

The Kings of Judah and Israel

LESSON #47 | The Life of Jehoahaz

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2 Kings 13:1-7

1 In the three and twentieth year of Joash the son of Ahaziah king of Judah Jehoahaz the son of Jehu began to reign over Israel in Samaria, and reigned seventeen years.

2 And he did that which was evil in the sight of the Lord, and followed the sins of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, which made Israel to sin; he departed not therefrom.

3 And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Israel, and he delivered them into the hand of Hazael king of Syria, and into the hand of Benhadad the son of Hazael, all their days.

4 And Jehoahaz besought the Lord, and the Lord hearkened unto him: for he saw the oppression of Israel, because the king of Syria oppressed them.

5 (And the Lord gave Israel a saviour, so that they went out from under the hand of the Syrians: and the children of Israel dwelt in their tents, as beforetime.)

6 Nevertheless they departed not from the sins of the house of Jeroboam, who made Israel sin, but walked therein: and there remained the grove also in Samaria.)

7 Neither did he leave of the people to Jehoahaz but fifty horsemen, and ten chariots, and ten thousand footmen; for the king of Syria had destroyed them, and had made them like the dust by threshing.

Fill in the blanks with the correct words.

feast | priesthood | worship | gods | sins | evil | seventeen

1. Jehoahaz, the son of Jehu, reigned s_____ years.
2. He did e_____ in the sight of the Lord and followed the s_____ of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, which made Israel to sin.
3. List the 4 sins of Jeroboam that led Israel to sin against God.
 - a. New g_____ (2 golden calves)
 - b. New places of w_____ (Dan and Bethel)
 - c. New p_____ (Not Levites)
 - d. New days of f_____ (Different dates)

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ungrateful | besought | saviour | hearkened | kindled

4. The anger of the Lord was k_____ against Israel and He delivered them into the hands of the Syrians .
5. Jehoahaz b_____ the Lord and the Lord h_____ unto him, for He saw the oppression of Israel.
6. The Lord gave Israel a s_____ but they departed not from the sins of Jeroboam.
7. They were u_____ .

near | instructions | follow | thankful | repent

8. We must follow God's i_____ and obey His commandments.
9. We cannot f_____ the sins of others.
10. We must be always be t_____ to God.
11. God is always n_____ to those that seek Him.
12. God allows wars to happen so that we may turn to God for help, r_____, and obey Him.