

A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study
Date: July 1, 2020
Jeremiah 47-51

1. Have you read the book of Jeremiah with us? Yes_____ No_____
If so, how have you allowed God's word through Jeremiah to change your life?
 - a. I don't really get it.
 - b. I have begun obeying Him?
 - c. I have realized the danger of stepping out of God's will and have allowed Him to draw me close to Him.
 - d. It has just been a bunch of the same thing over and over again, so I've kind of tuned Him out until He speaks about something new.
 - e. Other. _____

2. These chapters talk about the futility of leaning on things other than God for our hope. If we have truly let God change us through the study of Jeremiah, how has that changed our hope in the following:
 - a. Our own strength and intellect: _____

 - b. Our possessions: _____

 - c. Our family (47:3-4): _____

 - d. Our own riches (48:7) _____

 - e. Our places of safety (48:8) _____

3. Chapter 48 deals with the consequences of the complacency of the Moabites. How can getting comfortable and complacent be a danger to our faith?
 - a. Not letting God grow us the way He desires.
 - b. We miss God's plan for our life.
 - c. We live in sin. (James 4:17)
 - d. There is nothing wrong with having a safe, secure life.

4. Why have Israel and the surrounding nations not listened to God's message and judgment on them?
 - a. They thought that they would have plenty of time to repent later.
 - b. They were caught up in their own desires.
 - c. They had deceived themselves into thinking that they were going to be part of the remnant (Psalms 36:1,2).
 - d. Their selfishness overrode their desire to serve God. (1 John 2:15,16)

5. Given what we've learned in Jeremiah, how might you need to make decisions differently in your life? _____