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ARTICLE EIGHTY-FOUR PARAGRAPHS OF THE BIBLE – LAMENTATIONS 1-5

ONE

- A. Once the queen of nations, now a sobbing slave (1:1-11)
- B. Seldom has there been such suffering! (1:12-19)
- C. See our pain; hear our prayer (1:20-21)

TWO

- A. The destruction of the city (2:1-9)
- B. The despair of the people (2:10-13)
- C. The deceit of the prophets (2:14)
- D. The derision of the foe (2:15-16)
- E. The determination of the Lord (2:17-22)

THREE

- A. It seemed their beloved friend had become their bitter foe (3:1-20)
- B. But wait! His favor and faithfulness have not failed (3:21-38)
- C. Let us repent and return (3:39-47)
- D. A torrent of tears over both their sorrow and his sorrow (3:48-66)

FOUR

- A. Sin surpassing that of Sodom (4:1-6)
- B. The ultimate in horror (4:7-16)
- C. Abandoned by their allies! Helpless and hopeless! (4:17-20)
- D. Laugh if you will, Edom, but you're next! (4:21-22)

FIVE

- A. The worst of all possible worlds! (5:1-18)
- B. Restore us, O Eternal One! (5:19-22)