





# Jeremiah

Leading in a Corrupt World

*Chapters 46-52*  
*Week (11)*

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## Kings and Kingdoms in Jeremiah

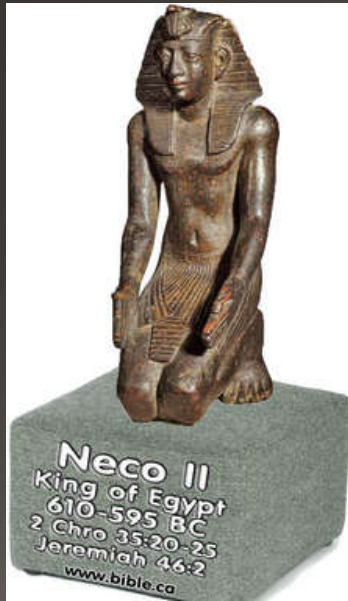
Kings of Egypt	Kings of Judah	Kings of Babylon
Psammetichus I (664-610 B.C.)	Josiah (640-609 B.C.)	Nabopolassar (625-605 B.C.)
Necho II (610-598 B.C.)	Jehoahaz* (609 B.C.)	Nebuchadnezzar (605-562 B.C.)
	Jehoiakim (609-598 B.C.)	
Psammetichus II (595-589 B.C.)	Jehoiachin** (598-597 B.C.)	
Apries (Hophra) (589-570 B.C.)	Zedekiah (597-586 B.C.)	Evil-Merodach (562-560 B.C.)

\* = Shallum in Jer. 22:11; reigned 3 months    \*\* = Coniah in Jer. 22:24; reign 3 months

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## Summary of Chapter 46



- Judgment on Egypt (1-11)
- Armies of Egypt at Carcamesh
- Allies of Assyria
- Nebuchadnezzar will come (13-26)
- The LORD will make a full of nations (27-28)
- The LORD will punish Judah, but not make a full end of it

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6. The New Babylonian Empire and the Kingdom of Egypt

600-587 B.C. (2 KINGS 24-25)

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- New Babylonian Empire
- Kingdom of Egypt

• Jeremiah 46:13-14

(13) The word that the LORD spoke to Jeremiah the prophet about the coming of Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon to strike the land of Egypt:

(14) "Declare in Egypt, and proclaim in Migdol; proclaim in Memphis and Tahpanhes; say, 'Stand ready and be prepared, for the sword shall devour around you.'

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Jeremiah 46:26-28

(26) I will deliver them into the hand of those who seek their life, into the hand of Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon and his officers. Afterward Egypt shall be inhabited as in the days of old, declares the LORD.

(27) "But **fear not, O Jacob my servant, nor be dismayed, O Israel**, for behold, I will save you from far away, and your offspring from the land of their captivity. **Jacob shall return and have quiet and ease, and none shall make him afraid.**

• (28) Fear not, O Jacob my servant, declares the LORD, for I am with you. **I will make a full end of all the nations to which I have driven you**, but of you I will not make a full end. I will discipline you in just measure, and **I will by no means leave you unpunished."**

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## Summary of Chapter 47



### • The Judgment on the Philistines (1-7)

Jeremiah 47:4-5

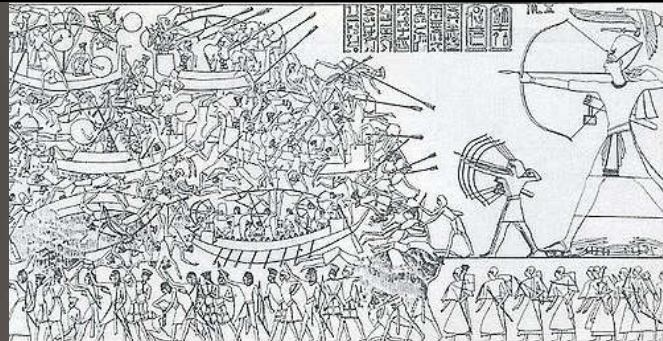
(4) because of the day that is coming to destroy all the Philistines, to cut off from Tyre and Sidon every helper that remains. For the LORD is destroying the Philistines, the remnant of the coastland of **Caphtor**.

(5) Baldness has come upon Gaza; Ashkelon has perished. O remnant of their valley, how long will you gash yourselves?

