

# God Judges Israel

Lesson 99

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## *Lesson Focus*

For 250 years, the people of Israel did what was right in their own eyes, turning their backs on the Lord. So, the Lord used the Assyrians to judge Israel. Assyria besieged the walled city of Samaria and conquered Israel. They took the Israelites to another land and moved foreigners in to occupy Israel.

## *Key Passages*

Grades 2–3: 2 Kings 17:5–6, 17:7–23 (selected verses)

Grades 4–5: 2 Kings 17:5–6, 17:7–23 (selected verses)

## *What You Heard in the Word*

- God was angry with the people of Israel because of their wickedness, idolatry, and failure to heed the warning of the prophets. They would not turn from their sins.
- God brought judgment on Israel when he sent the Assyrians to conquer Israel and to move the Israelites away from their land.