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## Introduction

In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit one God. Amen

The Bible is the most important book ever written.

It is an eyewitness account of historical events that shaped the world in which we live.

Without the Bible the world would be completely different.

It is so important to read and understand the Bible.

I thank God for the group of servants in the church of Virgin Mary and St. Athanasius in Mississauga, Ontario, who have worked tirelessly to make this booklet.

This is an excellent tool to make studying the Bible more interesting, enjoyable and easy for children.

Also, this series is so precious because it covers all the 66 books of the Bible and it promises to be both enjoyable and beneficial for children and adults alike.

I encourage each family to obtain these series of books and sit with their children to study the Bible every day.

May God bless all the families and church servants through the intercession of St. Mary and St. Athanasius and the prayers of HH Pope Tawadros the second.

May God bless you.

Bishop Mina  
Bishop of Mississauga, Vancouver and Western Canada

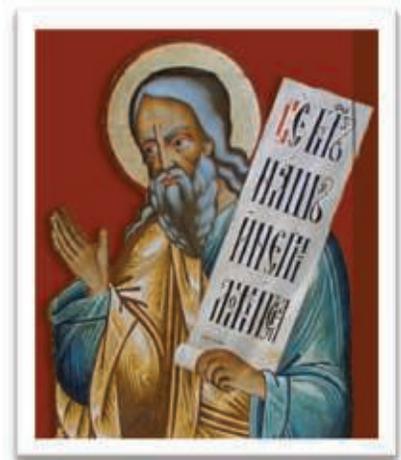
# BOOK OF HOSEA

## WHERE IN THE BIBLE?

- Preceded by the Book of Daniel
- Followed by the Book of Joel
- One of the Prophetic Books of the Old Testament (Minor Prophets)

## AUTHOR

Hosea the Prophet



## MAIN CHARACTERS

Hosea, the Prophet - Gomer as a symbol of Israel

## WHERE ARE WE?

The Northern Kingdom

## THE MINOR PROPHETS



The last 12 books of the Old Testament are known as the books of the **Minor Prophets** because they are generally shorter. They are placed after the five Major Prophets.

They were written across a period of 400 years in the history of the nation of Judah and Israel.

**Two were Prophets to the Northern Kingdom:** Amos and Hosea

**Six were Prophets to the Southern Kingdom:** Obadiah, Joel, Micah, Nahum, Zephaniah and Habakkuk

**One delivered message to a Pagan Nation:** Jonah

**Three were Postexilic Prophets:** Haggai, Zechariah and Malachi

**Hosea:** A message of Israel's condemnation followed by God's forgiveness

**Joel:** A prediction of foreign invasion as a form of judgment by God

**Amos:** A prophecy of eight pronouncements of judgment against Israel

**Obadiah:** A prophecy of the destruction of Edom

**Jonah:** A reluctant prophet who led Nineveh to repentance

**Micah:** A prediction of judgment and promise of messianic restoration

**Nahum:** A prophecy of the destruction of Nineveh

**Habakkuk:** A prophet who questioned God and praised His approaching judgment against Judah

**Zephaniah:** A prediction of destructive judgment followed by blessing

**Haggai:** A call to rebuild the Temple

**Zechariah:** A messianic prophecy calling for the completion of the Temple

**Malachi:** A prophecy of destruction followed by messianic blessing

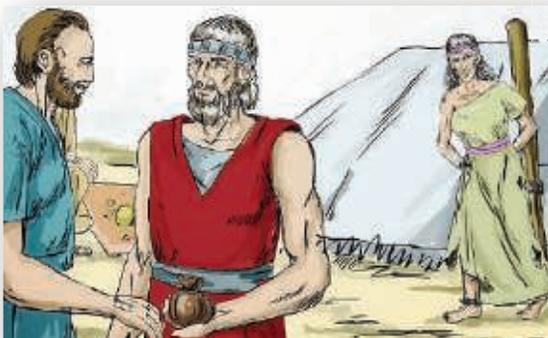
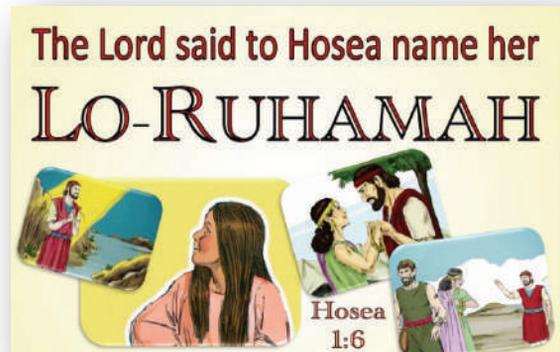
## BOOK OF HOSEA – CONT.

