



# Jeremiah 45

Message for Baruch  
&  
For All of Us

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# Three Contemporary Major Prophets

**609 BC** – Good King Josiah  
Killed.

**606 BC** – Jerusalem  
surrenders without a  
fight to Nebuchadnezzar.  
*Daniel taken captive.*

**597 BC** – Jerusalem  
surrenders again without a  
fight.  
*Ezekiel taken captive.*

**587 BC** – Jerusalem  
destroyed.  
*Jeremiah survived the siege  
and conquest.*

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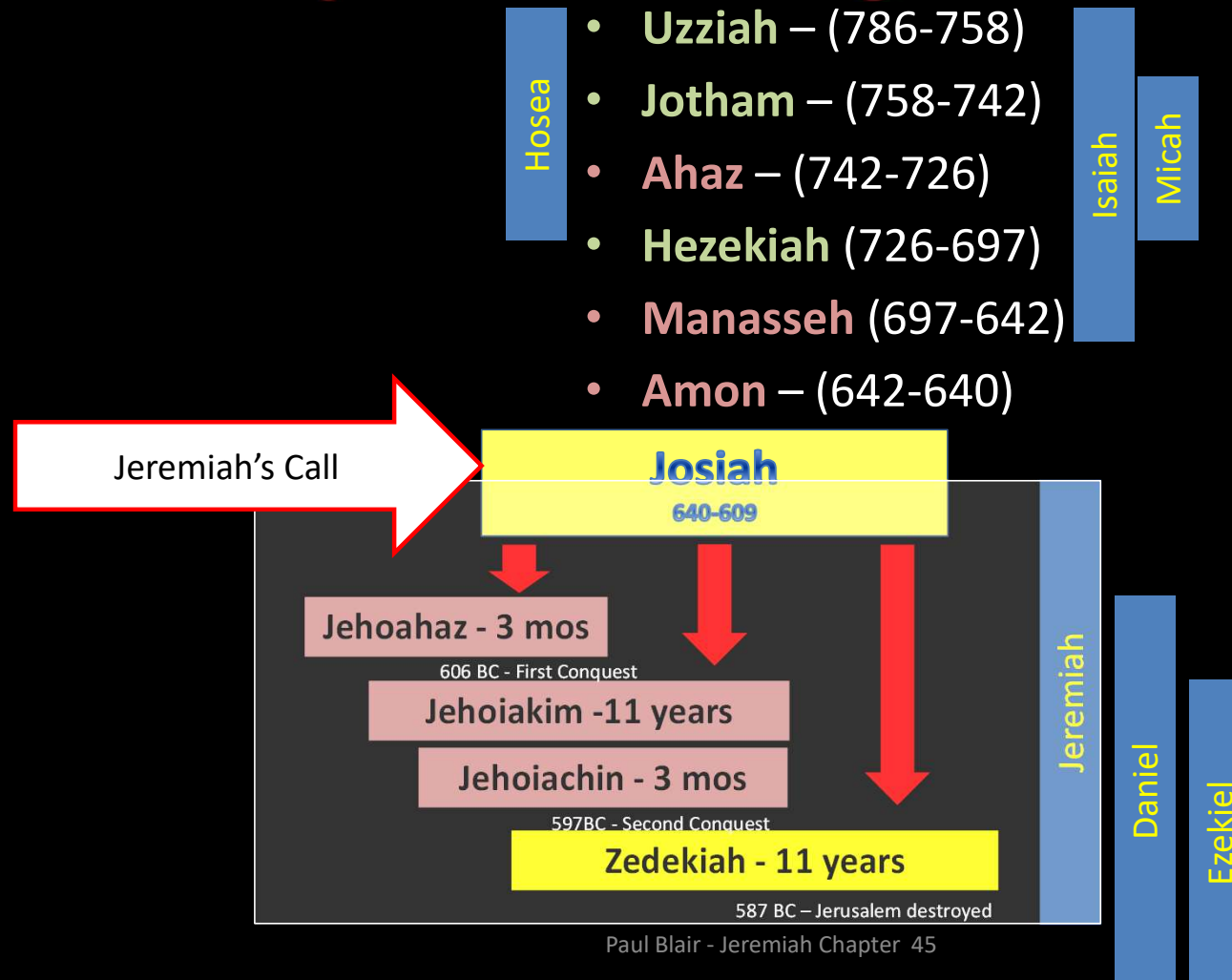
**Jeremiah**  
625 -587 BC

