

A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study
Date: May 27, 2020
Jeremiah 39:1-40:6

1. When, according to 39:1-2, does this text take place? _____

2. What happens in 39:2-3? _____

3. How did Zedekiah, king of Judah, respond according to 39:4? _____

4. What did Nebuchadnezzar and his army do, according to 39:5-8?
 - a. Chased him down and captured him.
 - b. Pronounced judgment on him.
 - c. Killed his sons “before his eyes.”
 - d. Put Zedekiah’s eyes out and bound him to carry him off to Babylon.
 - e. Burned the king’s house and the houses of the people and broke down the walls of Jerusalem.
5. What does Nebuzaradan do in 39:9-10? _____

6. What about Jeremiah (see 39:11-18) _____

7. What about Ebed-Melech? _____

8. Is there a pattern here? _____

9. What did the commander of the guard say to Jeremiah (40:2-4)?
 - a. He knew that God had decreed this against Judah.
 - b. He knew that this was the consequence of sin.
 - c. He knew that Jeremiah was innocent and faithful to the Lord, so he freed him.
 - d. He offered to care for Jeremiah in Babylon.
 - e. He freed Jeremiah.
 - f. He let Jeremiah choose where he lived.
10. Why did the Babylonians treat Jeremiah the way they did? _____

11. Have you placed yourself within God’s protection or are you in danger of suffering the consequences of your sin? _____
