

Malachi: Week One

- **An Overview of Malachi**

- I. Malachi's Background Information

- A. All we know about Malachi is his n_____ means "M____
M_____"

- B. He p_____ when E_____ has been attacked (1:4) and
the t_____ has been rebuilt (1:7-8, 2:3, 3:10)

- C. He condemns m_____ of the s_____ s_____ as
N_____ and was very likely his c_____
(c450BC)

- II. Malachi's Theme: God's C_____ L_____ for His People
C_____ in Spite of Their Continued S_____

- III. Malachi's Literary Device: The Disputation Cycle

- A. God c_____ Judah's s_____.

- B. Judah claims i_____ and i_____ of any
w_____

- C. God more f_____ c_____ Judah's sins.

- **An Outline of Malachi**

- I. God P_____ His L_____ for Judah (1:1-5)

- II. Disputation One: Judah's H_____ - H_____ Worship
Demonstrated by U_____ S_____ (1:6-14 - see
Nehemiah 10:36-39 and 13:15-18)

- III. Disputation Two: Judah's C_____ P_____ (2:1-9 - see
Nehemiah 10:28-29 and 13:4-11)

- IV. Disputation Three: Judah's Practice of D_____ and
M_____ to F_____ (2:10-16 - see Nehemiah 10:30
and 13:23-27)

- V. Disputation Four: Judah's Practice of S_____ I_____ (2:17 and 3:15)
- VI. Disputation Five: Judah's F_____ to Tithe (3:6-15 - see Nehemiah 10:32-39 and 13:10-12)
- VII. God's Promises of Future Blessings
 - A. Malachi 2:11
 - B. Malachi 3:1-4
 - C. Malachi 3:16-4:6