

Jeremiah 50

King James Version (KJV)

(Prophecy against Babylon – confusion)

50 The word that the LORD spake against Babylon and against the land of the Chaldeans by Jeremiah the prophet. (This is the fall of confusion. Babylon - Babel means confusion)

NOTES: (This is the 50th prophecy from God through Jeremiah. Today this is Iraq. Saddam Hussein rebuilt the ruins of Babylon. It is about 60 miles away from Baghdad, on the Tigris River)

(Spiritually - confusion has spread throughout the world – political correctness, homosexuality, atheism, abortion, wokeness, communism, fascism, etc...)

(In the end days the Christian countries will be totally confused. Their leaders will be as children) Isaiah-3:4, Isaiah-3:12

²Declare ye among the nations, and publish, and set up a standard; publish, and conceal not: say, Babylon is taken, Bel is confounded, Merodach is broken in pieces; her idols are confounded, her images are broken in pieces. (Bel was a god in Babylon)

(Merodach = death; death is one of Satan's names) see Hebrews-2:14

³For out of the north there cometh up a nation against her, which shall make her land desolate, and none shall dwell therein: they shall remove, they shall depart, both man and beast. (In the past, this was Nebuchadnezzar; future – it will be antichrist, taking over everything)

NOTE: (After antichrist's 5 month rule, the nations will wake up in the end days of this Age. They will turn against antichrist's one world system – possibly Russia coming from the north? It is possible, because about 85% of Russians are Orthodox Christians)

⁴In those days, and in that time, saith the LORD, the children of Israel shall come, they and the children of Judah together, going and weeping: they shall go, and seek the LORD their God. (Finally, they will turn back to God as one great house. They have been divided since the death of King Solomon) Ezekiel-37

⁵They shall ask the way to Zion with their faces thitherward, saying, Come, and let us join ourselves to the LORD in a perpetual covenant that shall not be forgotten. (When Jesus returns as Messiah)

(We Christians have a perpetual covenant with Jesus Christ; and we have not forgotten it)

⁶My people hath been lost sheep: their shepherds have caused them to go astray, they have turned them away on the mountains: they have gone from mountain to hill, they have forgotten their resting place. (Our resting place is our Sabbath. Jesus became our Sabbath; our rest. We get that rest by studying the Word of God and by living it)

(Our Lord Jesus Christ became our Sabbath. HE is our rest – our peace of mind) see Mark-2:27-28

NOTE: (Christian preachers today don't even teach the true Word of God. They preach rapture doctrine and other traditions of men. They celebrate Easter – a heathen ritual celebration to Ishtar, the pagan goddess of heaven. They will be totally deceived when antichrist shows up. They will worship him; thinking that he is Jesus)

⁷All that found them have devoured them: and their adversaries said, We offend not, because they have sinned against the LORD, the habitation of justice, even the LORD, the hope of their fathers. (All of the other countries took advantage of them. They have forgotten God; and so now, they are everyone else's fools)

NOTES: (Look at the Christian countries of Europe and North America today. Most don't even know that they are descendents of the scattered ten tribes of Israel. They call themselves Gentiles)

(They have become the invaded; conquered by Muslims and other heathen peoples without even a battle. They are all losing their countries to these invaders because of political correctness and fear of being called racist. They have become like lost sheep)

⁸Remove out of the midst of Babylon, and go forth out of the land of the Chaldeans, and be as the he goats before the flocks. (The he goats pranced around as they led the flocks. In this case, they can lead the people out of confusion <out of Babel>)

⁹For, lo, I will raise and cause to come up against Babylon an assembly of great nations from the north country: and they shall set themselves in array against her; from thence she shall be taken: their arrows shall be as of a mighty expert man; none shall return in vain. (Past- this was Medial Persia. King Darius first and then King Cyrus)