**Daniel**  
606 BC

**Ezekiel**  
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# Family tree for Kings of Judah:



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- **Uzziah** – (786-758)
- **Jotham** – (758-742)
- **Ahaz** – (742-726)
- **Hezekiah** (726-697)
- **Manasseh** (697-642)
- **Amon** – (642-640)

Hosea

Isaiah

Micah

**Josiah**

640-609

Jehoahaz - 3 mos

606 BC - First Conquest

Jehoiakim -11 years

Jehoiachin - 3 mos

597BC - Second Conquest

**Zedekiah - 11 years**

587 BC – Jerusalem destroyed

Jeremiah

Daniel

Ezekiel

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**1** The word that Jeremiah the prophet spake unto Baruch the son of Neriah, when he had written these words in a book at the mouth of Jeremiah, in the fourth year of Jehoiakim the son of Josiah king of Judah, saying,

**2** *Thus saith the Lord, the God of Israel, unto thee, O Baruch;*

**3** *Thou didst say, Woe is me now! for the Lord hath added grief to my sorrow; I fainted in my sighing, and I find no rest.*





# View of Jezreel Valley from Mt Carmel



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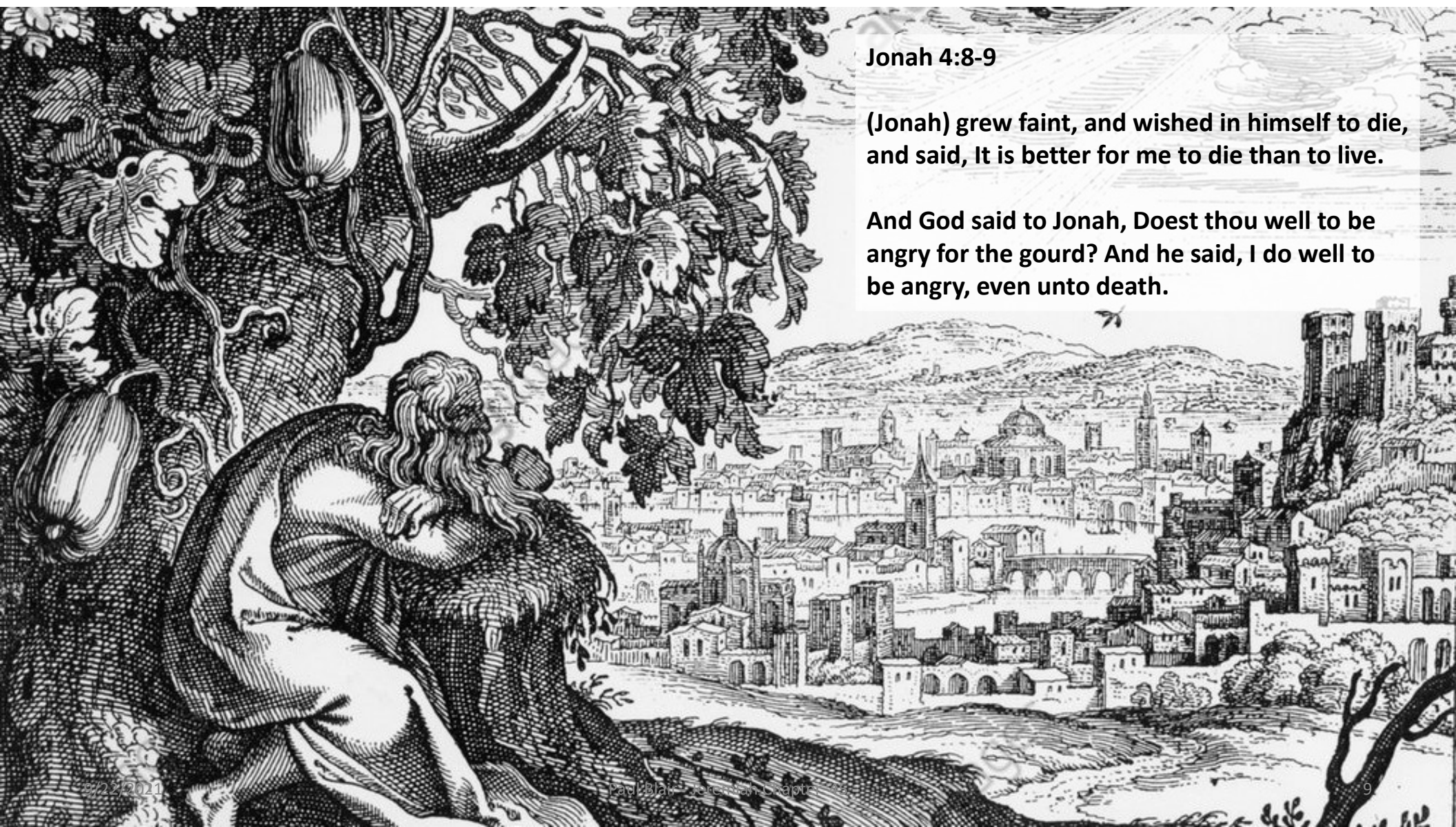
1 Kings 19:4

