

## God Judges Judah

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## Lesson Focus

For hundreds of years, God warned Judah and called them to repentance through his prophets. But they refused to turn from evil, so God used Babylon to destroy Judah. The Babylonians killed most of the people of Judah, destroyed the temple of God, and took survivors to Babylon as captives.

## **Key Passages**

**Grades 2–3:** 2 Chronicles 36:11–12, 36:17–20; Jeremiah 38:6, 38:9–13, 39:12

**Grades 4–5:** 2 Chronicles 36:11–14, 36:17–20; Jeremiah 38:6–13, 39:11–12

## What You Heard in the Word

- God used the nation of Babylon to conquer and punish Judah because the people would not listen to God's prophets and their warnings to turn back to God.
- ▶ The Babylonians brought total destruction to Judah: killing the people, destroying the temple of God, and taking the survivors to Babylon as captives.

