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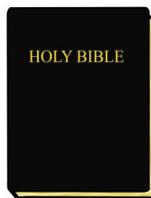
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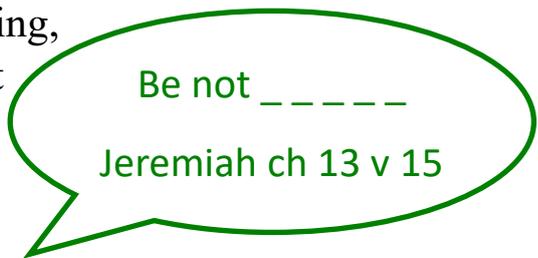
Jeremiah and the Linen Belt

The pride of the people challenged



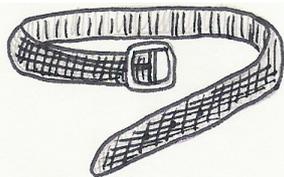
Jeremiah 13
2 Kings 23 v 35-37
2 Kings 24 v 1, 6-15

Jeremiah was told to preach a sermon telling the King, the King's mother and the people of Judah that they were wrong to be proud of themselves.



Fill in the missing word in the speech bubble and in the boxes below. Colour the pictures.

1. God told Jeremiah to wear a



l _____ belt v 1

2. Jeremiah hid the belt at
E _____
then returned home. v4



3. God sent Jeremiah to fetch the belt .
He d _____
and found it but it was ruined. v7

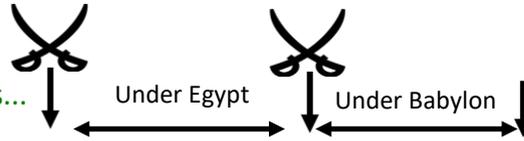


4. Jeremiah had to tell the people that like the ruined belt God would mar the pride of J _____. V 9

Complete what Jeremiah said, *This*
..... which walk in the imagination of their heart,
and walk after other gods, to serve them, and to worship them,
.....(Jeremiah 13 v 10)

By the end of Jehoiakim's reign Jeremiah had been preaching for 29 years. He had warned the people about the enemy that was coming and what they would do. He had told them that the enemy would come **from the North** (ch 1) and that they would be **like a lion** (ch 5) He had told them that it would be the **king of Babylon** (ch 20) and he would break the city **like a broken pot** (ch 19) and **destroy the temple** (ch 26). Jeremiah said that God would spoil their pride and they would be good for nothing **like a ruined linen belt** (ch 13).

Complete the timeline by drawing or writing in the empty boxes Jeremiah's messages...



625	620	615	610	605	600
Josiah 640-609BC			X	Jehoiakim 609-598BC (was Eliakim)	
627BC Jeremiah called to be a prophet			J e h o a h a z		J e c o n i a h
Ch 1		Ch 5		Ch 19	
		Egypt		Babylon	
		Ch 20		Ch 13	

King Jehoiachin and his mother

Jehoiachin was only king for 3 months and 10 days and during this time the city of Jerusalem was under siege by the **Egyptians/Babylonians***. At the end of the siege Jehoiachin and his **mother/father*** were taken to prison in Babylon. He was given a new name of Jeconiah which was shortened to **Coniah/Jeco***. Jehoiachin, or Coniah as he was now known, was in prison for **five/thirty-seven*** years. Whilst in prison he was given **food rations/servants*** but he was never allowed to return home. (*Cross out the wrong words)

Complete the verses about what we should not and should glory in.

(To glory in something means to honour and value in a special way)

Jeremiah tells us that we should not glory in **w** _____ or in being **m** _____ or in **r** _____ but we should glory in understanding and knowing God who exercises **l** _____, **j** _____ and **r** _____ (Jeremiah 9 v 23 & 24)

Missing Words: lovingkindness, mighty, righteousness, wisdom, judgment, riches