

LESSON #25 GOD'S WORD TO BARUCH, EGYPT AND PHILISTIA

Jeremiah 45:1-47:7

Principle: God accomplishes His purposes through His own people, as well as through those who oppose Him.

Use this lesson outline to record your notes as you watch the Lesson 25 video.

I. GOD'S WORD TO BARUCH

45:1-5

- **God's purpose for his people is His glory, not ours.**

II. GOD'S WORD CONCERNING THE NATIONS

46:1-26; 47:1-7

- **The entire earth is under God's control and subject to His judgment.**

III. GOD'S WORD FOR HIS PEOPLE

46:27-28

- **God promises us His presence and gives us hope.**

LESSON #26 GOD'S JUDGMENT ON THE NATIONS cont. Jeremiah 48:1-49:39

Subject: God judges Moab, Ammon, Edom, Damascus, Kedar, Hazor, and Elam.

Please answer these lesson questions for next week prior to watching the Lesson 26 video.

Review

1. How have you been strengthened this week in your circumstances through the lesson on Judah's time in Egypt?

Read Jeremiah 48:1-47

God's judgment on Moab

The Moabites and the Ammonites were descendants of Abraham through his nephew, Lot (see Genesis 19:20-38) but were enemies of Israel throughout most of their history; over 20 different places in Moab are named in Jeremiah's prophecy, many of which cannot be located today. Chemosh (in verses 7 & 13) was the chief god of Moab.

2. What are the sins for which Moab is being judged by God? Give the verses.
3. Contrast the attitude of Moab with that which pleases the Lord as expressed in Psalm 147:10 -11.
4. How do you see Moab's sins committed today in attitudes in our country?
5. What was God's promise of hope to Moab?

Read Jeremiah 49:1-6

God's judgment on Ammon

Molech or Milcom was the chief god of Ammon

6. What was Ammon's sin?
7. How is Ammon's sin lived out by people today?
8. What were the consequences of her sin?
9. What was her hope?

10. How is Ammon's hope the only hope of people of every nation and age?

Read Jeremiah 49:7-22

God's judgment on Edom

The Edomites were descendants of Esau, Jacob's brother, who settled to the SE of Palestine. Edom was made up of red and variegated sandstone ridges and abrupt cliffs with deep ravines. The people considered themselves impregnable because of their natural defenses against attacks from outsiders.

11. What was the sin of the Edomites?

12. How does God express Himself (through the agent of Babylon) as greater and more powerful than the nation of Edom?

13. How does God's power as He works in human affairs both...

a. Comfort you:

b. Warn you:

Read Jeremiah 49:23-39

God's judgment on Damascus, Kedar, Hazor, & Elam

14. Jot down the verses in which you find the pronoun I in reference to God.

15. What do these verses tell you about God?

16. What is the repeated message to each of these people groups?

Reflection and Personal Application

17. How does this lesson impact your thinking about God as He has made Himself known, particularly when compared to how most people think of Him today?