

Unfinished Business



A Study on the Book of Nehemiah

Nehemiah 1:1-4

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Two common threads between two different worlds

God has unfinished business that He will work out through someone.

A wall to rebuild

A people to transform

A Leader to establish

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A city to reach

A leader to establish

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