

Bible Study Notes

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Day 2: A History Lesson!

2 Kings Chapters 21-25; 2 Chronicles Chapters 33-36

- 722 BC: Assyria conquers Israel (Northern Kingdom)
- 687-642 BC: Manasseh leads Judah astray to great evil, later repents
- 640-609 BC: Josiah turns to the LORD with all his heart, makes reforms, dies battling Neco II of Egypt at Megiddo
- 605 BC: Babylonians defeat Assyrians and Egyptians at Carchemish, besiege and defeat Jerusalem, carry off captives and temple vessels
- 597 BC: Babylonians besiege and defeat Jerusalem, deport Jehoiachin
- 586 BC: Babylonians besiege and destroy Jerusalem and the temple, carry to exile Zedekiah and most of the people

Assignment: Read Deut. 28:45-52, 2 Kings 21:10-16 and 23:26-27, and Jeremiah 15:4.

Why was Judah defeated and the people carried to exile by Babylon?