## **Obscene Religion**

# What does it mean to have LIFE *more abundantly?*

### Why Christians Trust the Lying Words of False Prophets

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Does the Bible need updating periodically? Is the Bible no longer pertinent for our times – the 21<sup>st</sup> century? Is the God who created the universe unable to inspire a book that remains relevant for the whole world from creation until we enter eternity?

The entire Bible IS current for the 21<sup>st</sup> century, but why is Jeremiah one of the most pertinent prophets for our specific time?

How does Jeremiah's era compare to the one we are now living in?

Jeremiah lived at a time when the Israelites had grown far, far away from God. They were worshiping – and sacrificing to – idols. They had defiled God's temple in Jerusalem. Israel's kings had rejected the God who years before had brought them as a fledgling nation out of Egypt and taken them to Canaan – the promised land.

"Run ye to and fro through the streets of Jerusalem, and see now, and know, and seek in the broad places thereof, if ye can find a man, if there be any that executeth justice, that seeketh the truth; and I will pardon it.

"And though they say, The Lord liveth; surely they swear falsely (They don't believe it).

"O Lord, are not thine eyes upon the truth? Thou has stricken them, but they have not grieved; thou has consumed them, but they have refused to receive correction; they have made their faces harder than a rock; they have refused to return." Jer 5:1-3

"... their transgressions are many, and their backslidings are increased.

"How shall I pardon thee for this? Thy children have forsaken Me, and sworn by them that are no gods: when I had fed them to the full, they then committed adultery, and assembled themselves by troops in the harlots' houses.

"For the house of Israel and the house of Judah have dealt very treacherously against me, saith the Lord.

"They have lied about the Lord and said, It is not He; neither shall evil come upon us; neither shall we see sword nor famine." Jer 5:6-7;11-12

What nation governed the world at that time?

Answer: Babylon!

What nation conquered Israel (specifically Judah) and took them captive?

Answer: Babylon!

"Lo, I will bring a nation upon you from far, O house of Israel, saith the Lord; it is a mighty nation, it is an ancient nation, a nation whose language thou knowest not, neither understandest what they say.

"And they shall eat up thine harvest, and thy bread, which thy sons and thy daughters should eat: they shall eat up thy flocks and thine herds; they shall eat up thy vines and thy fig trees: they shall impoverish thy fenced cities, wherein thou trustedst, with the sword." Jer 5:15,17

What nation governs the world now?

Answer: The "Babylon" of Daniel and Revelation: International Jewry!

What *nation* has conquered the United States and has made the citizens slaves in their own country? And what nation is rapidly destroying Christianity in America by controlling Judges and Congress? And what *nation* controls immigration policy and is bringing millions of Muslims into America to set up Sharia law and destroy Christians and Christianity?

Answer: The "Babylon" of Daniel and Revelation: International Jewry

How does God "visit" a person or a people?

"Shall I not visit thee for these things? Saith the Lord: and shall not My soul be avenged on such a nation as this? Jer 9:9

The words *punish* and *punishment* are not in the Bible. The word is always *visit* though the translators often mistranslate that word as *punish*. God visits us with the results of our decisions and behavior: we reap what we have sown.

"Hear now this, O foolish people, and without understanding; which have eyes, and see not; which have ears, and hear not:

Why do you not fear Me? (Hold Me in awe) saith the Lord: Will you not tremble at My presence, which have placed the sand for the bound of the sea by a perpetual decree, that it cannot pass it: and though the waves thereof toss to and fro, yet they cannot prevail: though they roar, yet they cannot pass over it.

"But this people hath a revolting and a rebellious heart; they are revolted and departed (from Me)

"Neither say they in their heart, Let us now fear the Lord our God, that giveth rain, both the former and the latter, in his season: He reserveth unto us the appointed weeks of the harvest.

"Your iniquities have turned away these things, and your sins have withholden good things from you.

(You have reaped what you have sown!)

"For among My people are found wicked men: they lie in wait, as he that setteth snares: they set a trap, they catch men.

