



HAMMER OF THE LORD



God showed me a picture of the earth and a large hammer came down upon it.

"Is not my word like fire," declares the Lord, "and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?"
Jeremiah 23:29

We know that the earth belongs to the Lord (Psalm 24:1-2). This scripture in Jeremiah 23 referring to God's word as a hammer, has a spiritual meaning. God's word is powerful to demolish strongholds and humble the hardest of hearts. Jeremiah 23 addresses the issue of false prophets but the word of the Lord through his true prophets God says *...but let my true messengers faithfully proclaim my every word. There is a difference between straw and grain! Does not my word burn like fire?" says the LORD. "Is it not like a mighty hammer that smashes a rock to pieces?"*
Jeremiah 23:28-29

*For though we live in the world, we do not wage war as the world does. **The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds.*** **2 Corinthians 10:3-4**

God is going to break down the hearts of people in the nations to be humbled before Him in order that they may seek Him and find Him.

*From one man he made all the nations, that they should inhabit the whole earth; and he marked out their appointed times in history and the boundaries of their lands. **God did this so that they would seek him and perhaps reach out for him and find him, though he is not far from any one of us.*** **Acts 17:26-27**

*"Therefore since we are God's offspring, we should not think that the divine being is like gold or silver or stone—an image made by human design and skill. **In the past God overlooked such ignorance, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent.** For he has set a day when he will judge the world with justice by the man he has appointed. He has given proof of this to everyone by raising him from the dead."*
Acts 17:29-31

Point out anything in me that offends you, and lead me along the path of everlasting life. Psalm 139:24