

Jerusalem's Rejection

When God judges a nation...

Sermon Questions

1. Sin can be attributed to a nation and not just an individual. (Yes/No)
2. Jesus had already warned the Jews about their rejection and its consequence. (Yes/No)
3. The Jews warned Jesus about Herod because they were concerned for his safety. (Yes/No)
4. Many people, both then and today, think they can _____ Jesus, but he sees right through it.
5. Jesus' mention of the "third day" is a reference to his resurrection. (Yes/No)
6. Most prophets are hated in their own day but admired in later generations. (True/False)
7. After the Jews warned Jesus, Jesus _____ the Jews.
8. Jesus' words in verse 34 teach us that human freedom can thwart the purposes of God. (Yes/No)
9. We should expect the Lord's blessing regardless on whether we heed his commands. (Yes/No)
10. When Jesus says that your house is _____ he is referring to a hardening that has come upon Israel.
11. When Jesus says, "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord", he is referring to his triumphal entry. (Yes/No)
12. Can God harden a nation? (Yes/No)
13. What is the key to individual or national blessing? _____

Discussion/Meditation Questions

1. Read Romans 11:11–24. Who is the root in the image of the olive tree? What are some commands or promises that we see in this text which we should take note of?
2. Would you agree that there is a systemic rejection of Jesus Christ in our country leading to judgment? What would you point to for evidence to support your conclusion?
3. How can Christ be promoted in our individual lives, homes, and in the city? What do you need to do differently in light of how you answered this?
4. What was your most significant take-away from this passage and sermon? Share this with another brother or sister in the fellowship.

Extras for the Children

What song did you enjoy the most today? _____

What did you learn about God today? _____

What words did you not know today? _____

