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JEREMIAH 2: 22

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dedicated to our Shepherd Jesus, 24 Aug 2014 Album: Amazing LORD 'n' Logic **Related song: FACEDOWN LEPERS**

CHORUS

Shepherd of my soul, Jesus: Come and make me whole. Like a leper on my knees, my filth grieves me. And I plead:

Shepherd of my soul, Jesus: I give you my whole Life, a LEPER who is unclean, I cry, clean me of my sins.

BRIDGE – 3x, each one more fervently:

CLEAN ME! HEAL ME OF ALL SINS, SAVIOR, JESUS --- I REPENT!

<u>GOD SPEAKING to us thru Jeremiah 2: 21-23</u>: "I had planted you a noble vine, a seed of highest quality. How then have you turned before Me Into the degenerate plant of an alien vine? For though you wash yourself with lye, and use much soap, Yet your iniquity is marked before Me," says the Lord GOD. "How can you say, 'I am not polluted, I have not gone after the Baals - *FALSE GODS'*?"
<u>Ephesians 2:</u> But God who is RICH IN MERCY, because of His Great Love sent us His Son -- made us ALIVE, together with Christ! By GRACE you have been saved... It is the gift of God- ---- NOT of works ----- lest anyone should boast.

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God declares sin is MORE than dirt. Jeremiah 2:22.

Sin is carved---- engraved on hearts. No acid or soap can clean it. ** Without Jesus, Savior, there's NO HOPE. Jeremiah 2: 22. ** See Hebrew study on Music sheet

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God declared we canNOT wash sins. ** Jeremiah 2: 22 ---> Long before His Son was sent to remove sins when we repent: Without sacrifice of blood there's NO HOPE. Jeremiah 2: 22.

All the way back in the days of Solomon, God prophesied in PROVERBS 16: 5b-6 ... "none will go unpunished. In mercy and truth Atonement is provided for iniquity; and by the fear of the LORD one departs from evil."

3

In Truth and Mercy, God provides atonement for our iniquities. Proverbs 16: 6 shows us – God planned back then for Jesus! All are punished without Christ's sacrifice. Jeremiah 2: 22.

Song Story. Another of the LORD's gifts, written in minutes as a prayer put to music. The odd quirk in timing in the Bridge was from a timing mistake that showed up when I quantized those measures in my studio program-- and decided that I liked the quirk. Each time I goof, I do examine before fixing just in case it's another inspiration from God -- as many odd features in His songs have been! Ephesians 3:20-21.