But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a juniper tree: and he requested for himself that he might die; and said, It is enough; now, **O Lord, take away my life**; for I am not better than my fathers.

1 Kings 19:9-10

And he said, I have been very jealous for the Lord God of hosts: for the children of Israel have forsaken thy covenant, thrown down thine altars, and slain thy prophets with the sword; and **I, even I only, am left; and they seek my life, to take it away.**





**Jonah 4:8-9**

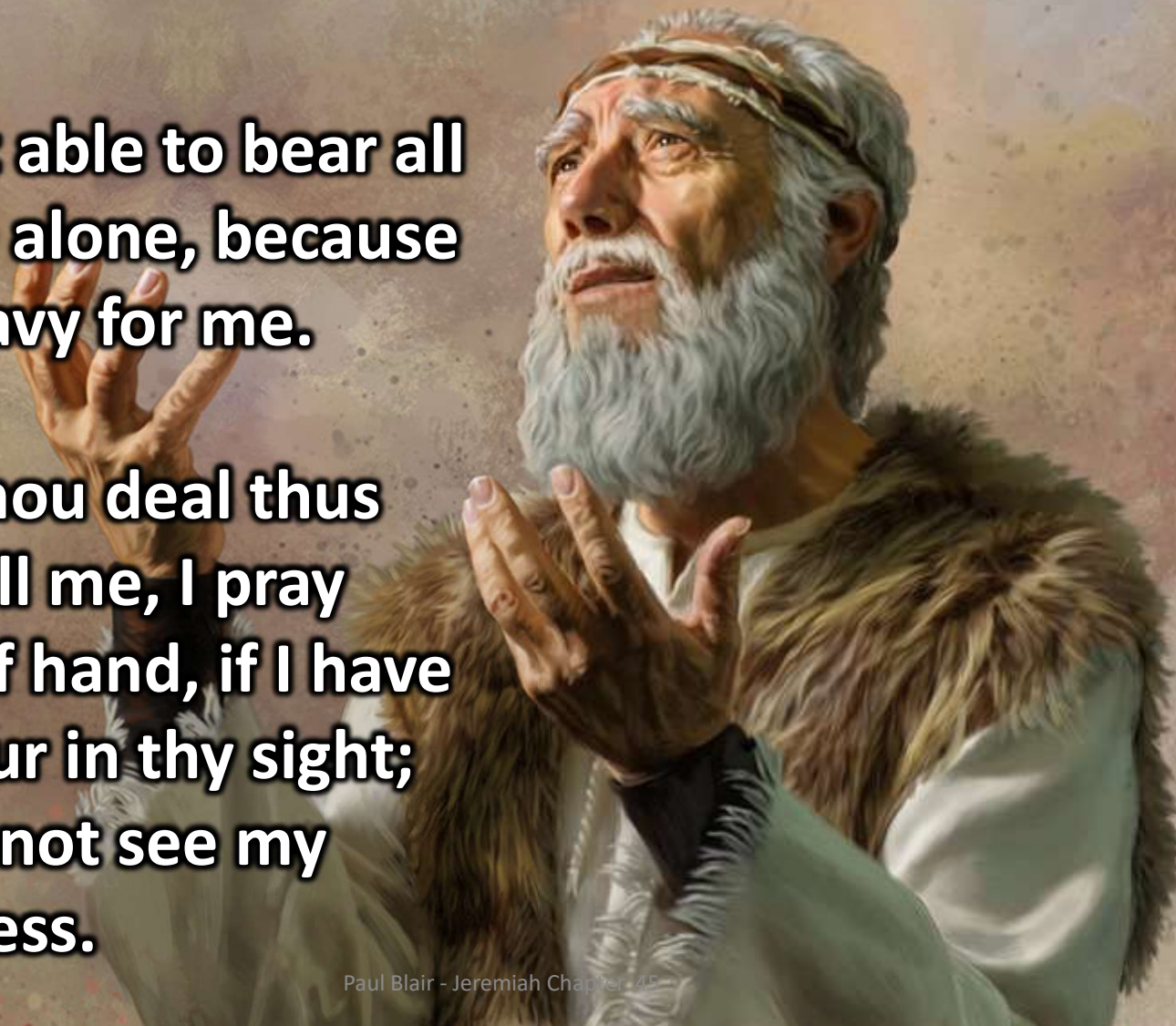
**(Jonah) grew faint, and wished in himself to die, and said, It is better for me to die than to live.**

