

## Days 295-301 - Readings: Whole Bible

Day	OT	Wisdom/NT	Family Focus
295	Jer 50	1Cor 14	1Corinthians 13
296	Jer 51	1Cor 15	1Corinthians 15
297	Jer 52	1Cor 16-2Cor 1	2Corinthians 1
298	Lam 1	2Cor 2-3	2Corinthians 2
299	Lam 2	2Cor 4-5	2Corinthians 4
300	Lam 3	2Cor 6-8	2Corinthians 6
301	day off		

### Tips:

- Jeremiah wrote Lamentations after witnessing the city of Jerusalem fall to the Babylonian Empire in 587BC. Lamentations records God's anger and Jeremiah's despair.
- Lamentations is a series of five poems. The key verses are Lam 3:22-23 where the tone changes from utter despair to hopefulness in God's mercy.
- In 1Corinthians 15, Paul gives the most extensive treatment on resurrection in the Bible. He identifies several witnesses and explains the theological implications of Christ's resurrection.
- 2Corinthians reveals that the major problems Paul identified in 1Corinthians have been addressed. this gives hope to every church that it can overcome problems.
- 2Corinthians has three parts. 2Corinthians 1-5 is Paul's evidence that his ministry was of God. 2Corinthians 6-9 exhorts the church to begin ministering. 2Corinthians 10-13 is Paul's defense against the charge that he was not a true apostle of Jesus Christ.

**Look for this:**

295. Why God said the mighty Babylonian empire would fall (Jer 50);  
What is more important than anything we say or do (1Cor 13)
296. What sinking the book in the Euphrates River pictured (Jer 51);  
What is implied if Christ is not risen from the dead (1Cor 15)
297. What story gave hope at the end of Jeremiah's book (Jer 52);  
How we can use our trials to help others in suffering (2Cor 1)
298. Who Jeremiah compared to the city of Jerusalem (Lam 1); Why it  
is important to forgive people (2Cor 2)
299. How God communicated He was angry with Jerusalem (Lam 2);  
How God can use all our human sufferings for good (2Cor 4)
300. What Jeremiah said first when grief turned to hope (Lam 3);  
When we can partner spiritually with unbelievers (2Cor 6)