"As a cage is full of birds, so are their houses full of deceit: therefore they are become great, and have grown rich

"They have grown fat, they are sleek: yea, they surpass the deeds of the wicked: they plead not the cause, the cause of the fatherless, yet they prosper; and the right of the needy they do not defend.

"Shall I not visit them for these things? Saith the lord: shall not my soul be avenged on such a nation as this?

"An astonishing and horrible thing is committed in the land.

"The prophets prophesy falsely, and the priests rule by their own power; and My people love to have it so: and what will you do in the end therof." Jer 5:22-31

This is exactly the condition of America at this time. Even Christians do not hold God – the Creator of the universe - in awe. The churches are full of deceit, yet they prosper. The pastors teach false doctrines – and "the people love to have it so."

There are 247 million Christians in America. The United States has the largest Christian population in the world. That's why the "Beast Power" – *Babylon* of Daniel and Revelation (International Jewry) is so intent on destroying the U.S.

The Jews are destroying Christianity from without – and from within – by infiltrating the Christian church and promoting False Doctrines, one of which is that the present-day Jews are God's chosen people, a false doctrine called dispensationalism. This is the characteristic of an evangelical Christian.

Of the 247 million Christians in America, 90-100 million are evangelicals – meaning they believe the false doctrine that the Jews are God's chosen people – and that the Jews will be "saved by their race."

The following pastors, religious leaders, and televangelists "**prophesy falsely.**" Most of them are dispensationalists (believe the Jews are God's chosen people – even though the Jews are genociding the Palestinians and even though the Jews HATE Jesus Christ), many of those listed below speak in tongues, and some of them are 33<sup>rd</sup> degree Freemasons (33<sup>rd</sup> degree Freemason have given their allegiance to Lucifer – Satan.) Virtually all of them believe in Sunday sacredness, a literal hellfire, and that upon death, one goes immediately to heaven or hell. Many of them also believe in the (unbiblical) Secret Rapture.

Many of these televangelists live in the same splendor as Hollywood actors, flaunting their wealth – and considering themselves "blessed by God."

Billy Graham - 33<sup>rd</sup> degree Freemason Joel Osteen - Believes there are "many" ways to God Jerry Falwell - dispensationalist Pat Robertson – 33<sup>rd</sup> degree Freemason Kenneth Copeland – speaks in tongues Joyce Meyer – speaks in tongues Benny Hinn – speaks in tongues Jan and Paul Crouch – Paul Crouch (now deceased) was a homosexual Jim Bakker – speaks in tongues Morris Cerullo – speaks in tongues Jesse Duplantis – speaks in tongues Creflo Dollar – speaks in tongues John Hagee - dispensationalist Kenneth Hagin – speaks in tongues T.D. Jakes – speaks in tongues Kathryn Kuhlman – spoke in tongues Hal Lindsey - dispensationalist Aimee Semple McPherson – spoke in tongues Rod Parsley – speaks in tongues Oral Roberts – spoke in tongues – also was 33<sup>rd</sup> degree Freemason Adrian Rogers (deceased) - Preached that if you keep Saturday as the Sabbath "you are on the WRONG side of the cross." Robert Schuller – 33<sup>rd</sup> degree Freemason Charles Stanley - dispensationalist Jimmy Swaggart – speaks in tongues Jack Van Impe – speaks in tongues Paula White – speaks in tongues Dr. Norman Vincent Peale (deceased) – 33<sup>rd</sup> Degree Freemason

The Salvation Army has called for "Climate Justice" by KEEPING SUNDAY!

"The Salvation Army aligns itself with the **custom** of the Early Christian Church, which **chose** that day on which to commemorate and celebrate Christ's resurrection."

Notice that the Salvation Army aligns itself with "custom," not with the Bible! It apparently feels it has the right to "chose" the day on which it will worship, rather than adhere to God's Choice of the Saturday Sabbath, the day that GOD made holy, and the day that God COMMANDS we keep holy as He has written (with His own finger) as the Fourth Commandment.

Virtually ALL organized churches have fallen into severe apostasy!

#### What Did Jesus Mean by an "abundant life"?

Many of the above claim that they are living the "more abundant" life – with their great riches, that have come from the pockets of many working people who live plainly and frugally.

