

# II Kings

## Kings of the Divided Kingdom (Part 2)

2 Kings shares the historic & literary tragedy of the downfall of the kingdoms & the people of God. Of the 20 Kings of Israel (8 in 1 Kings) (12 in 2 Kings), not one of them followed in the footsteps of Israel's model for monarchy, King David! Chapter 17 lays out the reasons why the Northern Kingdom of Israel deserved punishment & exile. For these reasons, Israel fell to the Assyrians. Judah was better, but not by much. Of the 20 Kings of Judah (4 in 1 Kings)(16 in 2 Kings), 8 of them followed in some measure in the footsteps of King David. Regrettably, the evil outweighed the good & Judah fell to the Babylonians.

<u>CHAPTER</u>	<u>KING</u>	<u>I/J</u>	<u>+/-</u>
1	Ahaziah	I	-
2 – 8:24	Jehoram	I	-
8:25	Ahaziah	J	-
9-10	Jehu	I	-
11:1-3	Athaliah	J	-
11:4-12	Joash	J	+
13:1-9	Jehoahaz	I	-
14:1-22	Amaziah	J	+
14:23-29	Jeroboam II	I	-
15:1-7	Azariah	J	+
15:8-12	Zechariah	I	-
15:13-16	Shallum	I	-
15:17-22	Menahem	I	-
15:23-26	Pekahiah	I	-
15:27-31	Pekah	I	-
15:32-38	Jotham	J	+
16	Ahaz	J	-
17:1-5	Hoshea	I	-

## FALL OF ISRAEL

18-20	Hezekiah	J	+
21:1-18	Manasseh	J	-
21:19-26	Amon	J	-
22:1-23:30	Josiah	J	-
23:31-35	Jehoahaz	J	-
23:36-24:7	Jehoiakim	J	-
24:8-16	Jehoiachin	J	-

## JERUSALEM CAPTURED

24:17-25:7	Zedekiah (Mattaniah)	J	-
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## FALL & CAPTIVITY OF JUDAH

FALL 25:22-25	Gedaliah	J	-
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Rev. White's reading notes  
based on synthetic reading of the book

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## Kings of Judah

2 Kings

<u>King</u>	<u>+ or -</u>
Ahaziah	-
Athaliah	-
Joash	+
Amaziah	+
Azariah (Uzziah)	+
Jotham	+
Ahaz	-
Hezekiah	+
Manasseh	-
Amon	-
Josiah	+
Jehoahaz	-
Jehoiakim	-
Jehoiachin	-
Zedekiah	-
Gedaliah	-

## Kings of Israel

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Jehoram	-
Jehu	-
Jehoahaz	-
Jehoash	-
Jeroboam II	-
Zechariah	-
Shallum	-
Menahem	-
Pekahiah	-
Pekah	-
Hoshea	-

## Prophets of II Kings

1:1-12	<b>Elijah</b> Ahab, Ahaziah & Jehoram Jehoshaphat
1:13-13:21	<b>Elisha</b> Jehoram Jehoshaphat
19:20	<b>Isaiah</b> Hezekiah What about Azariah, Jotham, Ahaz (Uzziah)

## Key Chapter - 17

Lays out the case of why God was justified & why the Israelites deserved the punishment of exile.