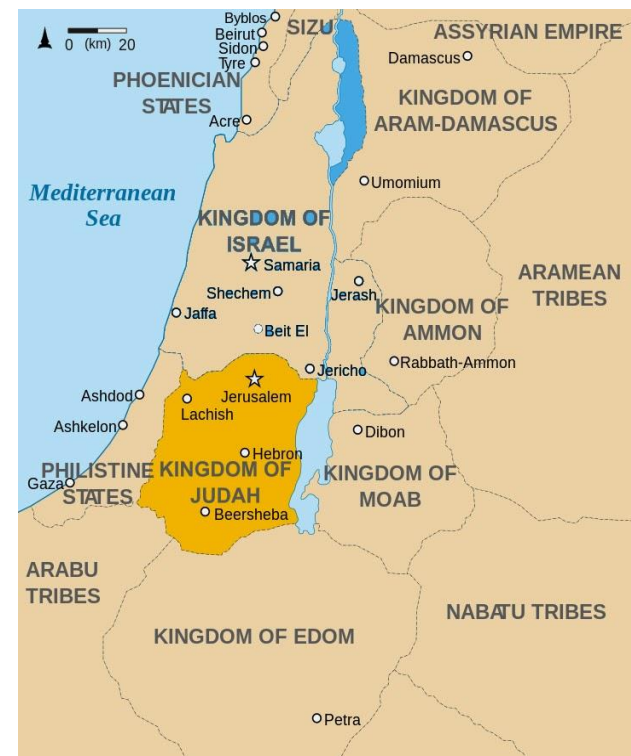




LAMENTATIONS

— HEARTACHE TO HOPE —

Lamentations 3: 13-33





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*You will be uprooted from the land you are entering.
Then the Lord will scatter you among the nations.*
Deuteronomy 28: 63-64



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This whole country will become a desolate wasteland, and these nations will serve the king of Babylon for seventy years. Jeremiah 25: 11



LAMENTATIONS

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- Life is full of the good and the bad



LAMENTATIONS

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I have been deprived of peace; I have forgotten what prosperity is. So I say 'My splendour is gone and all that I had hoped from the Lord'. V17-18



LAMENTATIONS

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- Life is full of the good and the bad
- With or without God?



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**Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed,
for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning;
great is your faithfulness. V22-23**



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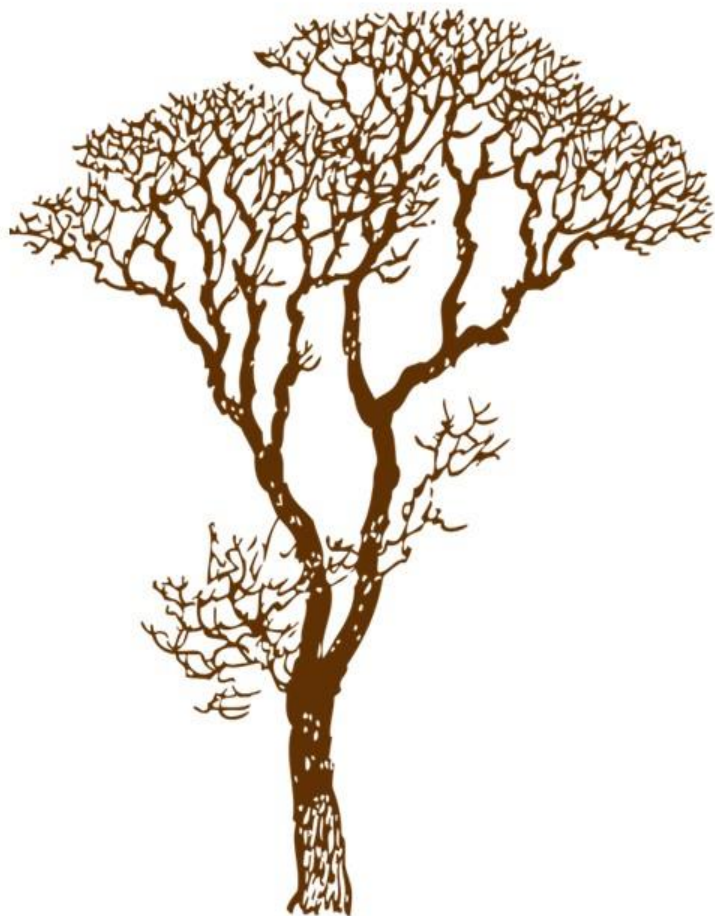
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- Life is full of the good and the bad
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- Learning (or relearning) the language of lament
- Rooting our lives in the Cross of Jesus Christ



Though the fig tree does not bud and there are no grapes on the vines, though the olive crop fails and the fields produce no food, though there are no sheep in the pen and no cattle in the stalls, yet I will rejoice in the LORD, I will be joyful in God my Savior. (Habakkuk 3:17-18 NIV)



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