## JOURNEY THROUGH THE BIBLE THE WARNING BECAME REALITY! PASTOR TONY BARBOSA 04/17/2024 WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICE 2 KINGS 25; 2 CHRONICLES 36

## INTRODUCTION

I.THEY LOST THEIR INDEPENDENCE (KINGS 23:29-33; 2 CHRON. 35:20-36:4)

THEIR FAITH WAS TO BE IN THE LORD ALONE, NOT IN THE TREATIES OR COMPROMISES WORKED OUT BY CLEVER DIPLOMATS.

THESE TREATIES BROUGHT WEALTH INTO THE NATION AND KEPT WARFARE OUT, BUT IN THE END, BOTH SOLOMON AND ISRAEL WERE DRAWN INTO THE IDOLATRY OF THE NATIONS AROUND THEM (1 KINGS 11:1-13).

II.THEY LOST THEIR LAND (2 KINGS 23:34-24:7; 2 CHRON. 36:5-8)

## III.THEY LOST THEIR WEALTH AND LEADERS (2 KINGS 24:8-17; 25:27-30; 36:9-10)

THEN THEY DEPORTED TO BABYLON OVER TEN THOUSAND KEY PEOPLE, INCLUDING MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL FAMILY, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, AND VALUABLE CRAFTSMEN.

IV.THEY LOST THEIR CITY AND TEMPLE (2 KINGS 24:18-25:21; 2 CHRON. 36:11-21)

## V.THEY LOST THEIR HOPE (2 KINGS 25:22-36; JER. 40-44)

GET THIS, THESE LEADERS WERE LIKE MANY PEOPLE TODAY WHO "SEEK THE WILL OF GOD" FROM VARIOUS PASTORS AND FRIENDS, ALWAYS HOPING THAT THEY WILL BE TOLD TO DO WHAT THEY HAVE ALREADY DECIDED TO DO.

CONCLUSION