

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

LEARNING FROM LAMENTATIONS – LAMENTATIONS 2

7/9/2023

**Lesson 18: Knowing God by Studying His Word**

Text: Lamentations

Theme: An approach to studying the book of Lamentations.

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### **Why study Lamentations?**

While we are currently doing a book study of Lamentations you may want to study one or all of the books of the God's Word

Choose a reading method that suits your learning and interest style best **(greatly determined by size of book)**

Listen to someone read and follow along

Write the book

Try to identify themes or repeated words, phrases or subjects

Who was the writer?

Who did he write to?

Why did he write?

Read one or two books that will give you the writer, audience, date, etc

The use of a study Bible

Who is the writer? Many would quickly say "Jeremiah", but what is the evidence? (2 Chron 35:25; Jer 7:29; 8:21; 9:1, etc)

Why call it Lamentations? (Lam 1:1; 2:1; 4:1)

It is read every year on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of Ab which is the date of Jerusalem's destruction both in 586 and 70

**What did you notice from any of your readings of Lamentations?**