Jeremiah 36 • The Difference Between Hearing & Reading

- 1. (v.1-3) The primary purpose of God's Word where man is concerned is to **put it into practice**.
- 2. (v.4-8) Believers don't merely read, but <u>equip</u> and <u>send</u> others to <u>teach</u> God's Word. [2 Ti. 3:16-17; 2 Pe. 1:21]
- 3. (v.9-19) Being "concerned" with God's Word is not enough; you have to apply it personally. [2 Ti. 2:15]
- 4. (v.20-26) When those who reject God's Word can't kill the messenger, they will attempt to kill the message. [Mt. 24:35]
- 5. (v.27-32) What God writes the <u>first</u> time He writes exactly the same again the <u>second</u> time. [Acts 5:38-39; Dt. 10:1-2; Mt. 5:18]
- 6. (45) Every single person, even the messenger bearing God's Word, must decide what they will do with it <u>personally</u>.