

#38 - Jeremiah in Egypt (Jeremiah 43-44)

I. Stones and Thrones (43:8-13)

- The remnant of Jews who had been left in Judah have fled to _____ for safety, and Jeremiah and Baruch have been dragged along. (see 43:1-7)
- God speaks to Jeremiah in Egypt, tells him to hide large stones outside of _____'s palace in view of the Jews. (8-9)
- The message of the sign act is this: God will send Nebuchadnezzar to set up his _____ on top of these hidden stones! (10)
- Just as God used Babylon to destroy Judah, He will do the same to Egypt—the land taken over and the _____ burned with fire. (11-13)

II. Have You Forgotten? (44:1-14)

- Jeremiah's message for the Jews in Egypt: (1)
 - You saw the _____ that happened to Judah because of their wickedness and _____. (2-3)
 - In spite of the _____ God sent to correct them, they did not listen and became a ruin and a _____. (4-6)
 - So why are you now leaving the land and _____ to other gods as you enter Egypt? Have you _____ what just happened? (7-9)
 - You are not _____, you don't fear God, and you don't obey him. (10)
 - Therefore, God has set His face against you so that you will be _____ in Egypt. (11-12)
 - They will experience the same punishment as those in Judah, and only a _____ will return there. (13-14)

III. Whose Word Will Stand (44:15-30)

- The Jews listening—whose wives had been sacrificing to the “_____ of _____” (see 7:18)—respond clearly: “We will not listen to you.” (15-16)
 - They confirm their commitment to this idolatrous practice, convinced that _____ this practice was what led to Judah’s downfall. (17-18)
 - Women add that they did so with their husbands _____. (19, see 7:18)
- Jeremiah responds, _____ correctly their recent history: (20)
 - While you were committing this idolatry, the Lord was taking notice. (21)
 - As it continued, He couldn’t _____ the abominations any longer and brought the calamity for their disobedience. (22-23)
- To those committed to false worship, He says, “_____ _____, but do not invoke the name of _____ ever again.” (24-26)
- God is “_____ _____” His word to make it happen so that very few will escape and that those who do will know that God’s word is true. (27-28)
- The sign will be the punishment against them, and the making of Pharaoh like _____ —handed over to the king of Babylon. (29-30)