

"For The Sake Of Our Children, It's Time To Confront The Hypocrisy In Our Culture"

Scripture: Jeremiah 23:1-40

I. NOTICE THE CANDID WARNING TO THE POLITICIANS. vs. 1-8

A. Notice the content of this warning. vs. 1-2

1. This content included destructive behavior. v. 1a
2. This content included divisive behavior. v. 1b
3. This content included dangerous behavior. v. 2a
4. This content included derelict behavior. v. 2b

B. Notice the consequences of this warning. vs. 3-4

1. The consequences included the promise of eventual restoration for a remnant. v. 3
 - a. The remnant will be restored to their folds. (Homes) v. 3a
 - b. The remnant will be restored to their fruitfulness. v. 3b
 - c. The remnant will be restored to their food. v. 4a
 - d. The remnant will be restored to their fearlessness. v. 4b
 - e. The remnant will be restored to their fullness. v. 4c
2. The consequences included the promise of eternal salvation. vs. 5-6
 - a. This salvation was to be in a ruling Person. v. 5
 - B. This salvation was to be in a righteous Person. v. 6
3. The consequences included the promise of an enlightened declaration. vs. 7-8
 - a. This declaration was to include a nullification of their past history. v. 7
 - b. This declaration was to include a new narration about their homeland. v. 8

II. NOTICE THE COMPASSIONATE WARNING TO THE PREACHERS. vs. 9-15

A. Notice the causes of this compassionate warning. v. 9

1. It was caused because of a broken heart. v. 9a
2. It was caused because of a befuddled head. v. 9b
3. It was caused because of a bypassed holiness. v. 9c

B. Notice the confrontation in this compassionate warning. vs. 10-14

1. There was the confrontation of sexual perversion. v. 10a
2. There was the confrontation of sinful perjury. v. 10b
3. There was the confrontation of secular pathways. v. 10c
4. There was the confrontation of a sick pursuit. v. 10d

C. Notice the calculation in this compassionate warning. vs. 11-15

1. The calculation was about corrupt preachers. v. 11
2. The calculation was about coming punishment. v. 12
3. The calculation was about crooked posture. v. 13 (Idoltry)
4. The calculation was about certain payment. vs 14-15
 - a. This payment would be destruction like Sodom and Gomorrah. v. 14
 - B. This payment would be deadly like poison and bitterness. v. 15

III. NOTICE THE CANDID WARNING TO THE PEOPLE. vs. 16-40

- A. This was a warning to stop listening to false preachers. v. 16
- B. This was a warning to stop listening to false promises. vs. 17-18
- C. This was a warning to start looking for future punishment. vs. 19-28

1. Notice the severity of this punishment. v. 19
2. Notice the Source of this punishment. v. 20
3. Notice the subjects of this punishment. vs. 21-22
4. Notice the surety of this punishment. vs. 23-24
5. Notice the sanity of this punishment. vs. 25-27
6. Notice the symbol of this punishment. v. 28

D. This was a warning to start living without the Father's protection. vs. 29-40

1. This loss of protection includes the absence of Divine grace. v. 29
2. This loss of protection includes the absence of Divine gain. vs. 30-32
3. This loss of protection includes the absence of a Divine guard. vs. 33-34 (Garrison)
4. This loss of protection includes the absence of Divine guidance. vs. 35-38
5. This loss of protection includes the absence of Divine glory. vs. 39-40 (Ichobod) The glory has departed!