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The last world bestial government Mystery Babylon... comes to its final destruction. This chapter serves two purposes: 1. To tell us what happened 2500 years ago to the House of Judah taken into captivity at the time of Jeremiah, Ezekiel and Daniel; and 2. To let us know in the latter days, when the time of the Gentiles comes to a close; what became of not only both Houses: the **House of Israel** and the **House of Judah**; but also what became of ancient Babylon. It is a mystery, but not an insolvable mystery. Most people think the Old Testament is just about things more than 2000 years old. That's not true. Why would God waste such words as Jeremiah recorded, if they merely were about the tragic end of faithless people 2500 years ago? Especially, those people who were to become a blessing and not a curse... to the whole world.

In 400ad, Augustine of Hippo proudly declared, *Babylon is a former Rome, and Rome a later Babylon. Rome is a daughter of Babylon.* Like whitewash, the roman government pasted... much of Babylon culture, tradition and way of thinking on its citizenry; today, the roman church is the successor of all that pasting.

**<sup>1</sup> Thus says the Lord; Behold, I stir up a destroying wind against Babylon, and against the inhabitants of Leb-kamai -- those who rise up against Me / against the Chaldeans;**

**<sup>2</sup> And send to Babylon winnowers, who will winnow her, and will empty her: for in the day of trouble they will come against her from every side / Medians came to winnow, 2500 years ago; 3 days equal to Passover and Pentecost, remain on the Lord's calendar; one day is especially troubling; when Messiah returns to winnow the threshing floor, He can manage it.**

The next verse is understood through the Old Chaldean version and Jerome:

**<sup>3</sup> to the Babylonian let the archer who bends his bow not bend it; let him not stand up in his armor: to the Median... do not spare her youth; set apart all her army as an offering to the Lord / Medians utterly destroyed them; when Messiah comes again, just the brightness of His presence will make the enemy drop dead.**

**<sup>4</sup> They will fall down slain in the land of the Chaldeans, wounded in her streets.**

**<sup>5</sup> For **Israel** and **Judah** are not forsaken by their God, the Lord of hosts; though their land is full of sin against the Holy One of Israel / apparently **both Houses** finally woke up and rejected the last roman government patterned after Babylon.**

**<sup>6</sup> Flee from the midst of Babylon / this is the last appeal God makes to His people: *come out of her My people—Revelation 18,***

**and everyone deliver his life / save your life:**

**do not be cut off in her sin; for this is the time of the Lord's wrath;**

**He will repay her / Paul wrote, *God has not appointed us to wrath, but unto salvation through Jesus Christ our Lord—1 Thessalonians 5.***

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**<sup>7</sup> Babylon is a golden cup in the Lord's hand, making all the earth drunk: the nations drank her wine; so, the nations went mad / they got crazy drunk and went crazy mad – on TV today.**

**<sup>8</sup> Suddenly, Babylon is fallen and destroyed / when she finally falls, it will be sudden. Daniel said, she had been *smashing and destroying until the whole world was broken*—Daniel 8; John saw this final act, he wrote: *Babylon the great, Mother of whores; guilty of all the blood of the saints and martyrs of Jesus; fallen, fallen is Babylon the great*—Revelation 17-18; all on TV and internet today:**

**howl for her; take balm for her pain, perhaps she may be healed.**

**<sup>9</sup> We would have healed Babylon, but she is not healed / her STD – spiritually transmitted disease was highly contagious and incurable:**

**forsake her / abandon her, and let each go to his own country:**

**for her judgment reaches to heaven, lifted up even to the skies.**

**<sup>10</sup> The Lord brought forth our righteousness:**

**come,**

**and let us declare the work of the Lord our God in Zion / the City of David...Jerusalem... notice the House of Judah and the House of Israel... make this declaration. The violent, brutal beastly deception of Rome is finally uncovered, she has been bypassed, she never was the inheritor of Jerusalem... she was merely a usurper of the ancient 2 Houses of the Lord who were uniquely blessed by the Lord God.**

**<sup>11</sup> Sharpen the arrows; scour the shields / get ready to battle:**

**the Lord raises up the spirit of the kings of the Medes: because His purpose is to destroy Babylon; this is the Lord's vengeance, vengeance for His temple / some great military heroes will awaken and in the spirit of the Medes... accomplish the Lord's purposes.**

**<sup>12</sup> Raise the flags against the walls of Babylon, post a strong guard;**

**set up watchmen / station lookouts, prepare the ambushes:**

**for the Lord has both planned and done what He spoke concerning the inhabitants of Babylon / the Lord is intimately connected with all the details of the destruction of Mystery Babylon; it is His plan; it will be done on His strategic timeline, already penciled on His calendar.**

**<sup>13</sup> O you who dwell on many waters, rich in treasures / John wrote, *she sat on many waters,***

**your end is come, and the thread of your greed is cut.**

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**14 The Lord of hosts Himself has sworn,**

**Surely, I will fill you with *those of Adam's race*, like swarms of locusts; and they will shout victory over you.**

And in contrast to all her idols of rock, wood and clay...made by hand...

**15 He made the earth by his power, He established the world by his wisdom, and He stretched out the heavens by his understanding** / you realize this was written 2500 years ago, but less than 100 years ago our scientist discovered **the heavens are expanding**; how did Jeremiah know this? The Creator God is infinitely more creative than any earthly fool, even the Babylonian fools who thinks they can ignore Him, to work their own covetous and cruel deception; drunken fools with the mentality of pathological miscreants; thankfully God will take care of these deistic fools.

She might have a grand derrière...able to sit on many waters...