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## Philistines origin from Crete



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## Moabites and Ammonites & Lot



- Genesis 19:35-38
- (35) So they made their father drink wine that night also. And the younger arose and lay with him, and he did not know when she lay down or when she arose.
- (36) Thus both the daughters of Lot became pregnant by their father.
- (37) The firstborn bore a son and called his name Moab. He is the father of **the Moabites** to this day.
- (38) The younger also bore a son and called his name Ben-ammi. He is the father of **the Ammonites** to this day.

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## Summary of Chapter 48



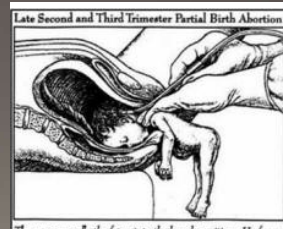
- Judgment on Moab (1-46)
- Chemosh Idol, taken into captivity (8)
- People shall be ashamed of Chemosh worship (13)
- Moab will be restored in the last days (vs.47)

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## Moabite Stone confirms Chemosh worship



- Child sacrifice was part of the worship of Chemosh
- Moabite stones refers to King Ahab and house of Omri
- Ammonites shared the Idol



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## Summary of Chapter 49



- Judgment on Ammon(1-22)
- Judgment on Damascus (23-33)
- Judgment on Elam (34-39)

### Jeremiah 49:1

(1) Concerning the Ammonites. Thus says the LORD: "Has Israel no sons? Has he no heir? Why then has Milcom dispossessed Gad, and his people settled in its cities?"

### Jeremiah 49:7

(7) Concerning Edom. Thus says the LORD of hosts: "Is wisdom no more in Teman? Has counsel perished from the prudent? Has their wisdom vanished?"

### Jeremiah 49:23

(23) Concerning Damascus: "Hamath and Arpad are confounded, for they have heard bad news; they melt in fear, they are troubled like the sea that cannot be quiet."

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## Summary of Chapter 50



### • Judgment on Babylon

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[Rev 14:8](#) Another angel, a second, followed, saying, "Fallen, fallen is **Babylon** the great, she who made all nations drink the wine of the passion of her sexual immorality."

[Rev 16:19](#) The great city was split into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell, and God remembered **Babylon** the great, to make her drain the cup of the wine of the fury of his wrath.

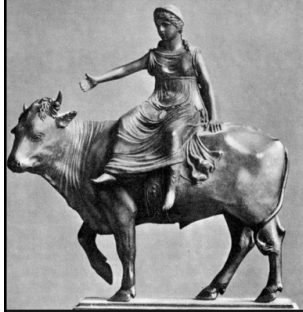
[Rev 17:5](#) And on her forehead was written a name of mystery: "**Babylon** the great, mother of prostitutes and of earth's abominations."

[Rev 18:2](#) And he called out with a mighty voice, "Fallen, fallen is **Babylon** the great! She has become a dwelling place for demons, a haunt for every unclean spirit, a haunt for every unclean bird, a haunt for every unclean and detestable beast.

[Rev 18:10](#) They will stand far off, in fear of her torment, and say, "Alas! Alas! You great city, you mighty city, **Babylon**! For in a single hour your judgment has come."

[Rev 18:21](#) Then a mighty angel took up a stone like a great millstone and threw it into the sea, saying, "So will **Babylon** the great city be thrown down with violence, and will be found no more;

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Europa and the Bull (Consort of Zeus)

## Babylon of Revelation

- Revelation 17 "Religious Babylon" ... World Religious System
- Revelation 18 is "Economic Babylon" ... World Economic System

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## Babylon of Revelation



Revelation 17:3-6

(3) And he carried me away in the Spirit into a wilderness, and I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet beast that was full of blasphemous names, and it had seven heads and ten horns.

(4) The woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet, and adorned with gold and jewels and pearls, holding in her hand a golden cup full of abominations and the impurities of her sexual immorality.

(5) And on her forehead was written a name of mystery: "**Babylon the great, mother of prostitutes** and of earth's abominations."

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## Babylon of Revelation

Revelation 18:1-3

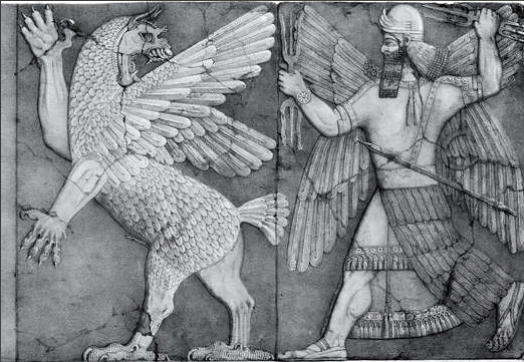
(1) After this I saw another angel coming down from heaven, having great authority, and the earth was made bright with his glory.

