

YOU ARE NOT ALONE / *Romans 11:4*

The prophets of Israel, for all their severity, consistently revealed God's ongoing commitment to a remnant. The messages God used to remind the people of his faithfulness were varied and persistent. You are not the only faithful follower of Christ; God has others. Together you are the remnant that he wants to use to impact the world.

Isaiah	Named his son Shear-Jashub, which means "a remnant will return" (Isaiah 7:3).
Jeremiah	Wrote of God as one who "will gather together the remnant of my flock from wherever I have driven them" Jeremiah 23:3).
Micah	Recorded God as saying, "Someday, O Israel, I will gather the few of you who are left. I will bring you together again like sheep in a fold, like a flock in its pasture. Yes, your land will again be filled with noisy crowds!" (Micah 2:12).
Zephaniah	Told Israel that "those who are left will be the lowly and the humble, for it is they who trust in the name of the LORD. The people of Israel who survive will do no wrong to each other, never telling lies or deceiving one another. They will live peaceful lives, lying down to sleep in safety; there will be no one to make them afraid" (Zephaniah 3:12-13).