

Jeremiah 23 • Carrying the Wrong Burden

1. (v.1-4) The cure for a _____ pastor or leader is not to go out on one's own, but to seek out a _____ pastor or leader instead.
2. (v.5-8) The core problem of both false shepherds and the misled or scattered flock is living according to their own _____ instead of God's _____.
3. (v.9-12) The core problem of false prophets is they are both under the influence of a _____ ("*like a drunken man*") and "_____"—devoted from the heart to _____.
4. (v.13-15) There is a direct connection between _____ unfaithfulness and _____ unfaithfulness; no spiritual revival will be successful without being accompanied by a _____ return and repentance.
5. (v.16-22) One of the sure signs of a false prophet or leader is that everything is built around their cult of _____ and a message to _____ in this life to the _____ of the next.
6. (v.23-24) One of the differences between false and true leaders is that true leaders live and act and teach as if every second of life is being personally _____ by _____ because it is; false ones are deceived into thinking He either doesn't _____ or doesn't actually _____.
7. (v.25-32) We are supposed to be able to tell the difference between the false and the true based on the _____ and their lack of effectiveness to produce sincere _____.
8. (v.33-40) The ultimate deception perpetrated by false teachers and false prophets is replacing the "_____" of a Christ-committed life with something that appears _____ in this life, but in reality is not, eventually leading to _____. The issue of knowing God's Word well enough to discern and choose between true and false leaders is, in reality, a _____ and _____ issue.