

**IS THERE ANY WORD FROM
THE LORD?
JER. 37:16-17**



Here is a question posed by Zedekiah.

- He has already prophesied concerning the Chaldean army and the city of Jerusalem.
- His question is, “Is there any word of comfort that they will not come?”
- Not just a word- but wants the *Word of the Lord*.

- He is well aware that not every word on a subject is from the Lord.
- But one of the great marks of this book is “Moreover the word of the Lord came to me” -----

Jer. 1:2 ,4, 7, 9, 11 -14, 2:1

We have, therefore:

- 1. The inspired Word
- 2. The inerrant Word
- 3. The indestructible Word
- 4. The inescapable Word

- **There was a time in the nation of Judah when the people refused to pay attention to what God said.**

In fact, God Himself said, “I spoke to them, but they did not listen; I called to them, but they did not answer” (Jeremiah 35:17b). They not only ignored God, but they blatantly disobeyed and turned away from Him.

There is a fast-growing anti-God agenda in our country, and we are told that if we dare to disagree, we are intolerant, bigoted haters. Frank Schaeffer, a New York Times best-selling author, recently published an article calling evangelical Christians domestic terrorists, and calling on the Secret Service and the FBI to investigate and infiltrate evangelical groups.

The ACLU and other groups are doing everything they can to eradicate any hint of Christianity from our public life.

“Post-Christian” is a term used to describe a culture that has turned away from Christian values and influences. In other words, the day when the teachings of Christ influence the decisions we make and the lifestyles we choose here in our country are over.

We look around us and see how very little influence the church has anymore, how very little the Words of God are regarded, how even those who claim to be Christians many times do not follow Christ in their lives—and I think we would agree that we live in post-Christian America.

I. IS THERE ANY WORD FROM
THE LORD THAT AFFIRMS THE
TRUTH?

II Tim. 3:13, II Tim. 4:1-4

John 8:32, John 17:17

Is there a word from the Lord
today?

Any revelation?

II. IS THERE ANY WORD FROM THE LORD CONCERNING SIN?

- Sin separates, sin condemns

Eze. 18:4, Rom.6:23

The result of sin-

PHYSICAL DEATH

SPIRITUAL DEATH

SECOND DEATH

III. IS THERE ANY WORD FROM THE LORD CONCERNING GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION?

- From Billy Graham to Max Lucado and all sorts of preachers in between, the message is the same--if one desires to be saved from sin by Jesus Christ, all one needs to do is pray "the sinners prayer." The following is an example of this prayer.

Heavenly Father:

- I come to you in prayer asking for the forgiveness of my Sins. I confess with my mouth and believe with my heart that Jesus is your Son, And that he died on the Cross at Calvary that I might be forgiven and have Eternal Life in the Kingdom of Heaven. Father, I believe that Jesus rose from the dead and I ask you right now to come in to my life and be my personal Lord and Savior. I repent of my Sins and will Worship you all the day's of my Life!. Because your word is truth, I confess with my mouth that I am Born Again and Cleansed by the Blood of Jesus!

- In Jesus Name. Amen.

III. IS THERE ANY WORD FROM THE LORD CONCERNING GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION?

- Sinner's prayer or praying through, mourners bench, etc.
- The Lord says- Acts 2:36-47
Mark 16:15,16

IV. IS THERE ANY WORD FROM THE LORD CONCERNING HIS CHURCH?

- Matt. 16:18
- Eph. 5:23
- Eph. 1:3
- Gal. 3:26-28

V. IS THERE ANY WORD FROM THE LORD CONCERNING CHURCH DISCIPLINE

- **I Cor. 5:6**
- **II Thess. 3:6**
- **II Tim. 1:15**



VI. IS THERE ANY WORD FROM
THE LORD CONCERNING
ETERNITY

Heaven

or

Hell

Matt. 25:46

Luke 16:24