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Choosing Life

Jeremiah 21:8-14



Key Verse:

"This is what the LORD says: See, I am setting before you the way of life and the way of death." (Jeremiah 21:8)



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God sent Jeremiah with a message for the people. He said that the Israelites still had time to choose to obey and honor God. They could change their bad ways or continue to do wrong.

The Israelites were going to be attacked by the Babylonians. Jerusalem would be destroyed. Jeremiah explained that those who stayed in the city would die. But those persons who went with the Babylonians would live. Jeremiah told the king to do what was fair and right each morning.

God is *just* (fair). He will not allow evil to go on forever. The people would be punished for their evil (bad) ways.

For the Parents

In today's lesson, your child heard that the prophet Jeremiah gave a warning to Israel. The people of Israel continued to reject God and willfully sin. This week, help your child make good choices. Through your own actions, show your child how to live righteously. Your godly walk with God will nurture your child's faith both now and for years—and possibly generations—to come.

Your Child's Teacher



Prayer

Dear God, help me to treat others fairly every day. In Jesus' name I pray. Amen.

