

The Story: The Bible as One Continuing Story of God and God's People

Chapter 17: The Kingdom's Fall

As you read, take note of the cast of characters. Write a short descriptive to help you remember.

Ezekiel:

Jeremiah:

Write any notes or questions you have.

Review the questions on page 480-81 in your book to prepare for discussion in class.

Why did disaster come upon God's people?

How does the story of the Promised Land echo the story of the garden of Eden?

What negative effects of sin have you seen in your life?

What are some of the main themes of the prophets' messages during this time?

Can you relate to Jeremiah as the "weeping prophet" who felt deeply the burden of God's people's sin?

Do the themes addressed in the prophetic passages confront the church in America today?

How does God's promise of restoration for his people still give you hope today?