(2) And he called out with a mighty voice, **"Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great!** She has become a dwelling place for demons, a haunt for every unclean spirit, a haunt for every unclean bird, a haunt for every unclean and detestable beast.

(3) **For all nations have drunk the wine of the passion of her sexual immorality, and the kings of the earth have committed immorality with her, and the merchants of the earth have grown rich from the power of her luxurious living."**

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## Judgment against Babylon



Marodach, Marduk also known as Bel meaning Lord...Same as Baal..

- Jeremiah 50:1-2
- (1) The word that the LORD spoke concerning Babylon, concerning the land of the Chaldeans, by Jeremiah the prophet:
- (2) "Declare among the nations and proclaim, set up a banner and proclaim, conceal it not, and say: 'Babylon is taken, **Bel** is put to shame, **Merodach** is dismayed. Her images are put to shame, **her idols are dismayed.'**"

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## Israel's victory over Babylon



- Jeremiah 50:3-5
- (3) "For out of the north a nation has come up against her, which shall make her land a desolation, and none shall dwell in it; both man and beast shall flee away.
- (4) "**In those days and in that time, declares the LORD, the people of Israel and the people of Judah shall come together, weeping as they come, and they shall seek the LORD their God.**
- (5) They shall ask the way to Zion, with faces turned toward it, saying, 'Come, **let us join ourselves to the LORD in an everlasting covenant that will never be forgotten.'**

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## End Times Babylon



Revelation 18:2-4

(4) Then I heard another voice from heaven saying, "Come out of her, my people, lest you take part in her sins, lest you share in her plagues;

- Jeremiah 50:6-8
- (6) "**My people have been lost sheep.** Their shepherds have led them astray, turning them away on the mountains. From mountain to hill they have gone. They have forgotten their fold.
- (7) **All who found them have devoured them,** and their enemies have said, 'We are not guilty, for they have sinned against the LORD, their habitation of righteousness, the LORD, the hope of their fathers.'
- (8) "**Flee from the midst of Babylon, and go out of the land of the Chaldeans,** and be as male goats before the flock.

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## Judgment on Babylon



- Jeremiah 50:9-14
- (9) For behold, **I am stirring up and bringing against Babylon a gathering of great nations**, from the north country. And they shall array themselves against her. From there she shall be taken. Their arrows are like a skilled warrior who does not return empty-handed.
- (13) Because of the wrath of the LORD **she shall not be inhabited but shall be an utter desolation**; everyone who passes by Babylon shall be appalled, and hiss because of all her wounds.
- (14) Set yourselves in array against Babylon all around, all you who bend the bow; shoot at her, spare no arrows, for she has sinned against the LORD.

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## Judgment on Babylon



- Jeremiah 50:17-20
- (17) "**Israel is a hunted sheep driven away by lions**. First the king of Assyria devoured him, and now at last Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon has gnawed his bones.
- (18) Therefore, thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: Behold, I am bringing punishment on the king of Babylon and his land, as I punished the king of Assyria.
- (19) **I will restore Israel to his pasture, and he shall feed on Carmel and in Bashan**, and his desire shall be satisfied on the hills of Ephraim and in Gilead.
- (20) In those days and in that time, declares the LORD, iniquity shall be sought in Israel, and there shall be none, and sin in Judah, and none shall be found, **for I will pardon those whom I leave as a remnant**.

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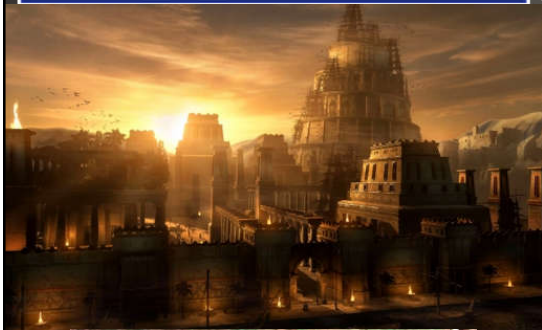
## Judgment on Babylon



- Jeremiah 50:23-25
- (23) How **the hammer of the whole earth is cut down** and broken! How Babylon has become a horror among the nations!
- (24) I set a snare for you and you were taken, O Babylon, and you did not know it; you were found and caught, because you opposed the LORD.
- (25) The LORD has opened his armory and brought out the weapons of his wrath, for the Lord GOD of hosts has a work to do in the land of the Chaldeans.

