

# Bible Top 5

## God Restores His Fallen People

### Week 4

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer Requests and Opening Prayer

#### **Top 5 Concepts - God Prepares His People**

Creation  
Divine Intentions  
Disharmony  
Pronouncement of a Destiny (Selection)  
Ardent Dreams of a Destiny (Separation)

#### **Top 5 Concepts - God Empowers His People**

United for a Destiny (Uniting Factors)  
An Emerging Nation on the Way to its Homeland  
A Destiny Insured (Insuring Factors)  
Empowered for A Destiny (Atonement)  
The Conquest

#### **Top 5 Concepts - God's People Turn From Him**

Judges Forestall Threats  
The Philistine Menace  
The United Kingdom  
The Crumbling North  
The Crumbling South

**Concept Question** - Why was it important for God to raise prophets during the period of the kings?

*Recalling a Destiny*

*Figure in red robe*  
*Second figure*  
*Darkening sky in background*  
*Israel focused on "I Will Bless You"*  
*Torn manuscript on the ground*  
*Prophet holds fragments before Israel's eyes*  
*Israel clasps mortar bowl & pestles to bosom*  
*Tent of tabernacle symbol*  
*Law symbol*  
*Separation symbol*  
*Sharp rock symbol*  
*Mirror symbol*  
*Yoke symbol*

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**Concept Question** - Why did God have His prophets give promises of hope amongst their calls to faithfulness?

*Pointing Ahead*

*Figure in center*

*Withered tree & barren earth*

*Young boy points to green tree on horizon*

*Six manuscripts*

*The coming of a Messiah out of David's seed*

*The Birth of a New Era*

*The Restoration of Paradise*

*The Exaltation of Mount Zion*

*The Return of a Remnant*

*The Suffering Servant*

Memory Concepts

You Defiled My Land

The Lord's Controversy With Israel

You Who Turn Justice To Wormwood

Let Justice Roll Down Like Waters

You Who Hate the Good and Love Evil

What Does The Lord Require of You ?

He does not retain his anger forever because He delights in steadfast love

The Exultation of Mt Zion

A Remnant Shall Return

A Shoot From The Stump of Jesse

The Birth of a New Era

Paradise Will Be Restored

The Suffering Servant

A Young Woman Shall Conceive and Bear a Son

and Shall Call His Name Immanuel

His Name Will Be Called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God,

Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace

**Concept Question** - Why did God allow the Babylonians to destroy His chosen people?

*The Exile*

*Two large swords in the foreground*

*Burning city in the background*

*Masses moving out of the burning city*

*Expression of despair on face*

*Ezekiel and Jeremiah scrolls*

*Woman carries infant in arms*

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**Concept Question** - What causes God to intervene with man so that history is really His Story?

*History Itself is the Judgment of God*

Was God's promise & destiny only for the Jews?  
When did Gentiles become part of God's plan?

*Globe on blueprint*  
*Hand crashes through blueprint*  
*Hand hold scales of justice*

*Calendars of time*  
*Two gavels between calendars*  
*Small gavel beyond surface of globe*

*Small gavel on left*  
*Large gavel on left*  
*Flowers on large gavel*

**Concept Question** - How could God use the Exile to help His people fulfill their Destiny?

*The Restoration*

*Broken chain*  
*Golden seal*  
*Trumpets*  
*Haggai & Zechariah trumpets over bricks*  
*Nehemiah trumpet over city walls*  
*Ezra trumpet over law tablets*

**Top 5 Concepts - God Restores His Fallen People**

Recalling a Destiny  
Pointing Ahead  
The Exile  
History Itself is the Judgment of God  
The Restoration

Closing Prayer

Next Week - God Sends the Savior

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### Old Testament Top 5 Concepts

#### *In The Beginning*

1. Genesis 1 - Creation
2. Genesis 2 - Divine Intentions
3. Genesis 3 - Disharmony

#### *Blessed to be a Blessing*

4. Genesis 12 - Pronouncement of a Destiny (SELECTION)
5. Genesis 12-50 - Ardent Dreams of a Destiny (SEPARATION)
6. Genesis 12 - Exodus 20 - United for a Destiny (UNITING FACTORS)

#### *The Emerging Nation*

7. Exodus 12 - Deuteronomy - An Emerging Nation on the Way to its Homeland
8. Exodus 1 - Joshua 5 - A Destiny Insured (INSURING FACTORS)
9. Leviticus - Empowered for a Destiny (ATONEMENT)

#### *The Developing Nation*

10. Num 13 - Joshua - The Conquest
11. Judges - Ruth - Judges Forestall Threats
12. 1 Samuel 1-12 - The Philistine Menace
13. 1 Samuel 11 - 1 Kings 11 - The United Kingdom

#### *The Declining Nation*

14. Prophets - Recalling a Destiny
15. 1 Kings 12 - 2 Kings 17 - The Crumbling North
16. 1 Kings - 1 Chronicles - The Crumbling South
17. Prophets - Pointing Ahead

#### *The Resurrected Nation*

18. Jer, Lam, Eze, Dan - The Exile
19. Genesis - Malachi - History Itself is the Judgment of God
20. Ezra, Neh, Hag, Zech - The Restoration