shall be performed against Babylon, to make the land of Babylon a desolation without an inhabitant.

Jeremiah 51

³⁰ The mighty men of Babylon have forborn to fight, they have **remained in their holds**: their might hath failed; they became as women: they have burned her dwellingplaces; her bars are broken.

Forborn - [OT:2308](#) **לָחַץ** **chadal** (khaw-dal'); a primitive root; properly, to be flabby, i.e. (by implication) desist; (figuratively) be lacking or idle:

KJV - cease, end, fall, forbear, forsake, leave (off), let alone, rest, be unoccupied, want.

Holds - [OT:4679](#) **מִצָּד** **metsad** (mets-ad'); or **metsad** (mets-awd'); or (feminine) **metsadah** (mets-aw-daw'); from [OT:6679](#); a fastness (as a covert of ambush): **KJV** - castle, fort, (strong) hold, munition.

Jeremiah 51

³¹ One post shall run to meet another, and **one messenger to meet another**, to shew the king of Babylon that his city is taken at one end,

Run - [OT:7323](#) **רָוַץ** **ruwts** (roots); a primitive root; to run (for whatever reason, especially to rush):

KJV - break down, divide speedily, footman, guard, bring hastily, (make) run (away, through), post.

Jeremiah 51

³² And that the **passages are stopped**, and the **reeds [marshes] they have burned with fire**, and the men of war are affrighted.

Jeremiah 51

³³ For thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; The daughter of Babylon is like a threshingfloor, it is **time to thresh her**: yet a little while, and the **time of her harvest shall come**.

Jeremiah 51

³⁴ **Nebuchadrezzar the king of Babylon hath devoured me, he hath crushed me, he hath made me an empty vessel, he hath swallowed me up like a dragon, he hath filled his belly with my delicates, he hath cast me out.**

Jeremiah 51

³⁵ The violence done to me and to my flesh be upon Babylon, shall the inhabitant of Zion say; and my blood upon the inhabitants of Chaldea, shall Jerusalem say.

Jeremiah 51

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³⁶ Therefore thus saith the LORD; Behold, I will plead thy cause, and take vengeance for thee; and I will dry up her sea, and make her springs dry.

Jeremiah 51

³⁷ And **Babylon shall become heaps, a dwellingplace for dragons, an astonishment, and an hissing, without an inhabitant.**

Jeremiah 51

³⁸ They shall roar together like lions: they shall yell as lions' whelps.

Jeremiah 51

³⁹ **In their heat I will make their feasts, and I will make them drunken, that they may rejoice, and sleep a perpetual sleep, and not wake, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 51

⁴⁰ **I will bring them down like lambs to the slaughter, like rams with he goats.**

Jeremiah 51

⁴¹ **How is Sheshach taken! and how is the praise of the whole earth surprised! how is Babylon become an astonishment among the nations!**

Jeremiah 51

⁴² **The sea is come up upon Babylon: she is covered with the multitude of the waves thereof.**

Jeremiah 51

⁴³ **Her cities are a desolation, a dry land, and a wilderness, a land wherein no man dwelleth, neither doth any son of man pass thereby.**

Jeremiah 51

⁴⁴ **And I will punish Bel in Babylon, and I will bring forth out of his mouth that which he hath swallowed up: and the nations shall not flow together any more unto him: yea, the wall of Babylon shall fall.**

Jeremiah 51

⁴⁵ My people, go ye out of the midst of her, and deliver ye every man his soul from the fierce anger of the LORD.

Jeremiah 51

⁴⁶ And lest your heart faint, and ye fear for the rumour that shall be heard in the land; a rumour shall both come one year, and after that in another year shall come a rumour, and violence in the land, ruler against ruler.

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⁴⁷ Therefore, behold, **the days come**, that I will do judgment upon the graven images of Babylon: and her whole land shall be confounded, and all her slain shall fall in the midst of her.

Jeremiah 51

⁴⁸ Then the heaven and the earth, and all that is therein, shall sing for Babylon: **for the spoilers shall come unto her from the north, saith the LORD.**

Jeremiah 51

⁴⁹ **As Babylon hath caused the slain of Israel to fall, so at Babylon shall fall the slain of all the earth.**

Jeremiah 51

⁵⁰ Ye that have escaped the sword, go away, stand not still: remember the LORD afar off, and let Jerusalem come into your mind.