They often quote the passage, spoken by Jesus:

"I came that they might have **life**, and have it **more abundantly**." John 10:10

However, the word life in this verse, is the Greek word **zoe** – a word that has nothing to do with physical life. The Greek word for physical life is *psuche*. The word *zoe* means spiritual life – Jesus Christ living in you. The "more abundant" life Jesus is speaking of is the ability to understand the Word of God, and to exhibit Christ's character.

"More abundant life" has nothing to do with earthly possessions!

Those who preach of the "more abundant life" in connection with wealth, fame, and prosperity ("Prosperity Religion") are revealing that they have NO connection to Jesus Christ whatsoever – because they can't understand the Truth of His Word!

"For from the least of them even unto the greatest of them every one is given to covetousness; and from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely.

"They have healed also the crushing of My people superficially, saying, Peace, peace: when there is no peace.

"Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination? No, they were not at all ashamed, neither did they know how to blush, therefore they shall fall among them that fall; at the time that I visit them they shall be cast down, saith the Lord.

"Thus saith the Lord, Stand ye in the ways, and see, and ask for the old paths, where is the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, We will not walk therein.

"Also, I set watchmen over you, saying, Hearken to the sound of the trumpet (announcing war and coming disaster). But they said, We will not hearken.

"Therefore hear, ye nations, and know, O congregation, what is among them.

"Hear, O earth: behold I will bring calamity upon this people, even the fruit of their thoughts, because they have not hearkened unto My words, nor to My law, but rejected it.

"Therefore, thus saith the Lord, Behold, I will lay stumbling blocks before this people, and the fathers and the sons together shall fall upon them; the neighbor and his friend shall perish. "Thus saith the Lord, Behold, a people cometh from the north country (Babylon), and a great nation shall be raised from the farthest parts of the earth.

"They shall lay hold on bow and spear; they are cruel, and have no mercy; their voice roareth like the sea; and they ride upon horses, set in array as men for war against thee, O daughter of Zion." Jer 6:13-23

#### Trusting in Lying Words

"The word that came to Jeremiah from the Lord, saying,

"Stand in the gate of the Lord's house (the temple), and proclaim there this word, and say, Hear the word of the Lord, all ye of Judah, that enter in at these gates to worship the Lord. Jer 7:1-2

#### Judahites (NOT "Jews") worshiped at (not in) the temple.

"Thus saith the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel, Amend your ways and your doings, and I will cause you to dwell in this place.

"Trust ye not in lying words, saying, The temple of the Lord, The temple of the Lord, the temple of the Lord, are these." Jer 7:3-4

The Israelites in Judah believed they could be "saved" because of their temple, just like Christians today believe they are saved by being a member of the church.

"For if you amend your ways and your doings; if you execute justice between a man and his neighbor;

"If you oppress not the stranger, the fatherless, and the widow, and shed not innocent blood in this place, neither walk after other gods to your hurt:

"Then I will cause you to dwell in this place, in the land that I gave to your fathers, for the eons of the eons." Jer 7:5-7

God promised the Israelites that if they would return to Him, He would allow them to live in – and control – their own country.

American Christians have wandered so far from God that America is, at the moment, beginning to receive its recompense. We have been conquered from within by an "alien" power – a power that forsakes Jesus Christ, a power that wants to destroy Christ, Christianity, and Christians, a power that now controls

the government, the courts, the military and the police. Because they are guilty of the following – God is allowing Americans – and American Christians to reap what they have sown:

"Behold, you trust in lying words that cannot profit.

"Will you steal, murder, and commit adultery, and swear falsely, and burn incense unto Baal, and walk after other gods whom you know not: Jer 7:8-9

"The holiness movements of today have none of the rugged reality of the New Testament about them. There is nothing about them that needs the death of Jesus Christ. All that is required is a pious atmosphere. This type of experience is not supernatural. It does not include a personal, passionate devotion to the Person of Jesus Christ. Instead, it is a superficial devotion to a church and a "cause."

