

11 August 2024 – Questions to Discuss and Consider at Home or in Small Group
"The Downward Staircase" – 2 Kings 23:31-24:20

1. Jehoahaz (Shallum) reigns for _____ months, followed by Jehoiakim who reigns for _____ years.
2. How does falling into the hands of Egypt remind Israel of the Lord's gracious work? Jehoahaz can claim to be the first _____.
3. Jehoiachin reigns for _____ months, followed by Zedekiah who reigns for _____ years.
4. From the end of Josiah's reign, it takes _____ years till completion of the exile.
5. Jeremiah _____ speaks to the reigns of the sons of Josiah, followed by the promise of a better king called the Righteous _____ in the next chapter.
6. It would be easy to think that _____ and _____ forces in Judah were what led to bands of attackers in 24:2, but it is of the _____.
7. What is significant about the tribes of the Chaldeans, Arameans, Moabites, and Ammonites?
8. It was because of the sins of _____ that Judah would be removed from the Lord's sight. For all the _____ of innocent _____, according to all that he had done.
9. Jehoiakim tries to silence the prophet _____ by _____ his _____.
10. While Jehoiachin was reigning in Judah it was _____ by Nebuchadnezzar, and Jehoiachin was _____.
11. The summary of Zedekiah's character in Jeremiah is that of someone with little _____.
12. Zedekiah _____ against the king of _____.