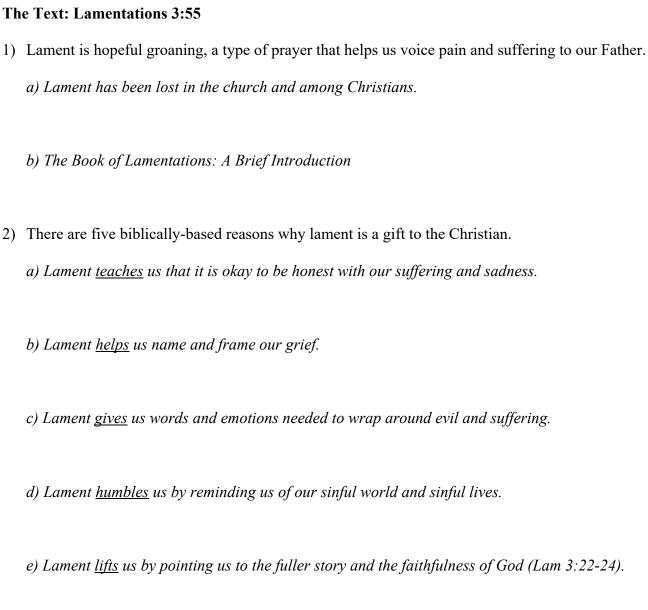


The Gift of Lament "From the Depths" Series **Lamentations 3:55** Apr 19, 2020 **Pastor Mickey Klink**

Introduction

In this message we introduce the book of Lamentations and the gift of lament for the Christian life.

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Response

Hope Church, let us become apprentices of lament for the next two months!

Small Group Questions for Lamentations 3:55 ("From the Depth" Series)

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1)	Starter Question: Do you find it difficult to talk about your pain and suffering with others, and if so, why?
2)	Why does our culture want to move past or avoid talking about pain, suffering, death?
3)	What is a "lament?"
4)	Why do you think the Bible includes so many examples of lament (Lamentations, Psalms, and Jesus)?
5)	What does Lamentations 3:55 means when it says, "I called on your name, O Lord?"
6)	What does the phrase, "from the depths of the pit," teach us about the person who is speaking?
7)	Have you ever prayed to the Lord "from the depths" before, and if so, what was that experience like?
8)	If you have never prayed to the lord "from the depths," why do you think that is the case?
9)	How do you feel about a sermon series through Lamentations addressing the topic of lament?
10)	If you were honest, what is one thing in your life you would like to lament before the Lord?

Further study this week: Key texts from the book of Jeremiah, the context of Lamentations: Jeremiah 1 (Mon); Jeremiah 2 (Tues); Jeremiah 17 (Wed); Jeremiah 31 (Thurs); Jeremiah 52 (Fri).

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