Americans have embraced Prosperity Religion, Social Religion, they have no real awe towards God. They have embraced false doctrines, including the desire to "work for God" rather than being one with God. They have embraced the day of the pagan sun god – Sunday – many have embraced the Secret Rapture and all the other false doctrines listed earlier in this study.

"And come and stand before Me in this house, which is called by My name, and say, We are delivered to do all these abominations?

"Is this house, which is called by My name, become a den of robbers in your eyes? Behold, even I have seen it, saith the Lord.

"But go ye now unto My place which was in Shiloh, where I set My name at the first, and see what I did to it for the wickedness of My people Israel.

"And now, because you have done all these works, saith the Lord, and I spake unto you, rising up early and speaking, but you heard not: and I called you, but you answered not;

"Therefore will I do unto this house, which is called by My name, wherein you trust, and unto the place that I gave to you and to your fathers, as I have done to Shiloh

"And I will cast you out of My sight, as I have cast out all your brethren, even the whole seed of Ephraim. "Therefore do not pray for this people, neither lift up a cry nor prayer for them, neither make intercession to Me: for I will NOT hear thee.

"Do you not see what they are doing in the cities of Judah and in the streets of Jerusalem?

"The children gather wood, and the fathers kindle the fire, and the women knead their dough, to make cakes to the queen of heaven (false goddesses) and to pour out drink offerings unto other gods, that they may provoke Me to anger.

"Do they provoke Me to anger? Saith the Lord: do they not provoke themselves to the confusion of their own faces?

"Therefore thus saith the Lord God; Behold mine anger and My fury shall be poured out upon this place, upon man, and upon beast, and upon the trees of the field, and upon the fruit of the ground; and it shall burn, and shall not be quenched.

"Thus saith the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel; Add your burnt offerings unto your sacrifices, and eat flesh.

"For I spake not unto your fathers, nor commanded them in the day that I brought them out of the land of Egypt, concerning burnt offerings or sacrifices:

"But this thing I commanded them, saying, Obey My voice, and I will be your God, and you shall be My people: and walk in all the ways that I have commanded you, that it may be well unto you."

Christians want to "work for God"

It is so much easier to "work for God" than to be one with God.

"It is better to Obey than to sacrifice." 1 Sam 15:22

It is better to OBEY the Lord than to "work for" the Lord. God wants Obedience far more than He wants "works."

I recently received an e-mail from a Seventh-day Adventist pastor who obviously "wants to be famous" by "working for God." Here is his letter:

Dear sir/madam,

Dearly Beloved in the LORD's Vineyard,

Good Day, and Abundant Grace be really pour upon you.

I really want to become a an International Evangelist so that i can, and would be able to go to everywhere to preach the Gospel, proclaim the Message, and also become a Nutritionist, Dietician, be a Medical Missionary/ Journalist-Director to really assist or in helping people concerning their health issues /matters.

I have really been touched by the unique nature of your program and really wish to write to find out about it and if possible enroll as a student.

Kindly send me your Brochure, an Information Packet/Catalog. I shall therefore really be pleased, and much appreciated if you could kindly furnish me with more information on the entire program and all that its entails.

I really would like to become a:

Health Researcher/Campaigner Health Practitioner Medical Missionary Medical Journalist Nutritionist Dietician, And Archaeology, Study Languages, **An International Evangelist too.** 

And before a person is really prepared to become a teacher of the truth to those who are in darkness, he must really become a learner. The study of the Bible and in terms of the Health issues should made of primary importance and at the same time there should be a systematic training of the mind and manners, that they may really learn to approach people in the best possible way. All should learn how to labour with tact and with courtesy and with the Spirit of Christ.

I would really like to receive this training in order to uplift, specialize, improve my talents that I may really learn to approach people in the best possible ways, to enable or help me be a dynamic and skillful soul winner, to really equip me for the Mission work.

I am really eagerly therefore counting on you for a very favorably and encouraging response. Thank you in anticipation.

Yours truly in the Master's vineyard,

Signed - - - - -

This man wants to become a Health Researcher, Health Practitioner, Medical Missionary, Medical Journalist, Nutritionist, Dietician, Archeologist, AND **an** International Evangelist!