Jeremiah 51

⁵¹ We are confounded, because we have heard reproach: shame hath covered our faces: **for strangers are come into the sanctuaries of the LORD's house.**

Jeremiah 51

⁵² Wherefore, behold, **the days come**, saith the LORD, that **I will do judgment upon her graven images: and through all her land the wounded shall groan.**

Jeremiah 51

⁵³ **Though Babylon should mount up to heaven, and though she should fortify the height of her strength, yet from me shall spoilers come unto her,** saith the LORD.

Jeremiah 51

⁵⁴ A sound of a cry cometh from Babylon, and great destruction from the land of the Chaldeans:

Jeremiah 51

⁵⁵ Because the LORD hath spoiled Babylon, and destroyed out of her the great voice; when her waves do roar like great waters, a noise of their voice is uttered:

Jeremiah 51

⁵⁶ **Because the spoiler is come upon her, even upon Babylon, and her mighty men are taken, every one of their bows is broken: for the LORD God of recompences shall surely requite [complete].**

Jeremiah 51

⁵⁷ And I will make drunk her princes, and her wise men, her captains, and her rulers, and her mighty men: and they shall sleep a perpetual sleep, and not wake, saith the King, whose name is the LORD of hosts.

Jeremiah 51

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⁵⁸ Thus saith the LORD of hosts; **The broad walls of Babylon shall be utterly broken, and her high gates shall be burned with fire; and the people shall labour in vain, and the folk in the fire, and they shall be weary.**

Jeremiah 51

⁵⁹ The Word which Jeremiah the prophet commanded Seraiah the son of Neriah, the son of Maaseiah, when he went with Zedekiah the king of Judah into Babylon in the fourth [4th] year of his reign. And this Seraiah was a quiet prince.

Jeremiah 51

⁶⁰ So **Jeremiah wrote in a book all the evil that should come upon Babylon, even all these Words that are written against Babylon.**

Jeremiah 51

⁶¹ And Jeremiah said to Seraiah, **When thou comest to Babylon, and shalt see, and shalt read all these Words;**

Jeremiah 51

⁶² Then shalt thou say, O LORD, thou hast spoken against this place, to cut it off, that none shall remain in it, neither man nor beast, but that **it shall be desolate for ever.**

Jeremiah 51

⁶³ And it shall be, **when thou hast made an end of reading this book, that thou shalt bind a stone to it, and cast it into the midst of Euphrates:**

Jeremiah 51

⁶⁴ And thou shalt say, **Thus shall Babylon sink, and shall not rise from the evil that I will bring upon her: and they shall be weary. Thus far are the words of Jeremiah.**

Jeremiah 52

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¹ Zedekiah was one and twenty years [21] old when he began to reign, and he reigned eleven [11] years in Jerusalem. And his mother's name was Hamutal the daughter of Jeremiah of Libnah.

Jeremiah 52

² And **he did that which was evil in the eyes of the LORD**, according to all that Jehoiakim had done.

Jeremiah 52

³ For through the anger of the LORD it came to pass in Jerusalem and Judah, till he had cast them out from his presence, that **Zedekiah rebelled against the king of Babylon**.

Jeremiah 52

⁴ And it came to pass in the ninth [9th] year of his reign, in the tenth [10th] month, in the tenth [10th] day of the month, that Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon came, he and all his army, against Jerusalem, and pitched against it, and **built forts against it round about**.

Jeremiah 52

⁵ So the city was besieged unto the eleventh [11th] year of king Zedekiah.

Jeremiah 52

⁶ And in the fourth [4th] month, in the ninth [9th] day of the month, the famine was sore in the city, so that there was no bread for the people of the land.

Jeremiah 52

⁷ Then the **city was broken up**, and all the **men of war fled**, and went forth out of the city **by night by the way of the gate between the two walls**, which was by the king's garden; (now the Chaldeans were by the city round about:) and they **went by the way of the plain**.

Jeremiah 52

⁸ But the army of the **Chaldeans pursued after the king**, and **overtook Zedekiah in the plains of Jericho; and all his army was scattered from him**.

Jeremiah 52

⁹ Then they **took the king, and carried him up unto the king of Babylon to Riblah in the land of Hamath; where he gave judgment upon him**.

Jeremiah 52

¹⁰ And the **king of Babylon slew the sons of Zedekiah before his eyes; he slew also all the princes of Judah in Riblah**.

