

# The Babylonian and Egyptian Captivity of Israel

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- Their enemies forced them to do rigorous slave labor. Exo. 1:8-13
- They were humiliated by their enemies. Mal. 2:8,9Jdg. 16:25
- They were taken far away from Israel to their enemies land. (“**Zion**” is the name of the mountain next to Jerusalem, which is often used symbolically as a representation of Israel.) Psa. 137:1-4 “By the rivers of Babylon, there we sat down, yea, we wept, when we remembered **Zion**. We hanged our harps upon the willows in the midst thereof. For there they that carried us away captive required of us a song; and they that wasted us required of us mirth (joy), saying, Sing us one of the songs of **Zion**. How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land?” KJV (The music group “Boney M” made a song about this subject called: “Rivers Of Babylon”. See it on youtube.)
- They were afraid of their own shadows. Lev. 26:36 “And upon them that are left alive of you I will send a faintness into their hearts in the lands of their enemies; and the sound of a shaken leaf shall chase them; and they shall flee, as fleeing from a sword; and they shall fall when none pursueth.” KJV
- They were publically stripped naked. Eze. 23:28-29
- They wept bitterly. Mal. 2:13
- Their women were raped. Lam. 5:11 Zec. 14:2 Deu. 28:30 (the lukewarm Christians refuse to distinguish between the role of a man and the role of a woman. (Jud. 19:22) So, in this case, who will be raped? In Sodom the men gang raped other men. (Gen. 19:5)
- They were whipped. Jos. 23:13
- Their hair was pulled out. Neh. 13:25
- They were bald and stank. Isa. 3:24
- They were tied up or bound with chains. 2Ki. 25:7Jdg. 16:21
- They were made eunuchs (ruin their seed = castrated) and dung (excrement) was spread on their faces. Mal. 2:3 “Behold, I will corrupt your seed, and spread dung upon your faces” 2Ki. 20:18 “...they shall be eunuchs...” God forbid that those lukewarm Christians have children and their anti-Christian corruption continues in churches for another generation. It is God's will that they be castrated (ruin their seed)!

- They were sold as slaves. [Deu. 28:68](#)
- The king of Israel was blinded after his sons were killed before his eyes. [2Ki. 25:7](#) “And they slew the sons of Zedekiah before his eyes, and put out the eyes of Zedekiah, and bound him with fetters of brass, and carried him to Babylon.”

Rev 3:19 “As many as I love, I rebuke and **chasten**: be zealous therefore, and repent.” The word “**chasten**” means to discipline. More than likely the Lukewarm Church will receive this same type of punishment because they refuse to turn from their corruption. (See article listed below on: The Lukewarm Church.)

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