### WHO IS HOSEA?



- ✧ He was the son of Beeri.
  - ✧ He was from Beth Shemesh from the tribe of Issachar.
  - ✧ He lived and prophesied during the reign of King Jeroboam II of Israel – Kings Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz and Hezekiah were ruling in Judah.
  - ✧ His ministry followed soon after that of Amos.
  - ✧ He was the only prophet from the northern kingdom.
  - ✧ He ministered in the northern kingdom (Samaria) before its exile and during its fall.
  - ✧ He was a contemporary of Isaiah, Amos and Micah.
  - ✧ He prophesied in an era of spiritual and moral deterioration in the people.
  - ✧ The names of his three children indicate God's wrath against His people because of their sin and the worship of other gods.
  - ✧ He practiced prophetic ministry for more than 70 years.
  - ✧ His name means “Jehovah is salvation”
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- ✧ Hosea marries a woman named Gomer who bears him three children named by God as signs to Israel
    - Jezreel- God scatters
    - Lo-Ruhamah- Not pitied
    - Lo-Ammi- Not My people

Gomer deserts Hosea. In spite of her sin, Hosea redeems her from the slave market and restores her.



*His loyal love for Gomer  
is a reflection of God's  
concern for Israel*

## BOOK OF HOSEA – CONT.

### KEY WORD

The Loyal Love of God for Israel

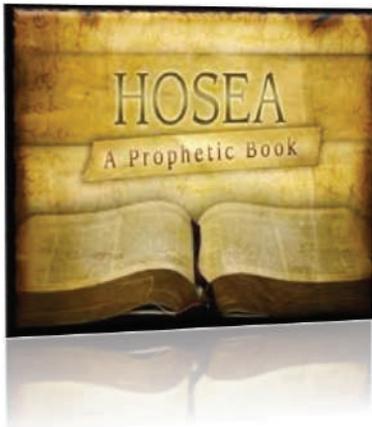


### KEY VERSES

“Come, and let us return to the Lord; for He has torn, but He will heal us; He has stricken, but He will bind us up.” Hosea 6:1

### KEY PURPOSE

The necessity to acknowledge God’s love



## KEYS

### KEY CHAPTER

#### Chapter 4

*The nation of Israel has left the knowledge of the truth and followed the idolatrous ways of their pagan neighbors. “My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge.”*

“Hear the word of the Lord, You children of Israel, For the Lord brings a charge against the inhabitants of the land: “There is no truth or mercy or knowledge of God in the land.” Hosea 4:1



Set around the fall of the Northern Kingdom of Israel, the Book of Hosea condemns the worship of gods other than the God of Israel, metaphorically comparing Israel's abandonment of God to a woman being unfaithful to her husband.

***“Yet I am the Lord your God ever since the land of Egypt, and you shall know no God but Me; for there is no Saviour besides Me.” Hosea 13:4***

Hosea's job was to speak these words during a time when they had been essentially forgotten.

# BOOK OF HOSEA – CONT.

# OUTLINE

## Unfaithful Wife and Faithful Husband Chapters 1-3

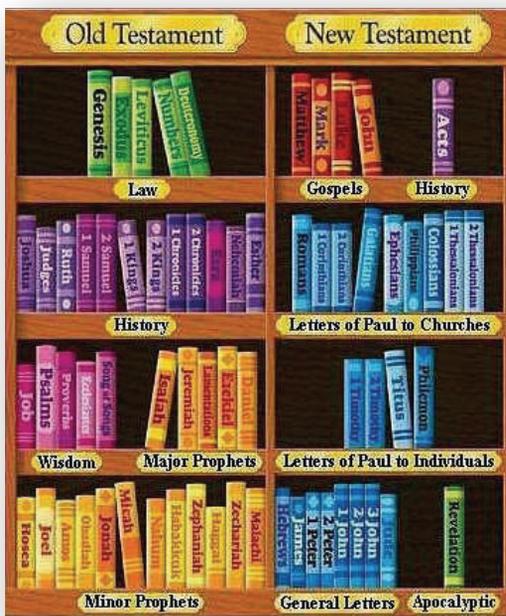
- Introduction of the book of Hosea
- The marriage of Hosea and Gomer
- The application of Gomer’s Adultery
- The restoration of Gomer to Hosea

