

# Jeremiah — Worksheet 2

A New Covenant

Read the passages on the back of this sheet (or use the biblestudy.fyi TTS Bible Player) before you begin. Answer in your own words on the lines provided.

**1. What promise does God make to His exiled people in Jeremiah 29:11?**

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**2. What does God invite the people to do in Jeremiah 29:12-13?**

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**3. What new covenant does God promise in Jeremiah 31:31-33?**

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**4. What does God promise to do with His people's sin in this new covenant (Jeremiah 31:34)?**

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**5. Reflection: Christians believe this new covenant is fulfilled through Jesus. What difference does it make for God's law to be 'written on the heart' rather than only an external rule?**

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## Scripture for Jeremiah — A New Covenant

King James Version. Flip back to the front to answer the questions.

### Jeremiah 29:10-13

<sup>10</sup>For thus saith the LORD, That after seventy years be accomplished at Babylon I will visit you, and perform my good word toward you, in causing you to return to this place. <sup>11</sup>For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end. <sup>12</sup>Then shall ye call upon me, and ye shall go and pray unto me, and I will hearken unto you. <sup>13</sup>And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart.

### Jeremiah 31:31-34

<sup>31</sup>Behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel, and with the house of Judah: <sup>32</sup>Not according to the covenant that I made with their fathers in the day that I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt; which my covenant they brake, although I was an husband unto them, saith the LORD: <sup>33</sup>But this shall be the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel; After those days, saith the LORD, I will put my law in their inward parts, and write it in their hearts; and will be their God, and they shall be my people. <sup>34</sup>And they shall teach no more every man his neighbour, and every man his brother, saying, Know the LORD: for they shall all know me, from the least of them unto the greatest of them, saith the LORD: for I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more.