

“How to Handle Heartbreak” Nehemiah 1:1-4 (NKJV)

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¹ *The words of Nehemiah the son of Hachaliah.*

It came to pass in the month of Chislev, in the twentieth year, as I was in Shushan the citadel, ² that Hanani one of my brethren came with men from Judah; and I asked them concerning the Jews who had escaped, who had survived the captivity, and concerning Jerusalem. ³ And they said to me, “The survivors who are left from the captivity in the province are there in great distress and reproach. The wall of Jerusalem is also broken down, and its gates are burned with fire.”

⁴ *So it was, when I heard these words, that I sat down and wept, and mourned for many days; I was fasting and praying before the God of heaven.*

Dependability vs. 1, 11

- Nehemiah Tells us Who _____
- Nehemiah Tells us When _____
- Nehemiah Tells us Where _____
- Nehemiah Tells us What _____

Sensitivity vs. 2-3

- God uses people who are sensitive to the hurt of others
- God uses people who are sensitive to the heart of God

Availability vs. 4

- Prayer of Confession
- Prayer of Confidence
- Prayer of Commitment