## Unfaithful Israel and Faithful Lord Chapters 4-14

- The spiritual adultery of Israel
- The refusal of Israel to repent
- The judgment of Israel by God
- The restoration of Israel



# REFERENCES IN THE NEW TESTAMENT



- **(Hosea 1:10)**- “I will call them My people, who were not My people” (Romans 9:25).
- **(Hosea 6: 1 -3)**- A reference to the resurrection.
- **(Hosea 11: 1)**- “Out of Egypt I called My son” (Matthew 2:15).
- **(Hosea 11: 4)**- An indication of the mystery of the divine incarnation.
- **(Hosea 6: 6)**- “ I desire mercy and not sacrifice” (Matthew 9: 13, 12: 7).
- **(Hosea 13:14)**- “O Death, where is your sting?” (1 Corinthians 15:55).
- **(Hosea 10: 8)**- “ And said to the mountains and rocks fall on us and hide us” on the Day of the Lord (Revelation 6:16).

## QUESTIONS BOOK OF HOSEA

- 1- The \_\_\_\_\_ precedes the book of Hosea in the bible.
  - a) Book of Joel
  - b) Book of Daniel
  - c) Book of Job
  
- 2- In the book of Hosea, Gomer is a symbol of Israel.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 3- There are \_\_\_\_ books of Minor Prophets in the bible.
  - a) 10
  - b) 5
  - c) 12
  
- 4- The following prophets were to the Northern Kingdom:
  - a) Joel and Nahum
  - b) Amos and Hosea
  - c) Micah and Habakkuk
  
- 5- The following were postexilic prophets:
  - a) Haggai, Zechariah and Malachi
  - b) Amos, Hosea and Micah
  - c) Haggai, Zephaniah and Nahum
  
- 6- Which prophet had a message of Israel's condemnation followed by God's forgiveness?
  - a) Hosea
  - b) Joel
  - c) Amos
  
- 7- Which prophet questioned God and praised His approaching judgment against Judah?
  - a) Haggai
  - b) Habakkuk
  - c) Malachi
  
- 8- Obadiah prophesied about the destruction of Edom
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 9- All is true about Hosea EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) He was the son of Beeri
  - b) He is from Beth Shemesh from the tribe of Issachar
  - c) He prophesied during the reign of King Rehoboam
  - d) He was a contemporary of Amos and Micah
  
- 10- Hosea's name means \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Jehovah is salvation
  - b) Jehovah is my strength
  - c) Jehovah is my hope

- 11- Fill in the blank: “My people are destroyed for the lack of \_\_\_\_\_.”
- Faith
  - Knowledge
  - Repentance
- 12- In spite of Gomer’s sin, Hosea redeems her from the slave market and restores her.
- True
  - False
- 13- Fill in the blanks: “Hear the word of the Lord, You children of Israel, For the Lord brings a charge against the \_\_\_\_\_: “There is no truth or mercy or \_\_\_\_\_.” Hosea 4:1
- People of Israel, trust in the God of Israel
  - People of Israel and Judah, worship of God in the land
  - Inhabitants of the land, knowledge of God in the land
- 14- Who is NOT one of Hosea’s children?
- Jezabel
  - Lo-Ruhamah
  - Lo-Ammi
- 15- The purpose of the book of Hosea is to show the necessity to acknowledge God’s love to Israel.
- True
  - False
- 16- Fill in the blanks: “Come, and let us \_\_\_\_\_ to the Lord; for He has torn, but He will \_\_\_\_\_; He has \_\_\_\_\_, but He will bind us up” Hosea 6:1
- Go back, save us, punished us
  - Return, heal us, stricken
  - Pray, forgive us, troubled us
- 17- “Lo-Ammi” means \_\_\_\_\_.
- God scatters
  - Not pitied
  - Not My people
- 18- In 1 Corinthians 15:55 St. Paul use the same verse in Hosea 13:14 \_\_\_\_\_.
- “God loves the cheerful giver”
  - “O death, where is your sting?”
  - “I will call them My people”
- 19- Fill in the blank: “ Out of Egypt I called My Son” Hosea \_: \_
- 11:1
  - 11:4
  - 10:8
- 20- Both Hosea 6:6 and Matthew 9:13 include the same verse \_\_\_\_\_.
- “So I will punish them for their ways”
  - “And said to the mountains and rocks fall on us”
  - “I desire mercy and not sacrifice”

