

The Interpretation of the Symbolic Action

33: 1-26

587 BC at the end of the eleven-year reign of Zedekiah

Jeremiah interprets his **ninth symbolic action** of buying a field in Anathoth (see Fs - **Jeremiah Buys a Field**). This chapter is divided into two sections. First, the **near historical restoration** of Judah seen in 33:1-14. **The futility of resistance to Babylon is again stressed, and the promise of a return from captivity is repeated.** Second, the **far eschatological restoration** of the united nation of Isra'el is seen in 33:15-26.