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ARTICLE FORTY-THREE
PARAGRAPHS OF THE BIBLE – SECOND CHRONICLES 17-28

SEVENTEEN

- A. He took God's Word to God's people (17:1-9)
- B. The pagans sent him presents (17:10-11)
- C. An army to be reckoned with (17:12-19)

EIGHTEEN

- A. A wedding and a war—two unwise alliances (18:1-3)
- B. The four hundred said, "You'll return a conqueror!" (18:4-5)
- C. But the one said, "You'll return a corpse!" (18:6-17)
- D. A lying spirit from the Lord (18:18-22)
- E. "Remember," he said, "you won't return!" (18:23-27)
- F. How foolish can a good man be? (18:28-32)
- G. A random arrow, a fulfilled prophecy (18:33-34)

NINETEEN

- A. Jehu to Jehoshaphat: "He's angry with your actions!" (19:1-3)
- B. Judges to dispense justice (19:4-11)

TWENTY

- A. Filled with fear, he called for a fast (20:1-5)
- B. A timely prayer in the temple (20:6-9)
- C. "O, thou Helper of the helpless, *Help Us!*" (20:10-13)
- D. "Stand still and watch Me work!" (20:14-17)
- E. A battle won by singers instead of soldiers (20:18-24)
- F. A victory celebration in a valley (20:25-30)
- G. An overall A on his report card (20:31-34)
- H. But there was one final failure (20:35-37)

TWENTY-ONE

- A. He began by butchering his brothers (21:1-7)
- B. This was added to by apostasy (21:8-11)
- C. A devastating letter from a departed prophet (21:12-15)

D. It happened exactly as Elijah had written (21:16-20)

TWENTY-TWO

- A. Like mother, like son! (22:1-4)
- B. A fatal visit (for Jehu killed him!) (22: 5-9)
- C. She slaughtered all but one (22:10-12)

TWENTY-THREE

- A. Six years in the planning (23:1-7)
- B. Death to the Queen! Long live the King! (23:8-15)
- C. A role model to the young monarch (23:16-21)

TWENTY-FOUR

- A. Off to a good start! (24:1-5)
- B. The ultimate offering box (24:6-14)
- C. A century and three decades of service and devotion (24:15-16)
- D. When the godly exit, the godless enter (24:17-19)
- E. Stoned to death for his sermon (24:20-22)
- F. Wounded by his foes, finished off by his friends (24:23-27)

TWENTY-FIVE

- A. Right actions, wrong attitude (25:1-4)
- B. He had 300,000 and hired 100,000 (25:5-6)
- C. "Dismiss them or be defeated," he said (25:7-13)
- D. His apostasy would result in his assassination (25:14-16)
- E. The point in the parable—"Back Off" (25:17-19)
- F. He lost the war, his wealth, and his life (25:20-28)

TWENTY-SIX

- A. A glorious beginning (26:1-8)
- B. Builder, farmer, and soldier (26:9-15)
- C. Azariah to Uzziah: "You're in the wrong place doing the wrong thing" (26:16-18)
- D. The awful price he paid for pride (26:19-23)

TWENTY-SEVEN

- A. No temple trespassing like that of his father (27:1-4)
- B. Three years of tribute from his foes (27:5-9)

TWENTY-EIGHT

- A. One of Judah's very worst (28:1-4)
- B. The price for perversion—defeat, death, and deportation (28:5-8)
- C. "Don't push your victory too far," the prophet warned (28:9-15)
- D. Attempts to bribe Assyria to no avail (28:16-21)
- E. From bad to worse! He even nailed the temple doors shut (28:22-27)