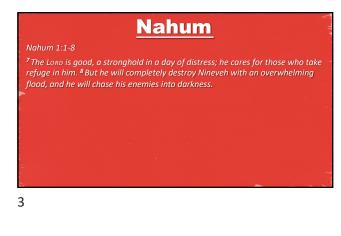


Nahum

Nahum 1:1-8

⁴The pronouncement concerning Nineveh. The book of the vision of Nahum the Elkoshite. ² The LORD is a jealous and avenging God; the LORD takes vengeance and is fierce in wrath. The LORD takes vengeance against his foes; he is furious with his enemies. ³ The LORD is slow to anger but great in power; the LORD will never leave the guilty unpunished. His path is in the whirlwind and storm, and clouds are the dust beneath his feet. ⁴ He rebukes the sea and dries it up, and he makes all the rivers run dry. Bashan and Carmel wither; even the flower of Lebanon withers. ⁵ The mountains quake before him, and the hills melt; the earth trembles at his presence—the world and all who live in it. ⁶ Who can withstand his indignation? Who can endure his burning anger? His wrath is poured out like fire; even rocks are shattered before him.

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Nahum

The Explanation

What Did This Mean to the Original Audience?

Jonah 3:8-10

⁸ Furthermore, both people and animals must be covered with sackcloth, and everyone must call out earnestly to God. Each must turn from his evil ways and from his wrongdoing. ⁹ Who knows? God may turn and relent; he may turn from his burning anger so that we will not perish. ¹⁰ God saw their actions that they had turned from their evil ways—so God relented from the disaster he had threatened them with. And he did not do it.

> Nineveh Repented, but 100 Years Later They Had Fallen Back Into Sin

Nahum

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ahum 1:8

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"But he will completely destroy Nineveh with <u>an overwhelming flood</u>, and he will chase his enemies into darkness.

Nahum 1:14 The LORD has issued an order concerning you: There will be no offspring to carry on your name. I will eliminate the carved idol and cast image from the house of your gods; I will prepare your grave, for you are contemptible. Nineveh Repented, but 100 Years Later They Had Fallen Back Into Sin

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The Interpretation What Are the General Spiritual Principles?

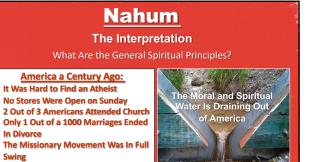
Nahum 2:8

Nineveh has been like a pool of water fro her first days, but they are fleeing. "<u>Stop! Stop</u>!" they cry, but no one turns back.



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Faith Was Leading to Moral Changes



 Nahum

 The Application

 What Is God Saying to Me?

 God Is Awesome

 Nahum 1:5

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