

# Jeremiah 46:28

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

Fear thou not, O Jacob my servant, saith the LORD: for I am with thee; for I will make a full end of all the nations whither I have driven thee: but I will not make a full end of thee, but correct thee in measure; yet will I not leave thee wholly unpunished.

## Analysis

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In the midst of prophecies of judgment on nations, God promises not to make 'a full end' of Israel. Though scattered, disciplined, and punished, God will preserve a remnant. This echoes the Abrahamic covenant's unconditional promise (Gen 12:1-3). God's chastening of His people proves His covenant faithfulness - He won't let them go, won't utterly destroy them. This grounds Christian assurance in God's electing love, not our performance.

## Historical Context

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This promise sustained Jewish hope through exile, diaspora, and centuries of dispersion. God's faithfulness to His covenant people ultimately points to Christ as the true Israel who fulfills all promises.

## Related Passages

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**Ephesians 2:8** — Salvation by grace through faith

**John 3:16** — God's love and salvation

## Study Questions

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1. How does God's promise to never make 'a full end' of His people encourage you?
2. What's the relationship between God's discipline and His covenant love?

## Interlinear Text

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H859	H408	<b>Fear</b>	<b>my servant</b>	<b>thou not O Jacob</b>	<b>saith</b>	<b>the LORD</b>	H3588
		H3372	H5650	H3290	H5002	H3068	
אֶתְּךָ	אֶנִּי	כִּי	אֶעֱשֶׂה	כָּל	בְּכָל		
H854	H589	H3588	<b>for I am with thee for I will make</b>	<b>a full end</b>	H3605		
			H6213	H3617			
הַגּוֹיִם	אֶשֶׁר	הִדַּחֲתִי	שָׁמָּה	וְאֶתְּךָ	לֹא		
<b>of all the nations</b>	H834	<b>whither I have driven</b>	H8033	H853	H3808		
H1471		H5080					
אֶעֱשֶׂה	כָּל	וְיִסְרֶתִי	לְמִשְׁפָּט				
<b>for I am with thee for I will make</b>	<b>a full end</b>	<b>of thee but correct</b>	<b>thee in measure</b>				
H6213	H3617	H3256	H4941				
אֲנִי	לֹא	אֲנִי					
<b>unpunished</b>	H3808	<b>unpunished</b>					
H5352		H5352					

## Additional Cross-References

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**Revelation 3:19** (Parallel theme): As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten: be zealous therefore, and repent.

**Jeremiah 10:24** (References Lord): O LORD, correct me, but with judgment; not in thine anger, lest thou bring me to nothing.

**Jeremiah 30:11** (References Lord): For I am with thee, saith the LORD, to save thee: though I make a full end of all nations whither I have scattered thee, yet will I not make a full end of thee: but I will correct thee in measure, and will not leave thee altogether unpunished.

**Jeremiah 4:27** (References Lord): For thus hath the LORD said, The whole land shall be desolate; yet will I not make a full end.

**1 Corinthians 11:32** (References Lord): But when we are judged, we are chastened of the Lord, that we should not be condemned with the world.

**Isaiah 43:2** (Parallel theme): When thou passest through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee: when thou walkest through the fire, thou shalt not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle upon thee.

**Psalms 46:11** (References Lord): The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge. Selah.

**Psalms 46:7** (References Lord): The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge. Selah.

**Jeremiah 1:19** (References Lord): And they shall fight against thee; but they shall not prevail against thee; for I am with thee, saith the LORD, to deliver thee.

**Jeremiah 25:9** (References Lord): Behold, I will send and take all the families of the north, saith the LORD, and Nebuchadrezzar the king of Babylon, my servant, and will bring them against this land, and against the inhabitants thereof, and against all these nations round about, and will utterly destroy them, and make them an astonishment, and an hissing, and perpetual desolations.