# BOOK OF JOEL

## WHERE IN THE BIBLE?

- Preceded by the Book of Hosea
- Followed by the Book of Amos
- One of the Prophetic Books of the Old Testament (Minor Prophets)

## MAIN CHARACTER

Joel, the Prophet

## WHO IS JOEL?

- He was the son of Pethuel
- He lived in Jerusalem in the post exile period
- He was from the tribe of Judah
- His name means “Jehovah is God”
- He was called the prophet of the Holy Spirit

No mention of kings of Judah or Israel  
No timing for his prophecy

## AUDIENCE

A Prophecy for all generations.

*“Tell your children about it, let your children tell their children, and their children another generation.” Joel 1:3*



There are about many references of Joel in the New Testament: including notable ones in Matthew 24 , in Acts 2 at the day of Pentecost, in Romans 10 concerning salvation, and in the book of Revelation.

## AUTHOR

The Prophet Joel



## WHERE ARE WE?

Judah



## BOOK OF JOEL – CONT.

# KEYS

## KEY WORD

The great and terrible Day of the Lord



“The Lord gives voice before His army, for His camp is very great; for strong is the One who executes His word. For the day of the Lord is great and very terrible; Who can endure it?” Joel 2:11

## KEY CHAPTER

### Chapter 2

*The prophet calls for Judah’s repentance and promises God’s blessings upon Judah if they do indeed turn to Him*

## KEY VERSES

“And it shall come to pass afterward that I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions. And also on My menservants and on My maidservants I will pour out My Spirit in those days.” Joel 2:28-29

## KEY IDEA

Repent with all your heart

## KEY LESSON

True repentance brings an overflow of blessings



## KEY PASSAGE

Joel 2:28-32

The Promise of the Holy Spirit

## KEY THEME

Joel uses the terrible locust plague that recently occurred in Judah to illustrate the coming day of judgment. The Lord may use natural disaster to stir His people.

## BOOK OF JOEL – CONT.

# OUTLINE



### **THE LAND IS LAID WASTE (1:1-12)**

*Joel describes the locust plague  
He calls for people to weep over the devastation*

### **A PLEA TO CRY OUT TO THE LORD (1:13-20)**

*To be led by the priests, consecrating a fast and calling the people together*

*For the present destruction is indicating the coming "day of the Lord"*

### **THE COMING "DAY OF THE LORD" (2:1-11)**

*A cry to warn the people, for the day is coming!*

### **A CALL TO REPENTANCE (2:12-17)**

*Voiced first by God Himself*

*Then elaborated upon by Joel:*

*Repent, for God Who is gracious may relent and provide a blessing*

*Make it a national repentance, led by the priests*

### **THE LORD'S PROMISE IF THERE IS REPENTANCE (2:18-20)**

*God will be zealous for His land, and show pity to the people*

*He will bless them with grain, wine, and oil*

*He will remove the "army" from the north*

### **A CALL TO COURAGE AND GLADNESS (2:21-24)**

### **THE LORD'S REASSURANCE (2:25-27)**

*God will restore what the locusts had destroyed*

*They will be blessed with plenty, and praise God for His grace*

### **WHAT SHALL COME TO PASS "AFTERWARD" (2:26-32)**

*God's Spirit will be poured out on all flesh  
Wonders in heaven and earth to appear*

*before the coming of "the day of the Lord"  
There shall be deliverance in Mount Zion and Jerusalem*

### **WHAT SHALL OCCUR "IN THOSE DAYS" (3:1-17)**

*God will judge all nations on account of His people*

*"The day of the Lord" is described...*

*The heavenly bodies are shaken*

*God's people find shelter and strength in Him*

*The Lord will be known and dwell in Zion, Jerusalem forever remaining holy*

### **WHAT SHALL COME TO PASS "IN THAT DAY" (3:18-21)**

*Judah shall be blessed by a "fountain from the house of the Lord"*

*Egypt and Edom will be desolate because of their violence*

*Judah and Jerusalem shall abide forever acquitted of their guilt*

## QUESTIONS BOOK OF JOEL

- 1- In the bible the book of Joel is followed by the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Book of Hosea
  - b) Book of Daniel
  - c) Book of Amos
  
- 2- The book of Joel is one of the Old Testament Minor Prophets books.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 3- What is the main place in the book of Joel?
  - a) Samaria
  - b) Judah
  - c) Syria
  
