

# Jeremiah 5:24

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

Neither say they in their heart, Let us now fear the LORD our God, that giveth rain, both the former and the latter, in his season: he reserveth unto us the appointed weeks of the harvest.

## Analysis

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Detailed theological analysis of Jeremiah 5:24 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

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Historical and cultural context for Jeremiah 5:24, 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

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

**Romans 10:9** — Confession and belief for salvation

**Psalm 19:1** — Heavens declare God's glory

**Colossians 1:16** — All things created through Christ

## Study Questions

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1. How does Jeremiah 5:24 challenge your understanding of God's character and His dealings with His people?
2. What practical application can you draw from Jeremiah 5:24 for your walk with Christ today?

## Interlinear Text

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H3808 Neither say H559 they in their heart H3824 Let us now fear H4994 H853 H3068 the LORD

בָּעֵת וּמְלֵךְ וְשָׁמְרֵן הַנְּתָמֵן | אֱלֹהִים יְכוּן  
H430 our God H5414 that giveth H1653 rain H3138 both the former H4456 and the latter H6256 in his season

שְׁבָעַת תְּמִימָר יְרֵא יְמִינָה  
H7620 weeks H2708 unto us the appointed H7105 of the harvest H8104 he reserveth H0

## Additional Cross-References

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**Psalms 147:8** (Parallel theme): Who covereth the heaven with clouds, who prepareth rain for the earth, who maketh grass to grow upon the mountains.

**Genesis 8:22** (Parallel theme): While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease.

**Joel 2:23** (References God): Be glad then, ye children of Zion, and rejoice in the LORD your God: for he hath given you the former rain moderately, and he will cause to come down for you the rain, the former rain, and the latter rain in the first month.

**Acts 14:17** (Parallel theme): Nevertheless he left not himself without witness, in that he did good, and gave us rain from heaven, and fruitful seasons, filling our hearts with food and gladness.

**Jeremiah 14:22** (References God): Are there any among the vanities of the Gentiles that can cause rain? or can the heavens give showers? art not thou he, O LORD our God? therefore we will wait upon thee: for thou hast made all these things.

**Matthew 5:45** (Parallel theme): That ye may be the children of your Father which is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust.

**Revelation 11:6** (Parallel theme): These have power to shut heaven, that it rain not in the days of their prophecy: and have power over waters to turn them to blood, and to smite the earth with all plagues, as often as they will.

**Isaiah 64:7** (Parallel theme): And there is none that calleth upon thy name, that stirreth up himself to take hold of thee: for thou hast hid thy face from us, and hast consumed us, because of our iniquities.

**Job 38:37** (Parallel theme): Who can number the clouds in wisdom? or who can stay the bottles of heaven,

**Jeremiah 50:5** (References Lord): They shall ask the way to Zion with their faces thitherward, saying, Come, and let us join ourselves to the LORD in a perpetual covenant that shall not be forgotten.