## **PSALM 137 WEEPING FOR JERUSALEM**

# LYRICS

4/4 time (pu = 1)

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### VERSE 1

We grieved....... We wept...... All hopes were left prisoners.... prisoners..... Dead. The "World" laughed, mocked! asked, **"WHERE's your 'God'?!"** You're prisoners .... prisoners .... PLAY YOUR "God Music" for us. God, remember .... Jerusalem.... Your Zion: Psalm One-Thirty-Seven. Hear our cries from Your Throne on High: Through US let the WORLD see YOU.

### VERSE 2

We wept...... We Cried ...... to Yahweh, The TRUE God, remembering..... remembering..... all His past blessings! How could we sing to God while weeping for Jerusalem, Israel's Gift from God: Beloved city. God, remember .... Jerusalem.... Your Zion: Psalm One-Thirty-Seven.

Hear our cries from Your Throne on High: Through US let the WORLD see YOU.

### VERSE 3

We shall rejoice when God restores Jerusalem.... Jerusalem..... Israel's Gift we lost as punishment. One Day the LORD will call His people to Jerusalem, City of Peace God prophesied clearly. He SHALL

remember .... Jerusalem.... Your Zion: Psalm One-Thirty-Seven. Hear our cries from Your Throne on High: Through US let the WORLD see YOU.

ENDING SCRIPTURE: Deut. 30: 4-10, God Speaking <u>CONDITIONS</u> for restoring Jerusalem (ZION) to His people. Deuteronomy 30, GOD: 4 If *any* of you are driven out to the farthest *parts* under heaven, from there the LORD your God will gather you, and from there He will bring you. 5 Then the LORD your God will bring you to the land which your fathers possessed, and you shall possess it. He will prosper you and multiply you more than your fathers. 6 And the LORD your God will circumcise your heart and the heart of your descendants, to love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, that you may live. 7 "Also the LORD your God will put all these curses on your enemies and on those who hate you, who persecuted you. 8 And you will again obey the voice of the LORD and do all His commandments which I command you today. 9 The LORD your God will make you abound in all the work of your hand, in the fruit of your body, in the increase of your livestock, and in the produce of your land for good. For the LORD will again rejoice over you for good as He rejoiced over your fathers, 10 if you obey the voice of the LORD your God with all your soul, that you turn to the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul.

**SONG STORY:** Awoke at 4 AM with the music and first verse "in my head". Got up, pulled out my guitar, & wrote down God's ideas quickly! Recorded all except vocal tracks... Song on the World Wide Web next day.