- 4- All is true about Joel EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) He was the son of Pethuel
  - b) He was from the tribe of Benjamin
  - c) He was called the prophet of the Holy Spirit
  
- 5- The name Joel means \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Jehovah is God
  - b) Jehovah is Salvation
  - c) Jehovah is Just
  
- 6- In the book of Joel there is no mention of the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Kings of Judah or Israel
  - b) Timing of his prophecy
  - c) a and b
  
- 7- Fill in the blanks: "Tell your \_\_\_\_\_ about it, let your \_\_\_\_\_ tell their children, and their children another \_\_\_\_\_." Joel 1:3
  - a) People, people, generation
  - b) Children, children, generation
  - c) People, children, nation
  
- 8- There is a mention of Joel's prophecy in the book of Acts chapter 2 \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) At the day of the Pentecost
  - b) At the time of Jesus' ascension
  - c) At the stoning of St. Stephen
  
- 9- Fill in the blanks: "The Lord gives \_\_\_\_\_ before His army, for His \_\_\_\_\_ is very great; for strong is the One who executes His \_\_\_\_\_." Joel 2:11
  - a) Warnings, glory, commandments
  - b) Light, army, orders
  - c) Voice, camp, word

10- Fill in the blanks: “And it shall come to pass afterward that I will pour out My \_\_\_\_ on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall \_\_\_\_\_, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see \_\_\_\_\_.” Joel 2:28-29

- a) Word, preach, revelations
- b) Spirit, prophesy, visions
- c) Heart, pray, visions

11- The key word in the book of Joel is \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) The day of the Lord
- b) The salvation of the Lord
- c) The offerings and sacrifices

12- In the first chapter Joel describes \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) A great earthquake
- b) A huge flood
- c) A locust plague

13- According to Joel what would God do if people repent?

- a) He will be zealous for His land, and show pity to the people
- b) He will bless them with grain, wine, and oil
- c) He will remove the "army" from the north
- d) All of the above

14- According to Joel chapter 3, Egypt and Edom will be desolate because of their violence.

- a) True
- b) False

15- Joel confirms that; a fountain from the house of the Lord shall bless Judah.

- a) True
- b) False

# BOOK OF AMOS

## WHERE IN THE BIBLE?

- Preceded by the Book of Joel
- Followed by the Book of Obadiah
- One of the Prophetic Books of the Old Testament (Minor Prophets)

## AUTHOR

The Prophet Amos



## MAIN CHARACTER

Amos, the Prophet

## WHERE ARE WE?

The Northern Kingdom

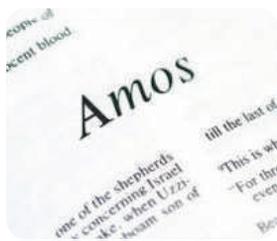
## WHO IS AMOS?

- He was from Tekoa, located 12 miles south of Jerusalem.
- He lived in a poor family as a shepherd.
- He was also a tender of Sycamore fruit.
- God called him to leave Judah and sent him to Israel.
- He prophesied in the days of King Jeroboam II of Israel.
- He was a cotemporary of Hosea and Isaiah.
- He prophesied about the earthquake and the resulting devastation 2 years before its occurrence.
- He urged the people to social justice he focused his prophecy on righteousness, justice and social reforms.
- He is known as the great prophet of righteousness.
- He is also called "the prophet of woes" as there is much talk about divine discipline.
- His name means "burden-bearer"

*"I was no prophet, nor was I a son of a prophet, but I was a sheepbreeder and a tender of sycamore fruit." Amos 7:14*



## HE WAS



**Humble:** He was not ashamed of his early life and his old modest work.

**Wise:** He spoke in simplicity with all the people for the sake of the repentance of all.

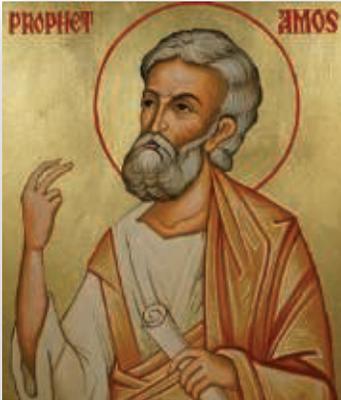
**Faithful:** He presented the word of God without flattery.

