

## Lamentations 1: No One To Comfort

Read **Lamentations 1.1-22**

1. Describe the pitiful scene in Jerusalem (1.1-7).
2. Why was Jerusalem destroyed? (1.8-9)
3. What is the crowning act of humiliation for Zion? (1.10)
4. How is Jeremiah handling the destruction? (1.13-16)
5. Is there any to help now? (1.17-22) Was God right in judging the nation?

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6. What is the one declaration that stands out in this poem? (1.2, 9, 16, 17, 21) What word occurs 5 times?
  
7. What does disaster and despair do to our lives? Have you been afflicted with pain so great that your eyes just overflow with tears?
  
8. What truth is expressed by the author as his first anchor in his grief? (1.18)
  
9. What is the first place to turn to in our grief and pain?