Isaiah-13:3-5 (Future- God's army will confront antichrist in Jerusalem. They will prevail just as Jesus Christ returns. This is the second tribulation. This is the one that comes from God, to end Satan's one world system of confusion. This will be the battle of Armageddon)

Also see Ezekiel-38 & 39 (The Battle of and Haman-Gog)

¹⁰And Chaldea shall be a spoil: all that spoil her shall be satisfied, saith the LORD. (her = the great harlot, Babylon – land of the confused, who will believe that antichrist is Jesus, returned) (Babel = confusion)

¹¹Because ye were glad, because ye rejoiced, O ye destroyers of mine heritage, because ye are grown fat as the heifer at grass, and bellow as bulls; (They were delighted to rule corruptly over God's people. They stole the peoples' wealth to line their own pockets. They destroyed peoples' salvation with their false doctrines)

¹²Your mother shall be sore confounded; she that bare you shall be ashamed: behold, the hindermost of the nations shall be a wilderness, a dry land, and a desert. (They will be exposed and ashamed)

¹³Because of the wrath of the LORD it shall not be inhabited, but it shall be wholly desolate: every one that goeth by Babylon shall be astonished, and hiss at all her plagues. (Give her <Babylon> a double portion of God's wrath) Revelation-18

(In the end times, Babylon is not a place. It's a condition. It is all those people that were deceived and served antichrist; before Jesus returns. Antichrist comes at the 6th Trump; Jesus returns at the 7th)

¹⁴Put yourselves in array against Babylon round about: all ye that bend the bow, shoot at her, spare no arrows: for she hath sinned against the LORD. (Her sin is deceiving the people through antichrist's confusion and lies)

(The arrows are symbolic for of when the Elect testify the truth from the Holy Spirit in front of antichrist. The whole world will hear their testimony. Many will wake up to the truth and return to the true God)

¹⁵ Shout against her round about: she hath given her hand: her foundations are fallen, her walls are thrown down: for it is the vengeance of the LORD: take vengeance upon her; as she hath done, do unto her. (God's truth will destroy the lies of antichrist. Many people will realize that they have been fooled by this false messiah)

¹⁶ Cut off the sower from Babylon, and him that handleth the sickle in the time of harvest: for fear of the oppressing sword they shall turn every one to his people, and they shall flee every one to his own land. (The Elect <with God's help> will stop the false planting and harvest of antichrist. The crop here is the souls of the people. The Elect will help to free the people from Satan's deception)

¹⁷ Israel is a scattered sheep; the lions have driven him away: first the king of Assyria hath devoured him; and last this Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon hath broken his bones. (600 BC, the Assyrians took the 10 northern tribes captive. 200 years later, Babylon <Nebuchadnezzar> took Judah and Benjamin captive)

(The 12 tribes were finally freed by Cyrus of Media-Persia. The Israelites were scattered over the Caucasus Mountains. They settled Europe and later, North America. They became known as Caucasians. We are the Christian nations of today)

(Judah returned to Israel in 1948. They are called the Jews, today. They still practice Judaism)

1Corinthians-10:11 (These things happened as an example as to what will happen in the end days of this Age)

¹⁸ Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, I will punish the king of Babylon and his land, as I have punished the king of Assyria. (Both are very strong types for antichrist – both were destroyed by God, for having persecuted Israel and Judah)

¹⁹ And I will bring Israel again to his habitation, and he shall feed on Carmel and Bashan, and his soul shall be satisfied upon mount Ephraim and Gilead. (Carmel = a pleasant fruitful place; Bashan = a fertile place) (Ephraim = the forgetful one)

²⁰ In those days, and in that time, saith the LORD, the iniquity of Israel shall be sought for, and there shall be none; and the sins of Judah, and they shall not be found: for I will pardon them whom I reserve.
(reserve = save - better translation) (On the Lord's Day; God will forgive and save those who repent; and seek Him and love Him)

²¹ Go up against the land of Merathaim, even against it, and against the inhabitants of Pekod: waste and utterly destroy after them, saith the LORD, and do according to all that I have commanded thee.
(Merathaim = double rebellion; Pekod = visitation or judgment)

²² A sound of battle is in the land, and of great destruction.