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## Flee Babylon



- Jeremiah 50:26-28
- (26) Come against her from every quarter; open her granaries; pile her up like heaps of grain, and devote her to destruction; let nothing be left of her.
- (27) Kill all her bulls; let them go down to the slaughter. Woe to them, for their day has come, the time of their punishment.
- (28) **"A voice! They flee and escape from the land of Babylon, to declare in Zion the vengeance of the LORD our God, vengeance for his temple.**

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## Judgment on Babylon



- Jeremiah 50:31-33
- (31) "Behold, I am against you, O proud one, declares the Lord GOD of hosts, for your day has come, the time when I will punish you.
- (32) The proud one shall stumble and fall, with none to raise him up, and I will kindle a fire in his cities, and it will devour all that is around him.
- (33) "Thus says the LORD of hosts: **The people of Israel are oppressed, and the people of Judah with them. All who took them captive have held them fast; they refuse to let them go.**

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## Judgment on Babylon



- Jeremiah 50:39-41
- (39) "Therefore wild beasts shall dwell with hyenas in Babylon, and ostriches shall dwell in her. She shall never again have people, nor be inhabited for all generations.
- (40) As when God overthrew Sodom and Gomorrah and their neighboring cities, declares the LORD, so no man shall dwell there, and no son of man shall sojourn in her.
- (41) **"Behold, a people comes from the north; a mighty nation and many kings are stirring from the farthest parts of the earth.**

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## Judgment on Babylon



- Jeremiah 50:43-45
- (43) "The king of Babylon heard the report of them, and his hands fell helpless; anguish seized him, pain as of a woman in labor.
- (44) "Behold, like a lion coming up from the thicket of the Jordan against a perennial pasture, I will suddenly make them run away from her, and I will appoint over her whomever I choose. For who is like me? Who will summon me? What shepherd can stand before me?
- (45) **Therefore hear the plan that the LORD has made against Babylon, and the purposes that he has formed against the land of the Chaldeans:** Surely the little ones of their flock shall be dragged away; surely their fold shall be appalled at their fate.

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## Judgment on Babylon



Jeremiah 51:1-3

- (1) Thus says the LORD: "Behold, I will stir up the spirit of **a destroyer against Babylon**, against the inhabitants of Leb-kamai,
- (2) and I will send to Babylon winnowers, and they shall winnow her, and they shall empty her land, when they come against her from every side on the day of trouble.
- (3) Let not the archer bend his bow, and let him not stand up in his armor. Spare not her young men; devote to destruction all her army.

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Revelation 18:2-4

(4) Then I heard another voice from heaven saying, "Come out of her, my people, lest you take part in her sins, lest you share in her plagues;

- Jeremiah 51:6-7
- (6) "**Flee from the midst of Babylon; let every one save his life! Be not cut off in her punishment,** for this is the time of the LORD's vengeance, the repayment he is rendering her.
- (7) Babylon was a golden cup in the LORD's hand, making all the earth drunken; the nations drank of her wine; therefore the nations went mad.

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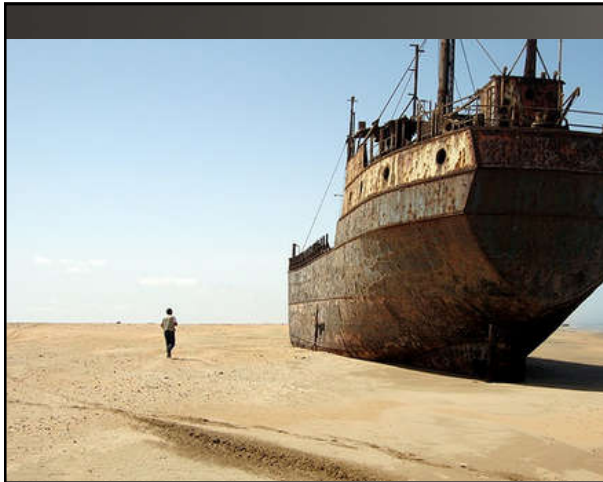
Jeremiah 51:11-12

(11) "Sharpen the arrows! Take up the shields! The LORD has stirred up the spirit of the **kings of the Medes,** because his purpose concerning Babylon is to destroy it, for that is the vengeance of the LORD, the vengeance for his temple.