**And God said to Jonah, Doest thou well to be angry for the gourd? And he said, I do well to be angry, even unto death.**

Num 11:14-15

**14 I am not able to bear all  
this people alone, because  
it is too heavy for me.**

**15 And if thou deal thus  
with me, kill me, I pray  
thee, out of hand, if I have  
found favour in thy sight;  
and let me not see my  
wretchedness.**



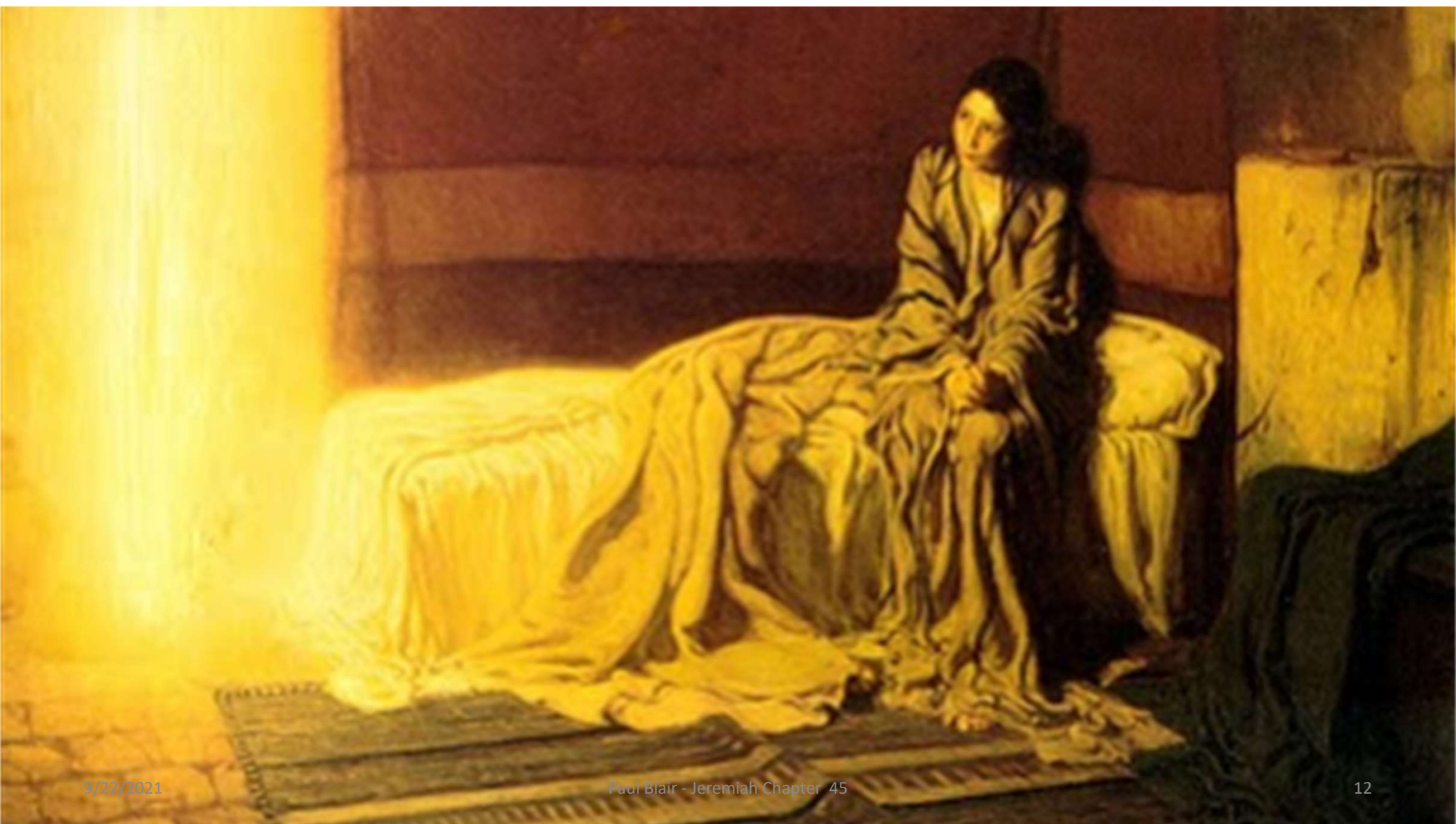


John 21:3

**Simon Peter saith unto them, I go a fishing.**







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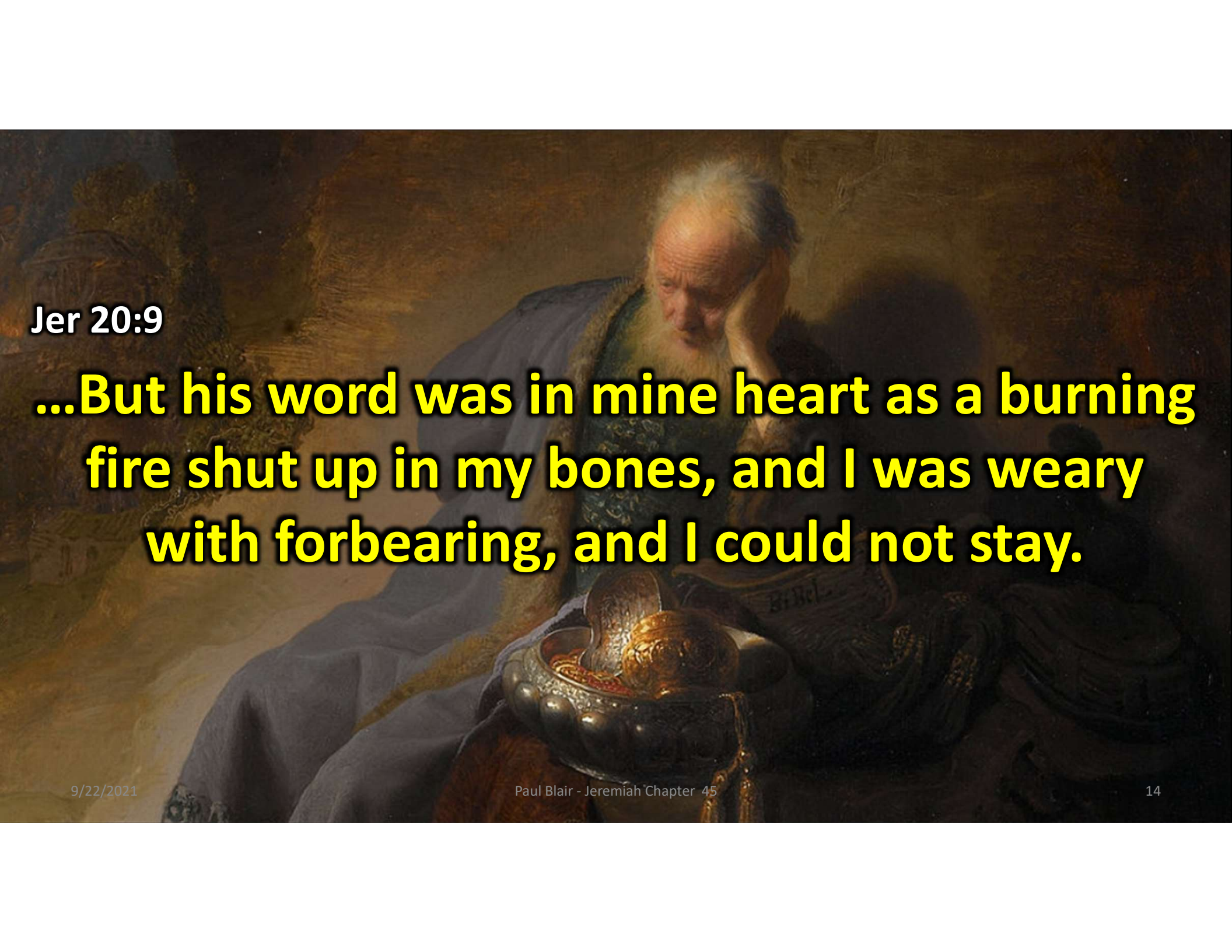
**Jer 20:7-9**

**7 O Lord, thou hast deceived me, and I was deceived: thou art stronger than I, and hast prevailed: I am in derision daily, every one mocketh me.**

**8 For since I spake, I cried out, I cried violence and spoil; because the word of the Lord was made a reproach unto me, and a derision, daily.**

**9 Then I said, I will not make mention of him, nor speak any more in his name...**





Jer 20:9

