

Lament Pt. 4: Lamenting the Effects of Sin, Yet Still Hoping in God

Lamentations 4

Review:

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Big Idea:

I. We lament the devastating effects of sin (vv 1-20)

A. Four scenes (vv 1-10):

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B. Who did this (v 11)?

Three truths about God's wrath:

C. Why did God do this (vv 13-20)?

II. Yet we still hope in God (vv 22)

Application Questions (in light of recent events please be careful about “derailing” the conversation into politics):

1. How have you responded to the moral failures of our society over your lifetime?
2. What role does the church play in raising up young people (vv 1-2)? How could our church do better at raising up our young people? How could you be part of that?
3. In what ways might you be depending on “misguided hopes”?
4. How should an exile mindset affect the way Christians view life (relationships, finances, God, the church, etc.,)?