- (12) "**Set up a standard against the walls of Babylon;** make the watch strong; set up watchmen; prepare the ambushes; for the LORD has both planned and done what he spoke concerning the inhabitants of Babylon.

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- Jeremiah 51:37-39
- (37) and **Babylon shall become a heap of ruins, the haunt of jackals, a horror and a hissing, without inhabitant.**
- (38) "They shall roar together like lions; they shall growl like lions' cubs.
- (39) While they are inflamed I will prepare them a feast and make them drunk, that they may become merry, then sleep a perpetual sleep and not wake, declares the LORD.

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- Jeremiah 51:41-44
- (41) "How Babylon is taken, **the praise of the whole earth seized!** How Babylon has become a horror among the nations!
- (42) The sea has come up on Babylon; she is covered with its tumultuous waves..
- (44) And **I will punish Bel** in Babylon, and take out of his mouth what he has swallowed. The nations shall no longer flow to him; the wall of Babylon has fallen.

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## Babylon --Revelation



### Revelation 18:9-11

(9) And the kings of the earth, who committed sexual immorality and lived in luxury with her, **will weep and wail over her when they see the smoke of her burning.**

(10) They will stand far off, in fear of her torment, and say, "**Alas! Alas! You great city, you mighty city, Babylon! For in a single hour your judgment has come.**"

(11) And the merchants of the earth weep and mourn for her, since no one buys their cargo anymore,

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• Jeremiah 51:45-47

• (45) "**Go out of the midst of her, my people! Let every one save his life from the fierce anger of the LORD!**

• (46) Let not your heart faint, and be not fearful at the report heard in the land, when a report comes in one year and afterward a report in another year, and violence is in the land, and ruler is against ruler.

• (47) "**Therefore, behold, the days are coming when I will punish the images of Babylon; her whole land shall be put to shame, and all her slain shall fall in the midst of her.**

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- Jeremiah 51:52-55
- (52) "Therefore, behold, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will execute judgment upon her images, and through all her land the wounded shall groan.
- (53) Though Babylon should mount up to heaven, and though she should fortify her strong height, yet destroyers would come from me against her, declares the LORD.
- (55) For the LORD is laying Babylon waste and stilling her mighty voice. Their waves roar like many waters; the noise of their voice is raised,



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**Seraiah (son of Neriah)**  
Scribe & Zedekiah's quartermaster  
Jer 32:12; 51:59 595 BC  
Replica Seal impression drawing  
"Belonging to Seraiah [son of] Neriah"  
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- Jeremiah 51:58-61
- (58) "Thus says the LORD of hosts: The broad wall of Babylon shall be leveled to the ground, and her high gates shall be burned with fire. The peoples labor for nothing, and the nations weary themselves only for fire."
- (59) The word that Jeremiah the prophet commanded Seraiah the son of Neriah, son of Mahseiah, when he went with Zedekiah king of Judah to Babylon, in the fourth year of his reign. Seraiah was the quartermaster.
- (60) Jeremiah wrote in a book all the disaster that should come upon Babylon, all these words that are written concerning Babylon.
- (61) And Jeremiah said to Seraiah: "When you come to Babylon, see that you read all these words,

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- Jeremiah 51:62-64
- (62) and say, 'O LORD, **you have said concerning this place that you will cut it off, so that nothing shall dwell in it, neither man nor beast, and it shall be desolate forever.'**
- (63) When you finish reading this book, tie a stone to it and cast it into the midst of the Euphrates,
- (64) and say, 'Thus shall Babylon sink, to rise no more, because of the disaster that I am bringing upon her, and they shall become exhausted.'" **Thus far are the words of Jeremiah.**

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Jeremiah 52:1-6

- (1) Zedekiah was twenty-one years old when he became king, and he reigned eleven years in Jerusalem. His mother's name was Hamutal the daughter of Jeremiah of Libnah.
- (2) And he did what was evil in the sight of the LORD, according to all that Jehoiakim had done.
- (3) For because of the anger of the LORD it came to the point in Jerusalem and Judah that he cast them out from his presence. And Zedekiah rebelled against the king of Babylon.
- (4) And **in the ninth year of his reign**, in the tenth month, on the tenth day of the month, Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon came with all his army against Jerusalem, and laid siege to it. And they built siegeworks all around it.
- (5) So the city was **besieged till the eleventh** year of King Zedekiah.
- (6) On the ninth day of the fourth month the famine was so severe in the city that there was no food for the people of the land.

