

Nahum Handout Lesson 1

The Book of Nahum is divided into three parts:

1. The decree of the destruction of Nineveh (1:1-14/15).
2. The description of the destruction of Nineveh (2:1-13/14).
3. The deserved destruction of Nineveh (3:1-19).

BIBLICAL PERIOD	#8: After the Assyrian conquest and exile of the Northern Kingdom of Israel but before the Babylonian conquest and exile of Judah		
FOCUS	Yahweh gives Nahum oracles and visions of Nineveh's destruction.		
COVENANT	The Sinai Covenant		
SCRIPTURE	1:1-----2:1-----3:1-----19		
DIVISION	Oracle #1 The Destruction of Nineveh is Decreed	Oracle #2 The Destruction of Nineveh is Described	Oracle #3 The Destruction of Nineveh is Deserved
TOPIC	Principles of Divine Judgment	The Call to Battle	God's Reasons for the Destruction of Nineveh
	Destruction of Nineveh and Deliverance of Judah	The Destruction of Nineveh	Destruction of Nineveh is Inevitable
LOCATION	Judah		
TIME	c. 660 BC		