

Lament & Restoration

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I. On Being “Fake” in 2020

Today’s Key Truth: _____ draws us nearer to God in the midst of suffering.

II. The Lamentation of Israel

Psalm 85

v. 1-3

Remembering the Goodness of God

Point: Lament is offered in _____ of the goodness of God.

v. 4-9

Restore Us Again

Point: Lament is driven by a _____ for restoration in the Lord.

III. v. 10-13

Beholding the Character of God

Point: _____ is found in beholding the character of God.

IV. True Restoration

Community Group Review & Discussion

1. Review the message introduction. Summarize the major assertions and discuss the Key Truth being presented.

2. Investigate the Scripture passage(s) from the message. Note the author, audience, context and themes in the passage(s).

3. Discuss the biblical concepts and truths that are in view with each Scripture passage.

4. Apply the Word to life. In a group discussion format, discuss the challenges, benefits, and means & goals of living out the truth being conveyed in God’s Word.

5. Pray for God to give wisdom, discernment and strength to each group member as they endeavor to live in obedience to God’s Word.