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- Jeremiah 52:8-10
- (8) But the army of the Chaldeans pursued the king and overtook Zedekiah in the plains of Jericho, and all his army was scattered from him.
- (9) Then they captured the king and brought him up to the king of Babylon at Riblah in the land of Hamath, and he passed sentence on him.
- (10) The king of Babylon slaughtered the sons of Zedekiah before his eyes, and also slaughtered all the officials of Judah at Riblah.

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### Jeremiah 52:11-13

(11) **He put out the eyes of Zedekiah**, and bound him in chains, and the king of Babylon took him to Babylon, and put him in prison till the day of his death.

(12) In the fifth month, on the tenth day of the month--that was the nineteenth year of King Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylon--Nebuzaradan the captain of the bodyguard, who served the king of Babylon, entered Jerusalem.

(13) And **he burned the house of the LORD, and the king's house and all the houses of Jerusalem; every great house he burned down.**

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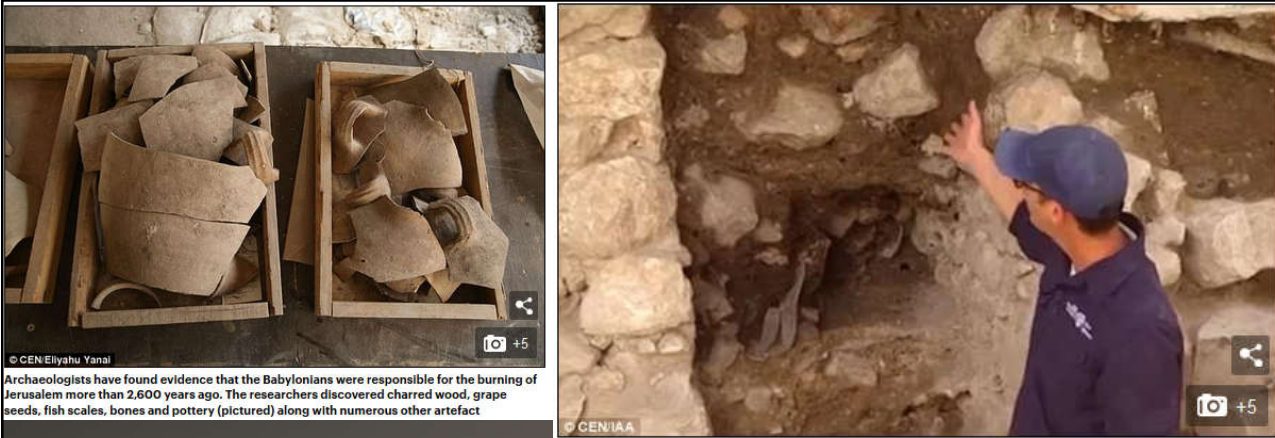
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## Babylonians DID burn Jerusalem 2,600 years ago: Charred wood, pottery and bones found in the City of David confirm scenes of devastation described in the Bible

- Researchers discovered charred wood, pottery and foods in the City of David
- They also found dozens of jars with stamped rosette seals on them
- The findings confirm the scene in the Bible which states that the Babylonians 'burned all the houses of Jerusalem'

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Archaeologists have found evidence that the Babylonians were responsible for the burning of Jerusalem more than 2,600 years ago. The researchers discovered charred wood, grape seeds, fish scales, bones and pottery (pictured) along with numerous other artefact

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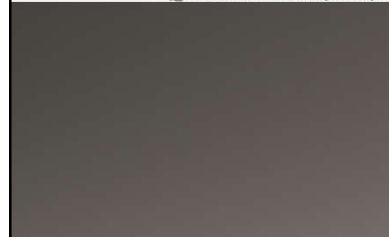
**Jehoiachin's Rations in Babylon**  
Jer 52:31-34 2 Kings 25:27-30



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- Jeremiah 52:31-34
- (31) And in the thirty-seventh year of the exile of **Jehoiachin king of Judah**, in the twelfth month, on the twenty-fifth day of the month, **Evil-merodach** king of Babylon, in the year that he began to reign, graciously freed Jehoiachin king of Judah and brought him out of prison.

**Jehoiachin's Rations in Babylon**  
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- Jeremiah 52:31-34
- (32) And **he spoke kindly to him and gave him a seat above the seats of the kings who were with him in Babylon.**
- (33) So Jehoiachin put off his prison garments. And every day of his life he dined regularly at the king's table,
- (34) and for his allowance, a regular allowance was given him by the king, according to his daily needs, until the day of his death, as long as he lived.