There is nothing wrong with learning, and becoming educated, but the desire to become an "International Evangelist" reveals the very carnal nature of "man." Rather than humbly asking God to use him in any way God sees fit – this man wants to be Famous – traveling around the world speaking to large audiences – and that is his idea of "being a Christian."

Again, God says, "It is BETTER to OBEY (live the life of Christ) than to do "works." God wants us to be one with Him rather than to "work for Him." We have no right to decide what work God needs done. That's is God's prerogative!

"But they hearkened not, nor inclined their ear, but walked in the counsels (of their leaders) and in the stubbornness of their evil heart, and went backward, and not forward.

"Since the day that your fathers came forth out of the land of Egypt unto this day I have even sent unto you all My servants the prophets, daily rising up early and sending them.

"Yet they hearkened not unto Me, nor inclined their ear, but stiffened their neck: they did worse than their fathers.

"Therefore thou shalt speak all these words unto them; but they will not hearken to thee: thou shalt also call unto them; but they will not answer thee.

"But thou shalt say unto them, This is a nation that obeyteh NOT the voice of the Lord their God, nor receiveth instruction: truth is perished, and is cut off from their mouth.

"Cut off thine hair, O Jerusalem, and cast it away, and take up a lamentation on high places (a sacred place for pagan worship); for the Lord has rejected and forsaken the generation of His wrath. "For the children of Judah have done evil in My sight, saith the Lord: they have set their abominations in the house which is called by My name to defile it." Jer 7:10-30

In this era, "our body" is God's temple (1 Cor 6:19) - and "he who defiles God's temple (our body) him will God destroy." (1 Cor 3:17)

#### Where, in the Bible, does God say there is NO literal hellfire?

"And they have built the (pagan sacrificial) high places of Tophet, which is in the valley of the son of Hinnom, to burn their sons and their daughters in the fire; which I commanded them NOT, neither came it into My heart." Jer 7:31

The valley of Hinnom was the valley of Kidron, right outside Jerusalem, where they had built a massive statue of the pagan god Molech. The Israelites would build a fire in the center core of the statue causing the statue to become lethally hot. They would then place their baby on the burning hot out-stretched arms of the statue, where the innocent child would be burned alive.

They were burning their children alive.

God said the thought of burning human beings alive had **never** come into His heart!

Because God has never even thought of burning people alive, He repeats - twice more - His outrage at what the Israelites were doing.

"They have built also the high places of Baal (sacred places for pagan worship), to burn their sons with fire for burnt offerings unto Baal, **which I commanded NOT, nor spake it, neither came it into My mind**." Jer 19:5

"And they built the high places of Baal, which are in the valley of the son of Hinnom, to cause their sons and their daughters to pass through the fire unto Molech; which I commanded them NOT! neither came it into My mind, that they should do this abomination to cause Judah to sin." Jer 32:35

God calls the burning alive of human beings an abomination! A sin! And God says that thought – to burn people alive – had "NEVER come into His mind or heart."

How much more definite and explicit could God be in showing us there is **no literal hellfire** – in which people are burned alive!!

#### There is NO literal Hellfire!

On November 12, 2015, I received a letter from a Christian man who is very upset that I don't believe in a literal hellfire. This is the third letter I have received from this man on this subject. Like most Christians – he has no understanding of the true character of God.

In his letter to me, he says the following:

"God is love. His nature, His law is love. It ever has been; it ever will be. Righteousness is love; and love is the light and life of God. Everything He does is motivated by love, even His destruction of the wicked."

Christians do not hesitate to make God into a maniacal monster, in order to support their belief in a literal hellfire. This man would never consider it a "loving act" for his neighbor to burn his children alive – for misbehaving. But he has no problem massively distorting the character of God.

"God's revelation of Himself to me is influenced by MY character, not by God's character." Oswald Chambers, My Utmost for His Highest. Nov. 17

The problem is that we see God – not through God's character – but through our OWN character. If we want our enemies destroyed – we worship a "god" who, we believe, will "destroy our enemies."

