

“ . . . Hypocrites and other unregenerate men may vainly deceive themselves with false hopes and carnal presumptions of being in the favor of God, and estate of salvation (which hope of theirs shall perish) . . . ”

(Westminster Confession of Faith 18.1a)

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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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THE HYPOCRITE'S HOPE

Jeremiah 37:1-10

I. Doctrine: It is _____ to Disobey God and to Pretend to Seek Him, at the Same Time

A. Hypocrites want an _____ of Godliness . . . , (Matt. 6:16)

B. . . . While Loathing the _____ of it, (2 Tim. 3:5)

II. A Model of How _____ to do Religion, vv. 1-10

A. — _____ the Word of God, vv. 1-2

B. — _____ God's Means of Grace, vv. 3-5

C. — _____ Unrepentant, vv. 6-10

III. The _____ Believer's Approach to God

A. — _____ at His Word, with Hope of Forgiveness, (Isa. 66:2b)

B. —Boldly _____ His Face, by Faith in Christ, (Heb. 4:16)

Key Verse—v. 3: “And Zedekiah the king sent Jehucal the son of Shelemiah, and Zephaniah the son of Maaseiah, the priest, to the prophet Jeremiah, saying, ‘Pray now to the LORD our God for us.’”

NOTES & APPLICATIONS:

Aim: To be found to be Genuine Lovers of God