Nahum
The Word of the LORD
to Nineveh

Assyria

The rod of the LORD’S anger

An enduring nation
  ▶ Genesis 10:6-14
  ▶ Zechariah 10:10-11

▶ A complete end decreed
  ▶ 612 B.C.
  ▶ The Day of the LORD
Outline of Nahum

1. The destruction of Nineveh decreed (1)
   - the character of God
     – Jealous and avenging
     – Good
   - the decree of God
     – A grave for the vile
     – Peace for His people

2. The Battle of Nineveh (Nahum 2)
   - The battle (2:1-5)
   - The outcome of the battle (2:6-13)

3. The Depravity of Nineveh (Nahum 3)
   - The sins of Nineveh (3:1-7)
   - A lesson from history (3:8-10)
   - A helpless estate (3:11-19)
II. The Battle of Nineveh
Nahum 2

1. The battle (2:1-5)
   ▶ The Scatterer
   ▶ The majesty of Jacob
   ▶ The red army
   ▶ The officers stumble

2. The outcome of the battle (2:6-13)
   ▶ The flood
   ▶ The pool
   ▶ The lions’ den
   ▶ The Opposition
III. The Depravity of Nineveh
Nahum 3

1. The sins of Nineveh (3:1-7)
   ▶ Woe to the bloody city
   ▶ The deadly charms of the prostitute
   ▶ The shame of sin

2. A lesson from history (3:8-10)
   ▶ The fall of Thebes (No or No-Ammon)

3. A helpless estate (3:11-19)
   ▶ A drunk in hiding
   ▶ Ripe figs
   ▶ A multitude of merchants
   ▶ Grasshoppers and locusts
   ▶ Sleeping shepherds
   ▶ No ease from a grievous wound