"With the pure thou wilt shew thyself (to be) pure; and with the froward thou wilt shew thyself (to be) froward." (contrary, crooked, twisted, distorted) 2 Sam 22:27

God calls a froward person – an abomination.

"A froward heart shall depart from me: I will not know a wicked person" (Psalm 101:4) - because

"The froward is abomination to the Lord" (Prov 3:22) so

"Put away from thee a froward mouth, and perverse lips put far from thee" (Prov 4:24).

If "Frowardness is in his heart, he deviseth mischief continually; he soweth discord" (Prov 6:14).

As far as Solomon is concerned "All the words of my mouth are in righteousness; there is nothing froward or perverse in them" (Prov 8:8)

because he realized that God hates a froward mouth (Prov 8:13)

as "The froward tongue shall be cut out" (Prov 10:31b).

The Bible tells us that we become like the God we worship:

"But we all, with open face beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, **are changed into the same image** from glory to glory, *even* as by the Spirit of the Lord." 2 Cor 2:18

If Christians believe that burning up one's children (as they believe God will do – in hellfire) is a loving act, their hearts have been so warped and twisted they will fulfill the words of Jesus in John 16:2. They will persecute – and kill - other Christians. As Jesus said to His followers:

"The time cometh, that whosoever kills you will **think** that he is doing **God a service**." John 16:2

#### **Does God approve of Abortions?**

Not only is there no hellfire, but God not only disapproves of killing, He clearly disapproves of killing innocent babies – as in Abortion – which most Christian hospitals (Methodist, Seventh-day Adventist, Lutheran) now perform with impunity!

Catholic hospitals still refuse to perform abortions, but the Jewish ACLU is suing them in an attempt to force them to do so.

#### The Peril of False Teaching

"At that time, saith the Lord, they shall bring out the bones of the kings of Judah, and the bones of his princes, and the bones of the priests, and the bones of the prophets, and the bones of the inhabitants of Jerusalem, out of their graves:

"And they shall spread them before the sun, and the moon, and all the host of heaven (pagan gods), whom they (the Israelites) have loved, and whom they have served, and after whom they have walked, and whom they have sought, and whom they have worshipped: they shall not be gathered, nor be buried; they shall be like refuse upon the face of the earth. Jer 8:1-2

"How can you say, We are wise and the law of the Lord is with us? Lo, the false pen of the scribe certainly works falsehood; the pen of the scribes is in vain.

"The wise men are ashamed, they are dismayed and taken; lest they have rejected the word of the Lord; and what wisdom is in them?

"Therefore I will give their wives unto others, and their fields to them that shall inherit them; for everyone from the least even unto the greatest is given to covetousness, from the prophet even unto the priest everyone dealeth falsely. Jer 8:8-10

"I will surely consume them, saith the Lord."

"Is there no balm in Gilead; is there no healer there? Why then is not the health of the daughter of My people restored? Jer 8:13,22

#### The People Mourn

"And the Lord saith, Because they have forsaken My law that I set before them, and have not obeyed My voice, neither walked therein:

"But have walked after the stubbornness of their own heart, and after Baalim, which their fathers taught them. . .

"I will scatter them also among the heathen, whom neither they nor their fathers have known." Jer 9:13-14,16

We are on this earth for ONE reason: to get to KNOW God and to learn to TRUST God with everything in our life!

"Thus saith the Lord, Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches; But let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understands and knows Me, that I am the Lord which exercise lovingkindness, justice, and righteousness, in the earth; for in these things I delight, saith the Lord. Jer 9:23

#### Are Christmas trees Pagan or Christian?

"Hear ye the word which the Lord speaketh unto you, O house of Israel:

"Thus saith the Lord, Learn NOT the way of the heathen, and be not dismayed at the signs of heaven (worshiping the sun, moon, etc.); for the heathen are dismayed at them.

"For the customs of the people are vain (futile): for one cuts a tree out of the forest, the work of the hands of the workman, with the ax.

"They decorate it with silver and with gold; they fasten it with nails and with hammers, that it move not." Jer 10:1-4

This is a description of a Christmas tree, as well as the false gods that are carved from wood, covered with gold or silver, and worshipped by the Israelites of old and some Christians (Catholics) today.

