

MESSIAH... *through the eyes of the Exiles*

God of Providence

Matthew 1:13-15

Providence is the outcome of FREE WILL of mankind living within the FOREKNOWLEDGE of God.

- I. We can TRUST this list of names.
 - A. RCH Lenski: "The line was traced in the PRIESTS' records... because of the PROMISE that the Messiah would come from the house of David."
 - B. It was their disobedience that got them into exile but it was their CONVICTION that caused them to keep meticulous records.
- II. This was a time for Israel that was in TURMOIL.
 - A. About 600 YEARS before the birth of Jesus
Psalm 137:1-4
 - B. Jeremiah was God's Prophet but not their HERO.
 - C. Even now, what would God DESIRE of us?
Jeremiah 29:4-14
- III. Here is what you need to HEAR.
 - A. I'm still GOD.
 - B. I need you to OBEY: behave like you know truth.
 - C. I need you to STOP listening to those who are telling you what you want to hear.
 - D. I need you to LISTEN for Me; My voice.

God has not forgotten WHO you are.
God has not forgotten WHOSE you are.
God has not forgotten WHERE you are.

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Our Mission: To be a magnet,
drawing people who need Jesus to know and grow in Him.

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