

A Sound Prayer

“O LORD, correct me, but with judgment; not in thine anger, lest thou bring me to nothing.”

(Jeremiah 10:24 KJV)

“Discipline me, LORD, but only in due measure— not in your anger, or you will reduce me to nothing.”

(Jeremiah 10:24 NIV)

The Prophet Jeremiah is setting in this word of God a good example for the people of God of how to walk with God and how to pray to Him.

Our Lord is a God of justice, and He will not let allow and let our sins go unpunished.

Jeremiah he prayed to God as it is described, O LORD, and he asked God the followings:-

***Correct me:** Errors in life and falling into faults and sins all needed correction from God. True people of God they should be open to God’s correction and they would be happy to ask him to correct them and revealing to them things that they are not aware that they are wrong.*

***Discipline me:** Jeremiah knew and admitted that sin will be dealt with God and those who commit sin will*

be discipline by God for their sins. People of God should accept that for every sin they do there will be consequences of that sin and sooner or later they need to pay for what they did wrong.

***Discipline me, but with judgment:** When God will discipline for a sin He will do that according to His Word and what is written in His law.*

*In **Jeremiah 10** the people of God they were making idols and they were trusting on those idols, spending on them and went on in their lives following wrong ways and taking wrong decisions based on what these idols dictates.*

***Discipline me, but only in due measure:** Is to accept that God will discipline you and will give you what is due to you to what you had done in trusting vanities and choosing ways of life that are lies and not the truth.*

***Discipline me, not in thine anger, lest thou bring me to nothing:** Praying to God and asking him forgiveness for your sins is to plead with Him that HE in HIS discipline to you you will not vanished, you will not be put*

to death and you will not be brought to nothing.

***For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.”** *(Romans 6:23 KJV)* Although the wages of sin is death, but as you repent and come to God in the name of Jesus, renouncing all your sins, and pleading with HIM for your life, realizing that in God there is mercy, forgiveness, justice, judgment and righteousness to bear the consequences of your sins, then you will be finding with God grace and mercy. You will feel the pain of God’s discipline and the infliction of God on you for your sins. But as you accept and bear then God will comfort you and He will bring you out of the troubles that you had placed yourself in.*

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My Prayer

Father God I come before you in the name of Jesus who died on the cross for my sins to give me eternal life. Lord I thank you for your Word that explain to me your doctrine and the way that you wants me to pray. Lord I surrender my life to you. I repent of the following sins _____, and Lord I accept to bear the consequences of my sins, O LORD, correct me, but with judgment; not in thine anger, lest thou bring me to nothing. This is all I ask and pray in Jesus name, Amen.

**The Lord
Is
My Shepherd**

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