**Courageous:** He did not flee despite the threats of Amaziah, the priest of Bethel.

## BOOK OF AMOS – CONT.

### KEY WORD

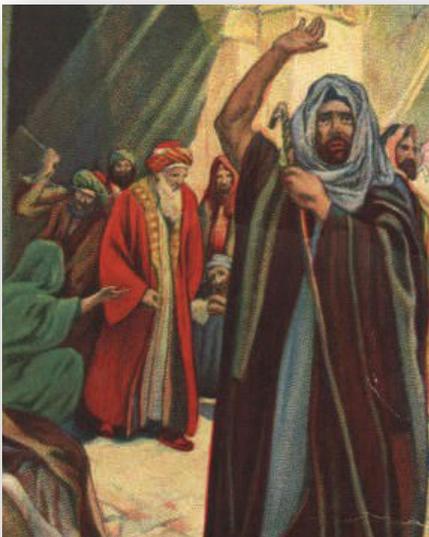
Judgment of Israel



“Hear this word that the Lord has spoken against you, O children of Israel, against the whole family which I brought up from the land of Egypt, saying:

“You only have I known of all the families of the earth; therefore I will punish you for all your iniquities.”

Amos 3:1,2



## KEYS

### KEY CHAPTER

Chapter 9

In the midst of the harshest judgments are some of the greatest prophecies of restoration of Israel

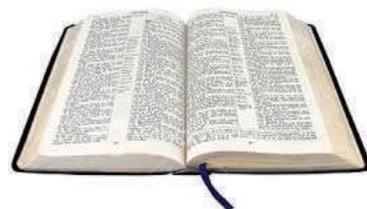
### KEY VERSES

“Behold, the days are coming,” says the Lord God, “That I will send a famine on the land not a famine of bread, nor a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the Lord. They shall wander from sea to sea, and from north to east; they shall run to and fro, seeking the word of the Lord, but shall not find it. *Amos 8:11,12*

### KEY MESSAGE

True religion is not a matter of observing feast days and offering sacrifices but seeking God’s will, treating others with justice, and following God’s commandments

*Seven times God declares:  
“ I will send a fire”  
A symbol of judgment*



## BOOK OF AMOS – CONT.

*The first prophetic book of the Bible to be written.*

# OUTLINE

### 1- Introduction to Amos (1:1,2)

### 2- The Eight Judgments (1:3 – 2:16)

- On Damascus – Gaza – Tyre – Edom  
Ammon – Moab – Judah – Israel

### 3- The Three Sermons of Judgment (3:1 – 6:14)

- The first sermon: Israel's present
- The second sermon: Israel's past
- The third sermon: Israel's future

### 4- The Five Visions of Judgment (7:1- 9:10)

- Vision of the Locusts
- Vision of the fire
- Vision of the plumb line
- Opposition of Amaziah
- Vision of the summer fruit
- Vision of the stricken doorposts

### 5- The Five Promises of Restoration (9:11-9:15)



# BACKGROUND!

There was political stability in Israel and Judah which led to the prosperity of foreign trade and raised the economic level of the two kingdoms. This led to the emergence of two classes; A very rich class who lived a life of extra luxury, and a very poor class, the peasant class from which Amos came from.

Amos' prophecy came as a social revolution against injustice, enslavement and corruption, so he could not see a rich man on a bed of ivory while the poor were sold for a pair of slippers.

The rich saw worship as offering money to the temple and offering sacrifices.

Fanatical Jewish nationalism appeared, so they thought that God favors them at the expense of the nations, whatever their wickedness. Therefore, the Prophet affirms that God is "**the God of ALL.**" He cannot bear sin whether from the Gentiles or from the Jews.

# 5 VISIONS

## Amos's Visions

*Amos 7-9*

Vision		Outcome
<b>Locusts</b> —God sends swarms of locusts that devastate Israel's crops		Amos prays and God relents on sending judgment <i>7:1-3</i>
<b>Fire</b> —God sends fire that dries up the water and devours Israel's land		Amos prays and God relents on sending judgment <i>7:4-6</i>
<b>Plumb line</b> —God compares Israel to a wall built true to plumb; God's people fail to meet his standards		God destroys Israel's high places and sanctuaries <i>7:7-9</i>
<b>Basket of ripe fruit</b> —God declares that Israel is ripe for judgment		God sends death, destruction and darkness to Israel; God refuses to answer his people <i>8:1-14</i>
<b>The Lord by the altar</b> —God tells Amos to strike the tops of the temple pillars		God destroys the Israelites, who are crushed by the collapsing temple or killed by the sword <i>9:1-10</i>