**...But his word was in mine heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was weary with forbearing, and I could not stay.**



**4** Thus shalt thou say unto him, The Lord saith thus; *Behold, that which I have built will I break down, and that which I have planted I will pluck up, even this whole land.*

**5** *And seekest thou great things for thyself? seek them not: for, behold, I will bring evil upon all flesh, saith the Lord: but thy life will I give unto thee for a prey in all places whither thou goest.*



# Summary

- 1. God creates - He is the Potter** (Jer. 18, Romans 9). His will is obedience. He is not willing that any should perish.
- 2. Some vessels wind up being created for destruction and some for honor.** That is based upon THEIR obedience/disobedience.
- 3. We are called to be Watchmen.** We are to preach the Gospel to every creature. We are to make disciples (beginning with our own family). We are to occupy until He comes.
- 4. Never quit.** “Don’t grow weary in well doing!”
- 5. We do our best and trust God for the results.** (Romans 8:28)

## Ps 2

2 Why do the heathen rage, and the people imagine a vain thing?

2 The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the Lord, and against his anointed, saying,

3 Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us.

4 He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: the Lord shall have them in derision.



5 Then shall he speak unto them in his wrath, and vex them in his sore displeasure.

6 Yet have I set my king upon my holy hill of Zion.

7 I will declare the decree: the Lord hath said unto me, Thou art my Son; this day have I begotten thee.

8 Ask of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for thy possession.

9 Thou shalt break them with a rod of iron; thou shalt dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel.

10 Be wise now therefore, O ye kings: be instructed, ye judges of the earth.

11 Serve the Lord with fear, and rejoice with trembling.

12 Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and ye perish from the way, when his wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed are all they that put their trust in him.