Jeremiah 52

¹¹ **Then he put out the eyes of Zedekiah; and the king of Babylon bound him in chains, and carried him to Babylon, and put him in prison till the day of his death**.

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¹² Now in the fifth [5th] month, in the tenth [10th] day of the month, which was the nineteenth [19th] year of Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon, came Nebuzaradan, captain of the guard, which served the king of Babylon, into Jerusalem,

Jeremiah 52

¹³ And **burned the house of the LORD, and the king's house; and all the houses of Jerusalem, and all the houses of the great men, burned he with fire:**

Jeremiah 52

¹⁴ And all the army of the Chaldeans, that were with the captain of the guard, brake down all the walls of Jerusalem round about.

Jeremiah 52

¹⁵ Then Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard carried away captive certain of the poor of the people, and the residue of the people that remained in the city, and those that fell away, that fell to the king of Babylon, and the rest of the multitude.

Jeremiah 52

¹⁶ But Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard left certain of the poor of the land for vinedressers and for husbandmen.

Jeremiah 52

¹⁷ Also the pillars of brass that were in the house of the LORD, and the bases, and the brasen sea that was in the house of the LORD, the Chaldeans brake, and carried all the brass of them to Babylon.

Jeremiah 52

¹⁸ The caldrons also, and the shovels, and the snuffers, and the bowls, and the spoons, and all the vessels of brass wherewith they ministered, took they away.

Jeremiah 52

¹⁹ And the basons, and the firepans, and the bowls, and the caldrons, and the candlesticks, and the spoons, and the cups; that which was of gold in gold, and that which was of silver in silver, took the captain of the guard away.

Jeremiah 52

²⁰ The two pillars, one sea, and twelve brasen bulls that were under the bases, which king Solomon had made in the house of the LORD: the brass of all these vessels was without weight.

Jeremiah 52

²¹ And concerning the pillars, the height of one pillar was eighteen cubits; and a fillet of twelve cubits did compass it; and the thickness thereof was four fingers: it was hollow.

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²² And a chapter of brass was upon it; and the height of one chapter was five cubits, with network and pomegranates upon the chapters round about, all of brass. The second pillar also and the pomegranates were like unto these.

Jeremiah 52

²³ And there were **ninety and six pomegranates** on a side; and all the pomegranates upon the network were an hundred round about.

Jeremiah 52

²⁴ And the **captain of the guard took Seraiah** the chief priest, and **Zephaniah the second priest**, and the **three keepers of the door**:

Jeremiah 52

²⁵ He took also out of the city an eunuch, which had the charge of the men of war; and seven men of them that were near the king's person, which were found in the city; and the principal scribe of the host, who mustered the people of the land; and threescore men of the people of the land, that were found in the midst of the city.

Jeremiah 52

²⁶ So **Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard took them**, and **brought them to the king of Babylon to Riblah**.

Jeremiah 52

²⁷ And the **king of Babylon smote them**, and **put them to death in Riblah** in the land of Hamath. Thus Judah was carried away captive out of his own land.

Jeremiah 52

²⁸ This is the people whom Nebuchadrezzar carried away captive: in the seventh [7th] year three thousand Jews and three and twenty [3023]:

Jeremiah 52

²⁹ In the eighteenth [18th] year of Nebuchadrezzar he carried away captive from Jerusalem eight hundred thirty and two [832] persons:

Jeremiah 52

³⁰ In the three and twentieth [23rd] year of Nebuchadrezzar Nebuzaradan the captain of the guard carried away captive of the Jews seven hundred forty and five [745] persons: all the persons were four thousand and six hundred [4600].

Jeremiah 52

³¹ And it came to pass in the seven and thirtieth [27th] year of the captivity of Jehoiachin king of Judah, in the twelfth [12th] month, in the five and twentieth [25th] day of the month, that **Evilmerodach king of Babylon** in the first [1st] year of his reign **lifted up the head of Jehoiachin** king of Judah, and **brought him forth out of prison**.

Jeremiah 52

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³² And spake kindly unto him, and set his throne above the throne of the kings that were with him in Babylon,

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³³ And changed his prison garments: and he did continually eat bread before him all the days of his life.

Jeremiah 52

³⁴ And for his diet, there was a continual diet given him of the king of Babylon, every day a portion until the day of his death, all the days of his life.