**The Kingdoms of Jeremiah 25**

17 “I **caused to drink** **|all the nations which Yahweh sent me toward**”

18 “**|**Jerusalem and **|**the cities of **Judah**”– “even **|**its kings and **|**its princes, to give **|**them to waste, to astonishment, to hissing and to reviling”

19-20 “**|**Pharaoh king of **Egypt**, and **|**his servants and **|**his princes and **|**all his people and **|**all the mixed people”

20 “**|**all kings of the land of **Uz**” – a son of Aram; Job’s dwelling – prob. near Edom (Lam.4:21)

20 “**|**all kings of the land of the **Philistines** – even **|**Ashkelon and **|**Gaza and **|**Ekron and *the* **|**remnant of Ashdod”

21 “**|Edom**, **|Moab** and *the* **|**sons of **Ammon**”

22 “**|**all kings of **Tyre**”

22 “**|**all kings of **Sidon**”

22 “**|**kings of **the isle** which *is* across the Sea” – possibly Phoenician colonies in the Mediterranean

23 “**|Dedan** and **|Tema** and **|Buz**, and **|**all **those cutting the corners**” (i.e., ‘in the far corners’) – usually taken as tribes dwelling in the border of the Arabian desert

24 “**|**all kings of **Arabia**”

24 “**|**all kings of **the mixed people who are dwelling in the wilderness**” – possibly Arabian Bedouins

25 “**|**all kings of **Zimri**” – possibly descended from a son of Abraham by Keturah (Gen.25:2)

25 “**|**all kings of **Elam**”

25 “**|**all kings of **Media**”

26 “**|**all kings of the **North** – the near and the far”

26 “even **|all the kingdoms of the land which are upon the face of the ground**”

26 “and king Sheshak will drink after them” – i.e., **Babylon** after the 70 years

# nations/regions before Babylon – **20** **drink** first

# nations/regions with Babylon – **21,** Babylon **drinks** last

# of Direct Object particles (*‘êth*) relating to **1st drinking** – 33 **|**,but 2 of these are **summarizations**

**Parallelisms –** v.17 “**all the nations whom Yahweh sent me toward**” – v.26 “**all the kingdoms of the land which are upon the face of the ground**”

 v.17 **first drinking** – v.26 **last drinking**