**16 His voice speaks like roaring waters in the heavens; He causes mist to ascend from the ends of the earth: He makes lightning for the rain, and brings wind out of his storehouse** / isn't it interesting, how the Lord God can creatively handle electricity mixed with water? Did you know 16,000 thunderstorms strike the earth daily, creating nitrogen to fertilize the earth?

**17 All mankind is stupid, devoid of knowledge; every goldsmith is shamed by his graven image: his molten images wither, there is no breath in them.**

**18 They are worthless, the work of delusion: when their punishment comes, they will perish.**

**19 He, the portion of **Jacob** – the tribe of His inheritance, is not like them;**

**He is Maker of all: the Lord of hosts is his name.**

And back to the destruction of Babylon...

**20 **You** are My battle axe and weapon of war** / characteristic of the Celtic nations:

**with **you** I shatter nations; with **you** I destroy kingdoms;**

**21 with **you** I shatter the horse and his rider; with **you** I shatter the chariot and his rider;**

**22 with **you** I shatter man and woman; with **you** I shatter the aged and newborn; with you I shatter young men and young women;**

**23 with **you** I shatter the shepherd and his flock; with **you** I shatter the farmer and his oxen; with you I shatter governors and commanders.**

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**24 I will repay Babylon and all the inhabitants of Chaldea before your eyes, for all their evil that they have done in Zion / in the City of David... the thuggery and deception of the Herodians has always caused unrest and destruction in Jerusalem for 2000 years, say the Lord.**

**25 Behold, I am against you, O destroying mountain, destroying all the earth, says the Lord: My hand is outstretched against you,**

**I roll you off the cliff; I make you a burned-out mountain.**

**26 No stone will be taken from you for a cornerstone; no stone for a foundation / nothing about mystery Babylon is of any value to the Lord; not a Babylonian stone, not a Babylonian pebble is needed for the work the Lord is doing;**

**but you will be desolate / deserted, abandoned like a trash heap... forever, says the Lord.**

**27 Set up flags on the earth, blow the trumpet among the nations / our friend Artur Simonyan, pastor of Word of Life -- Yerevan, Armenia; this is the banner verse of their congregation as from their 1000 cell groups, they reach out to touch untold number throughout the world with the good news of our God; and are used by the Lord to fulfill this verse,**

**prepare the nations against her,**

**summons against her the kingdoms of Ararat / Armenia, Minni, and Ashchenaz / 3 regions in N. Babylon; directly south of this area is where the 10 northern tribes of Israel had been resettled 170 years earlier by Assyria to provide a buffer zone of safety to that nation; this is the area where and the time when not only the tribes of Israel became lost to history, but also the many Caucasian tribes emerged that would emigrate and populate northern Europe, Scandinavia and the British Isles;**



**appoint a marshal against her; bring up a cavalry like swarming locusts.**

**28 Prepare the nations for war against her, the kings of the Medes, with their captains and governors, and all earth under their dominion.**

**29 The earth trembles and writhes in pain: for the Lord's purposes against Babylon stand, to make the earth of Babylon a desolation, without inhabitant.**

**30 The mighty of Babylon cease to fight, they remain in their fortresses: their strength has failed; they become like women: their dwelling places are on fire; their bars are broken.**

**31 One courier meets another, one messenger meets another, to tell the king of Babylon that his city is captured on every side,**

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<sup>32</sup> **the passages are seized, the marshes are burned, and the soldiers are terrified.**

<sup>33</sup> **For thus say the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel: the daughter of Babylon is like a threshing floor at the time it is trampled: yet a little while, and the time of harvest will come for her** / the 3 remaining days on Messiah's calendar are at the time of Ingathering – harvest time.

<sup>34</sup> **Nebuchadnezzar the king of Babylon has devoured me** / Zion, City of David, Jerusalem 2500 years ago,

**crushing me, making me an empty vessel** / you know, Jerusalem and its Jewish citizens are still threatened to be crushed by Rome who ensures violence and unrest... with the Jewish population when their policies are contrary to her policies because she still claims the city belongs to her; if Evangelicals of the protestant church and the messianic Jews ever get together that will finally change: we've read the last chapters of scripture,

**he swallowed me like a monster, he filled his belly with my delicacies, then he expelled me** / vomited me and washed me away.

<sup>35</sup> **The violence** / in Hebrew, **hamas**... it is what filled the earth in the days of Noah; Jesus said, it is what it will be like when Messiah comes again—**Matthew 24**,

**The hamas done to me and to my kinsmen be upon Babylon, let the inhabitant of Zion say; My blood be upon the inhabitants of Chaldea, let Jerusalem say.**

<sup>36</sup> **So, thus say the Lord; Behold** / pay attention Zion, watch this Jerusalem,

**I will plead your cause, and revenge you; I will dry up her sea, and make her fountain dry** / where Babylon is will dry up; which is no small thing with the Euphrates River flowing through the area.

<sup>37</sup> **Babylon will become a heap of ruins, a dwelling place for jackals, a horror and a hissing, without inhabitant** / so it won't be a friendly place; John said, it's a dwelling place of demons; and it's a birdcage for every unclean and foul birdbrain; it's where all the kings and merchants of the earth fornicate; so wherever it is, it's filthy—STD spiritually transmitted disease Central; this hasn't happened yet, to either the former physical area of ancient Babylon, or the present-day Mystery Babylon -- Mother of whores.

<sup>38</sup> **They will roar together like lions: they will growl like lion cubs.**

<sup>39</sup> **But while they are inflamed, I will make a feast and will make them drunk, that they be merry, and sleep a perpetual sleep, and not awake, says the Lord.**

<sup>40</sup> **I will bring them down like lambs to the slaughter, like rams and male goats.**

I'm sure to Jeremiah, all this is difficult to imagine, because it is prophesy from the Lord letting His people know what He will be doing while Judah is being carried captive to Babylon to learn their lesson.