



Personal Discussion Questions:

1. Isaiah 5:1-7 is a 'poem of lament'. Why is God's vineyard the subject of this lament, and what does the Vineyard represent?
2. The purpose of the vineyard is to produce fruit. What kind of fruit did God look for from his vineyard (cf. 5:7)? What kind of fruit did Judah produce?
3. In 5:8-30 there are 6 "Woe" statements (cf. 8, 11, 18, 20, 21 and 22) upon God's people. In your own words, describe the behavior/character of Israel that each of the 'woes' are condemning.
4. If you were to pause for a moment, where might you see God identifying behavioral patterns or issues of character you need to change by God's grace?
5. In 5:24-30, God declares how he is going to judge his rebellious people. How does this surprise you? Where is the hope in the midst of judgment found?