

#22 - Jeremiah Threatened (Jeremiah 26)

I. Jeremiah's Message and the Indictment (26:1-11)

- God tells Jeremiah to speak His word in the court of the temple— and to not _____ a single word—so that He might possible _____. (1-3; see chapter 7)
- The message is that the temple and the city will be _____ if they do not listen to and obey the Lord. (4-6)
- In response, the priests and prophets incite the people to seize Jeremiah and demand his _____ before the city officials. (7-11)
- What is Jeremiah's crime?

II. Jeremiah's Defense and the Verdict (26:12-19)

- What is Jeremiah's defense?
- He recognizes his helplessness, but says his death will be (more) _____ on the people and the city. (14-15)
- Amazingly, the city officials declare that Jeremiah _____ _____. (16)
- They bring up the example of _____, who prophesied destruction in the days of _____, and his message proved to deliver Judah from calamity. (17-19)

III. Prophet Spared, Prophet Murdered (26:20-24)

- Unfortunately, the text goes on to relate that Uriah, a contemporary prophet of Jeremiah was _____ and _____ by Jehoiakim for his message. (20-23)
- For his part, Jeremiah was _____ because of the help of Ahikam. (24)