²³ How is the hammer of the whole earth cut asunder and broken! how is Babylon become a desolation among the nations! (Babylon means confusion)

(When Jesus returns, all people will wake up and confusion will be ended. The hammer stands prophetically for antichrist in the end times. He will be broken by the Word of God, on the day that Jesus returns as King of kings, Lord of lords)

²⁴ I have laid a snare for thee, and thou art also taken, O Babylon, and thou wast not aware: thou art found, and also caught, because thou hast striven against the LORD. (God gave Satan plenty of rope, and he hung himself with it. All of his misdeeds and lies will catch up with him in the end) Revelation-9

²⁵ The LORD hath opened his armoury, and hath brought forth the weapons of his indignation: for this is the work of the Lord GOD of hosts in the land of the Chaldeans. (Spiritually - God opens the armoury; but we have to take up the weapons <the truth> and fight against antichrist's deception. The seven vials of God's wrath will be poured out upon Babylon)

²⁶ Come against her from the utmost border, open her storehouses: cast her up as heaps, and destroy her utterly: let nothing of her be left. (Her - Babylon = confusion and false doctrine)

²⁷ Slay all her bullocks; let them go down to the slaughter: woe unto them! for their day is come, the time of their visitation. (Destroy her wealth. That's what she treasures most. This is the judgment on Babylon. It will come down on her all at once, on the Lord's Day)

(Truth destroys lies and confusion. When people realize that they have been fooled, antichrist's power over them will end)

²⁸ The voice of them that flee and escape out of the land of Babylon, to declare in Zion the vengeance of the LORD our God, the vengeance of his temple. (LORD = Yahoveh <in the manuscripts>)

(The Lord's temple in the end times will be the many-membered body of Christianity)

²⁹ Call together the archers against Babylon: all ye that bend the bow, camp against it round about; let none thereof escape: recompense her according to her work; according to all that she hath done, do unto her: for she hath been proud against the LORD, against the Holy One of Israel. Revelation-18:6 (Give her a double portion of what she has coming)

³⁰ Therefore shall her young men fall in the streets, and all her men of war shall be cut off in that day, saith the LORD. (Who can be victorious against God? No one can) (The battle of Armageddon will happen in Jerusalem – where antichrist has set up his throne)

³¹ Behold, I am against thee, O thou most proud, saith the Lord GOD of hosts: for thy day is come, the time that I will visit thee. (This most proud is Babylon - personified as pride itself)

³² And the most proud shall stumble and fall, and none shall raise him up: and I will kindle a fire in his cities, and it shall devour all round about him. (Who can prevail against God? No one can. Only a fool would even try. Satan is that fool. He allowed his pride to destroy him)

³³ Thus saith the LORD of hosts; The children of Israel and the children of Judah were oppressed together: and all that took them captives held them fast; they refused to let them go. (God allowed Babylon to take Judah captive to destroy their evil nation; not to destroy the people. Babylon went too far afterwards and oppressed the people)

³⁴ Their Redeemer is strong; the LORD of hosts is his name: he shall thoroughly plead their cause, that he may give rest to the land, and disquiet the inhabitants of Babylon. (God sent Darius of Persia to defeat the Babylonians; and his successor, Cyrus, to free Israel and Judah. These two kings were agents of God. Although they were both heathen kings, they did God's work in redeeming the people of Israel and Judah)

(Future - the Elect will stop the antichrist from deceiving the people, by witnessing in the end times. God will speak through them and Babel <confusion> will be destroyed. The Elect will also be acting as agents of God; sent to redeem the Christian people) Mark-13, Matthew-24

(Afterwards, Jesus Christ will return in person to rule forever as King of kings, Lord of lords)

