

## Chapters 16, 17

The Lord will bring back Israel's exiles,  
back to the land he gave to our ancestors.

Lord, my strength, my stronghold,  
all the nations will come to you  
and acknowledge that you alone are God in all the earth.

Let all the peoples praise you, O God,  
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## Chapter 18

The Lord told Jeremiah to go to the house of the potter.

At the potter's house, Jeremiah watched the potter working.  
Sometimes a vessel he was making wasn't shaped properly.  
So the potter would take the clay and start again  
and shape the clay into a new vessel.

Then the Lord told Jeremiah:

"The House of Israel is clay, I am the potter.  
I keep on trying to form Israel into a holy nation."

Lord, you are the potter, we are the clay  
- the work of your hands.

Please mould us into what you want us to become