## QUESTIONS BOOK OF AMOS

- 1- In the bible the book of Amos is preceded by \_\_\_\_ and followed by \_\_\_\_.
  - a) The book of Hosea, the book of Micah
  - b) The book of Daniel, the book of Malachi
  - c) The book of Joel, the book of Obadiah
  
- 2- All is true about Amos EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) He was from Tekoa
  - b) He was called “the prophet of woes”
  - c) He was a contemporary of Hosea and Isaiah
  - d) He came from a wealthy family
  
- 3- Amos name means \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Burden-bearer
  - b) God judgment
  - c) Longsuffering
  
- 4- Amos prophesied about \_\_\_\_\_ 2 years before its occurrence.
  - a) A plague
  - b) An earthquake
  - c) A drought
  
- 5- Amos was a tender of Sycamore fruit.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 6- God called Amos to leave Judah and sent him to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Egypt
  - b) Jerusalem
  - c) Israel
  
- 7- Fill in the blanks: “I was no \_\_\_\_, nor was I a son of a prophet, but was a \_\_\_\_.” Amos 7:14
  - a) Priest, farmer
  - b) Prophet, Sheepbreeder
  - c) Prophet, messenger
  
- 8- Amos \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Spoke in simplicity with all the people
  - b) Presented the word of God without flattery
  - c) a and b
  
- 9- Amaziah the priest of Bethel encouraged Amos and supported him.
  - a) True
  - b) False

- 10- As a symbol of judgment God declares that \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) He will send a flood
  - b) He will send a fire
  - c) None of the above
- 11- In the midst of the harsh judgments are some greatest prophecies of restoration of Israel.
- a) True
  - b) False
- 12- Fill in the blanks: “Behold, the days are coming, says the Lord God, That I will send a famine on the land not a famine of \_\_\_\_\_, nor a thirst of \_\_\_\_\_, but of \_\_\_\_\_.” Amos 8:11
- a) Food, drink, believing the word of God
  - b) Bread, water, hearing the words of the Lord
  - c) Food, drink, believe and trust in the Lord
- 13- Amos message confirmed that God couldn’t bear sin whether from Gentiles or Jews.
- a) True
  - b) False
- 14- During the time of Amos’ prophecy the people were divided into \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) Believers and non-believers
  - b) Rich and poor
  - c) a and b
- 15- What was the outcome of Amos vision of plumb line?
- a) God destroys Israel’s high places and sanctuaries
  - b) God destroys the Israelites
  - c) God sends death and darkness to Israel
- 16- How many visions did Amos saw?
- a) 7
  - b) 4
  - c) 5
- 17- The book of Amos had sermons about \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) Israel’s present
  - b) Israel’s past
  - c) Israel’s future
  - d) All of the above
- 18- What of the following was not one of Amos’ visions?
- a) Locusts
  - b) Frogs
  - c) Fire
  - d) Basket of ripe fruit
- 19- The book of Amos was the last prophetic book to be written in the bible.
- a) True
  - b) False
- 20- The book of Amos contains judgments on Gentiles nations.
- a) True
  - b) False

# BOOK OF OBADIAH

## WHERE IN THE BIBLE?

- Preceded by the Book of Amos
- Followed by the Book of Jonah
- One of the Prophetic Books of the Old Testament (Minor Prophets)

## MAIN CHARACTER

Obadiah, the Prophet

## WHO IS OBADIAH?

- One of the Minor Prophets of the Old Testament.
- He lived in the period following the capture and destruction of Jerusalem.
- His name means “Servant of the Lord”

## OUTLINES

### Verses 1-9

The Prediction of Judgment of Edom

### Verses 10-14

The Reasons for the Judgment of Edom

### Verses 15-18

The Results of the Judgment of Edom

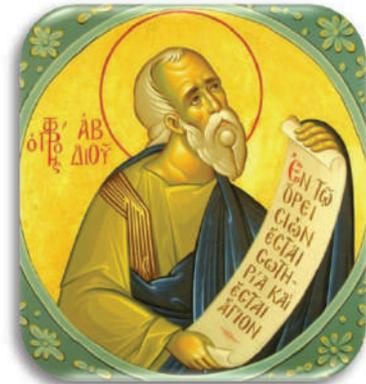
### Verses 19-21

The Possession of Edom by Israel

*The closing verses give hope to God's people that they will possess not only their own land, but also that of Edom and Philistia.*

