Jeremiah 41:2" Then Ishmael the son of Nethaniah and the ten men that happened to be with him rose up and struck down Gedaliah the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan with the sword. So he put to death the one whom the king of Babylon had commissioned over the land.

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- And it came about in the seventh month that Ishmael the son of Nethaniah the son of Elishama of the royal offspring came, and also ten men with him, and they got to strike down Gedaliah, so that he died, and also the Jews and the Chaldeans that happened to be with him in Mizpah. (2 Kings 25:25)
- In time all the chiefs of the military forces who were in the field, they and their men, got to hear that the king of Babylon had commissioned Gedaliah the son of Ahikam over the land and that he had commissioned him over the men and women and little children and some of the lowly people of the land, who had not been taken into exile in Babylon. (Jeremiah 40:7)
- Later Hilkiah the High Priest said to Shaphan the secretary; The very book of the Law I have found in the house of Yehowah. So Hilkiah gave the book to Shaphan, and he began to read it. (2 Kings 22:8)
- As for the people left behind in the land of Judah, whom Nebuchadnezzar the king of Babylon had left behind, he now appointed over them Gedaliah the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan. (2 Kings 25:22)
- They even proceeded to send and take Jeremiah out of the Courtyard of the Guard and give him over to Gedaliah the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan, in order to bring him forth to his house, that he might dwell in the midst of the people. (Jeremiah 39:14)
- And he was yet not one that would return, when Nebuzaradan said; Do return to Gedaliah the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan, whom the king of Babylon has commissioned over the cities of Judah, and dwell with him in the midst of the people, or to wherever it is right in your eyes to go, go. And the chief of the bodyguard then gave him a food allowance and a present and let him go. (Jeremiah 40:5)

- And Gedaliah the son of Ahikam the son of Shaphan proceeded to swear to them and to their men, saying; Do not be afraid of serving the Chaldeans. Continue dwelling in the land and serve the king of Babylon, and it will go well with You. (Jeremiah 40:9)
- And they proceeded to say to him; Do you not at all know that Baalis, the king of the sons of Ammon, himself has sent Ishmael the son of Nethaniah to strike you to the soul? But Gedaliah the son of Ahikam did not believe them. (Jeremiah 40:14)
- And Johanan the son of Kareah himself said to Gedaliah, in a place of concealment in Mizpah; I want to go, now, and strike down Ishmael the son of Nethaniah, as no one at all will know. Why should he strike you to the soul, and why must all those of Judah who are being collected together to you be scattered and the remnant of Judah perish? (Jeremiah 40:15)
- But Gedaliah the son of Ahikam said to Johanan the son of Kareah; Do not do this thing, for it is a falsehood that you are speaking concerning Ishmael. (Jeremiah 40:16)
- Johanan the son of Kareah and all the chiefs of the military forces who were with him now took all the remnant of the people whom they brought back from Ishmael the son of Nethaniah, from Mizpah, after he had struck down Gedaliah the son of Ahikam, able-bodied men, men of war, and the wives and the little children and the court officials, whom he brought back from Gibeon. (Jeremiah 41:16)
- Because of the Chaldeans, for they had become afraid because of them, since Ishmael the son of Nethaniah had struck down Gedaliah the son of Ahikam, whom the king of Babylon had commissioned over the land. (Jeremiah 41:18)
- Say to all the people of the land and to the priests, When You fasted and there was a wailing in the fifth month and in the seventh month, and this for seventy years, did You really fast to me, even me? (Zechariah 7:5)