

“Fully Committed”

HELPFUL SCRIPTURES

SERMON NOTES

2 Chronicles 35:20-24

I. The Challenge of the End of an Empire, (2 Chronicles 36)

A. Four Examples of What “Failure” Looks Like, (vs. 1-19)

1. Jehoahaz: The “_____ King at the _____ Time,” (vs. 1-3)
 - a. (vs. 1-2), “*Then the people of the land took Jehoahaz son of Josiah, and made him king....*”

- b. (v. 3), “*Then the king of Egypt deposed him at Jerusalem, and imposed on the land a fine....*”

Job 1:8

Hebrews 4:15

Romans 8:28

2. Eliakim/Jehoiakim: The “_____ King at the _____ Time,” (vs. 4-8)
 - a. (v. 4), “*And the king of Egypt made Eliakim his brother king over Judah & Jerusalem....*”

- b. (v. 5), “*Jehoiakim was 25 when he became king, he reigned 11 yrs. in Jerusalem; and he did evil....*”

- c. (v. 6), “*Nebuchadnezzar King of Babylon came against him & bound him with bronze chains....*”

Daniel 5:2

3. Jehoiachin/Jeconiah: The “_____ King _____ Time,” (vs. 9-10a)
a. (v. 9), “*Jehoiachin was 18 years when he became king, he reigned 3 months 10 days in Jerusalem....*”

Jeremiah 22:28, 30

Matthew 11:11-12, 16

Acts 2:30-31, 36

4. Zedekiah: “_____ King at the _____ Time, (vs. 10b-12a)
a. George Santayana, “_____.”

b. Areas of godlessness in Zedekiah and the people..., (vs. 12b-16)

c. Destruction of Jerusalem by the Babylonians, (vs. 17-21)

CONCLUSIONS:

2 Peter 3:9-10

Matthew 28:18-20