³⁵ A sword is upon the Chaldeans, saith the LORD, and upon the inhabitants of Babylon, and upon her princes, and upon her wise men. (Chaldeans = Babylonians) (The sword is the Word of God. The truth destroys lies and confusion) Revelation-1:15-16

³⁶ A sword is upon the liars; and they shall dote: a sword is upon her mighty men; and they shall be dismayed. (When the truth of God is revealed, all peoples will see it. The liars will be exposed publicly before the whole world)

³⁷ A sword is upon their horses, and upon their chariots, and upon all the mingled people that are in the midst of her; and they shall become as women: a sword is upon her treasures; and they shall be robbed. (They will not be able to defend themselves – because they have been deceived for so long that they think the deception of Satan is the truth. They will have believed that antichrist is Jesus, returned)

(The truth will prevail, however; whether they like it or not)

³⁸ A drought is upon her waters; and they shall be dried up: for it is the land of graven images, and they are mad upon their idols. (They will love their idols, still. Their false beliefs have become habitual)

(The drought is the lack of hearing the Word of God, properly taught) see Amos-8:11

(Jesus is the Living Water) John-4:10-14

³⁹ Therefore the wild beasts of the desert with the wild beasts of the islands shall dwell there, and the owls shall dwell therein: and it shall be no more inhabited for ever; neither shall it be dwelt in from generation to generation. (Babylon is destroyed. All people will bend the knee to Jesus Christ when He returns. We will all have total recall of the First Age in our spiritual bodies. Deception by antichrist is no longer possible because all people will know who he is)

⁴⁰ As God overthrew Sodom and Gomorrah and the neighbour cities thereof, saith the LORD; so shall no man abide there, neither shall any son of man dwell therein. (Sodom and Gomorrah were cities of perversion and idolatry. God destroyed them both. HE didn't need any help from men to clean the area up. Likewise, He won't need any help cleaning up Babylon of the end days)

⁴¹ Behold, a people shall come from the north, and a great nation, and many kings shall be raised up from the coasts of the earth.

⁴² They shall hold the bow and the lance: they are cruel, and will not shew mercy: their voice shall roar like the sea, and they shall ride upon horses, every one put in array, like a man to the battle, against thee, O daughter of Babylon. (Past: the Medes and the Persians came to defeat Babylon; Future: the people who were deceived by antichrist, and have now woken up out of their delusional stupor; because of the testimonies of God's Holy Spirit, through the Elect)

⁴³ The king of Babylon hath heard the report of them, and his hands waxed feeble: anguish took hold of him, and pangs as of a woman in travail. (Satan knows that he can't defeat God. When the truth comes out, antichrist will lose his hold on the deceived people. His one world system will collapse instantly as soon as Jesus returns)

⁴⁴ Behold, he shall come up like a lion from the swelling of Jordan unto the habitation of the strong: but I will make them suddenly run away from her: and who is a chosen man, that I may appoint over her? for who is like me? and who will appoint me the time? and who is that shepherd that will stand before me? (Jesus will be that shepherd. Jesus is God in flesh form. There is one God; He has many offices. Immanuel = God with us) Isaiah-7:14

(Jesus said - If you've seen Me, you've seen the Father) John-14:9

⁴⁵ Therefore hear ye the counsel of the LORD, that he hath taken against Babylon; and his purposes, that he hath purposed against the land of the Chaldeans: Surely the least of the flock shall draw them out: surely he shall make their habitation desolate with them. (The least of the flock will be the Elect who are made to witness in the synagogue of antichrist, before the whole world. Their testimony will awaken many people; because it is not them who speak but the Holy Spirit of God) see Mark-13

⁴⁶At the noise of the taking of Babylon the earth is moved, and the cry is heard among the nations. (The deceived people will finally wake up and realize that they have been fooled. That will be the end of antichrist and his deception) see Revelation-9