

Jeremiah 5:1

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

Run ye to and fro through the streets of Jerusalem, and see now, and know, and seek in the broad places thereof, if ye can find a man, if there be any that executeth judgment, that seeketh the truth; and I will pardon it.

Analysis

Detailed theological analysis of Jeremiah 5:1 with Hebrew word studies, doctrinal significance, and connections to broader biblical themes. This would reference original language terms, explain theological concepts, and show how the verse fits into redemptive history and points to Christ.

Historical Context

Historical and cultural context for Jeremiah 5:1, including the time period during Jeremiah's ministry (627-586 BC), the political situation with Babylon's rise to power, and how this verse relates to Judah's covenant unfaithfulness and coming judgment.

Related Passages

Romans 1:17 — The righteous shall live by faith

James 2:17 — Faith and works

1 Corinthians 13:4 — Characteristics of love

1 John 4:8 — God is love

Study Questions

1. How does Jeremiah 5:1 challenge your understanding of God's character and His dealings with His people?
2. What practical application can you draw from Jeremiah 5:1 for your walk with Christ today?

Interlinear Text

שׁוּבָה וְ	בְּחוֹצָה וְתָ	יְרוּשָׁלָם	וְרִאֵוֹן	תָּאַתְּ וְתָדַעַת	now and know
Run ye to and fro	through the streets	of Jerusalem	and see	H4994	H3045
H7751	H2351	H3389	H7200		
and seek	in the broad places	H518	thereof if ye can find	a man	if there be
H1245	H7339	H4672	H376	H518	H3426
עַל הָ	מִשְׁפָּט	מִבְקָשׁ	אָמֹן הָ	אָסֵל חָ	לְהָ
any that executeth	judgment	and seek	the truth	and I will pardon	
H6213	H4941	H1245	H530	H5545	H0

Additional Cross-References

Ezekiel 22:30 (Parallel theme): And I sought for a man among them, that should make up the hedge, and stand in the gap before me for the land, that I should not destroy it: but I found none.

2 Chronicles 16:9 (Parallel theme): For the eyes of the LORD run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to shew himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him. Herein thou hast done foolishly: therefore from henceforth thou shalt have wars.

Psalms 14:3 (Parallel theme): They are all gone aside, they are all together become filthy: there is none that doeth good, no, not one.

Isaiah 59:4 (Truth): None calleth for justice, nor any pleadeth for truth: they trust in vanity, and speak lies; they conceive mischief, and bring forth iniquity.

Psalms 12:1 (Parallel theme): Help, LORD; for the godly man ceaseth; for the faithful fail from among the children of men.

Proverbs 20:6 (Parallel theme): Most men will proclaim every one his own goodness: but a faithful man who can find?

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