"They are upright as the palm tree, but speak not; they must needs to be borne, because they cannot go (walk). Be not afraid of them; for they cannot do evil, neither also is it in them to do good." Jer 10:5

But the "silver and gold" are worshipped by almost all mankind, certainly those in developed countries. Money – wealth – has become a "god."

"For as much as there is none like unto Thee, O Lord; Thou are great, and Thy name is great in might.

"Who would not fear thee, O King of nations? For to Thee it is fitting: forasmuch as among all the wise men of the nations, and in all their kingdoms, there is none like unto Thee.

"But they are altogether brutish and foolish; The wooden idol is worthless teaching.

"But the Lord is the true God, He is the living God, and an everlasting king: at His wrath the earth shall tremble, and the nations shall not be able to abide His indignation.

"Thus shall ye say unto them, The gods that have not made the heavens and the earth, even they shall perish from the earth, and from under these heavens.

"He hath made the earth by His power, He hath established the world by His wisdom, and hath stretched out the heavens by His discretion. "When He uttereth His voice, there is a multitude of waters in the heavens, and He causeth the vapors to ascend from the ends of the earth; He maketh lightnings with rain, and brings fort the wind out of His treasures.

"Every man is brutish (dull-hearted) in his knowledge: every metalsmith is shamed by the graven image: for his molten image is falsehood, and there is no breath in them.

"My tabernacle is plundered, and all My cords are broken: My children are gone forth from Me, and they are not: there is none to stretch forth My tent any more, and to set up My curtains (in the temple).

"For the pastors have become brutish (dull-hearted), and have not sought the Lord; therefore they shall not prosper, and all their flocks shall be scattered.

"Behold, the noise of the report is come, and a great commotion out of the north country, to make the cities of Judah desolate, and a den of jackals." Jer 10:6-14;20-22

#### Do we have Freewill?

"O Lord, I know that the way of man is NOT in himself: it is NOT in man that walketh to direct his steps." Jer 10:23

Obviously, Jeremiah understands that God has NOT given humanity "Free will!"

"O Lord, correct Me, but with justice; not in Thine anger, lest Thou bring me to nothing." Jer 10:24

#### The word "Gentiles" is NOT in the Bible

The Bible translators have mistranslated the word "heathen" (also "nations") as *Gentiles*, attempting to make that word define a race. A race of supposedly "non-Jews." But the words heathen and nation define a type of worship – those who worship pagan gods, rather than the God of the temple in Israel.

"Pour out thy fury upon the heathen – that know Thee NOT – and upon the families that call NOT on Thy name." Jer 10:25.

This text tells us who the <u>heathen</u> are – the word that is almost always mistranslated "Gentiles." The word heathen (also "nations") means those who KNOW NOT GOD!

The word "Gentile" does NOT refer to a "non-Jew." It refers to one who does NOT know God.

So, those who, today, call themselves "Jews" – are actually Gentiles – for 2 reasons: 1) They are not the descendants of the Israelites. They are descendants of the Khazars, barbarian Mongol GENTILE Turks, who lived in the area that is now called Ukraine, who converted to Judaism in about the 8<sup>th</sup> century, 2) the "Jews" of today do NOT know God – or His character – the character of Jesus Christ.

#### The Watchman at the Gate

Jeremiah was called by God to warn the Israelites that they had wandered far from the worship of the One True God. The Israelites were Christians, because they were looking forward to the coming of the Messiah, Jesus Christ, (the Israelites were NOT Jews.) But the Israelites had fallen deeply into idolatry – pagan worship so debased that they were sacrificing their own children, through the fire, to Molech. They also worshipped silver and gold covered idols.

We today, are also called by God, to warn Christians that they too have wandered far from God with their acceptance of the false doctrines of a literal hellfire, the worship of wealth (gold and silver) and fame, and the massive transition from a true relationship with Jesus Christ - - to a social religion that has no strength.

Only when we are aware of where we are in time, in order to have a true understanding of Bible prophecy, and how it is being fulfilled, can we be in a position to sound that warning.