

Jeremiah 27:17· **Do not listen to them. Serve the king of Babylon and keep on living. Why should this city become a devastated place?**

[4] - References:

- And as for the nation that will bring its neck under the yoke of the **king of Babylon** and actually serve him, I will also let it rest upon its ground, is the utterance of Yehowah, and it will certainly cultivate it and dwell in it. (**Jeremiah 27:11**)
- And **YOU** I shall scatter among the nations, and I will unsheathe a sword after **YOU**, and **YOUR** land must **become** a desolation, and **YOUR** cities will **become** a desolate ruin. (**Leviticus 26:33**)
- Jeremiah now said to Zedekiah; This is what Yehowah, the God of armies, the God of Israel, has said; If you will without fail go out to the princes of the **king of Babylon**, your soul will also certainly **keep living** and this **city** itself will not be burned with fire, and you yourself and your household will certainly **keep living**. (**Jeremiah 38:17**)
- And all your wives and your sons they are bringing out to the Chaldeans, and you yourself will not escape out of their hand, but by the hand of the **king of Babylon** you will be seized, and because of you this **city** will be burned with fire. (**Jeremiah 38:23**)