## AUTHOR

The Prophet Obadiah



## WHERE ARE WE?

Israel and Edom

*The shortest Book in  
the Old Testament*



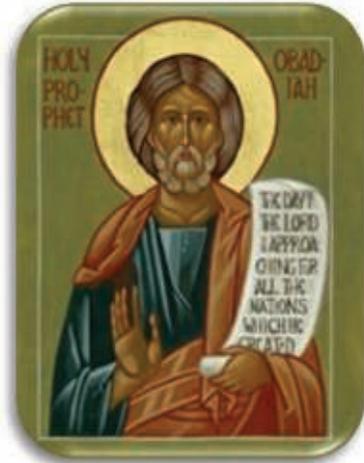
*“As you have done, it  
shall be done to you.”  
Obadiah 1:15*

# BOOK OF OBADIAH – CONT.

# KEYS

## KEY WORD

Judgment of Edom



## KEY VERSES

“For violence against your brother Jacob, Shame shall cover you, And you shall be cut off forever.”  
Obadiah 1:10

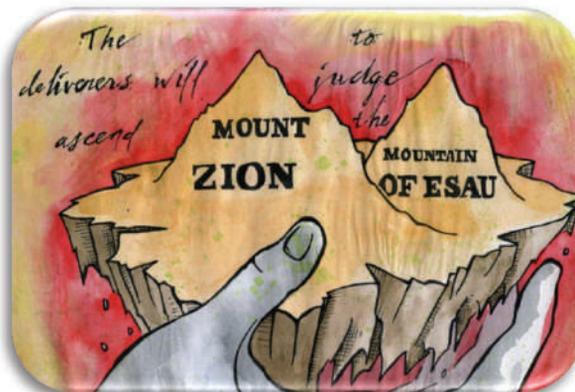
Then saviors shall come to Mount Zion To judge the mountains of Esau, And the kingdom shall be the Lord’s.  
Obadiah 1:21

*God promise to protect His people is affirmed in the book of Obadiah as God keeps faith to His people in spite of their unworthiness and disobedience*

## KEY THEME

Declaration of Edom’s coming doom because of its arrogance and cruelty to Judah.

“Behold, I will make you small among the nations; You shall be greatly despised.” Obadiah 1:2



## BOOK OF OBADIAH – CONT.

The word **Edom** means "red", and the Bible relates it to the name of its founder, Esau, the elder son of Isaac, because he was born "red all over". As a young adult, he sold his birthright to his brother Jacob for "red pottage". The Edomites are descendants of Esau. The Israelites are descendants of Jacob.

# NOTES

**The Book of Obadiah tells us the story of a struggle between twins that spanned for many generations, between two nations:**

- Genesis 25:26 Jacob grabbed Esau's heel.
- Genesis 25:27 Jacob was a perfect man who lives in tents, Esau was a hunter a wild man.
- Genesis 25:33 Jacob bought the birthright of Esau, Esau underestimated the birthright.
- Genesis 27:36 Jacob stole his father's blessing, Esau cried bitterly.
- Genesis 27, 43 Jacob fled from Esau, Esau wanted to kill Jacob.
- Genesis 33 Jacob gave a gift to deflect Esau's anger, Esau departed from his anger.



- Numbers 20:14 Under Moses, Edom refused to let Israel go through their land.
- 1 Samuel 14:47 Saul struck Edom.
- 1 Chronicles 18:13 Edom was conquered by David
- 1 Kings 9:26 Solomon used the land of Edom.
- 2 Chronicles 20: 1 Edom was defeated by Joram.
- 2 Chronicles 20:22 Amaziah killed 10 thousand Edomites.
- 2 Kings 8:20 Edom fought Judah.
- 2 Kings 8:22 Edom rebelled against Judah.
- Psalm 137: 7 Edom rejoiced over the destruction of Jerusalem.

*Obadiah makes it clear that the coming overthrowing of Edom is inevitable. Edom is arrogant because of its secure position in Mount Seir. Nothing will prevent God's complete judgment. Major crime was gloating over the invasion of Jerusalem. Edom rejoiced when foreigners plundered Jerusalem. Edom participated in the looting of Jerusalem after the city fell*



## QUESTIONS BOOK OF OBADIAH

- 1- In the bible the book of Obadiah is followed by the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Book of Amos
  - b) Book of Jonah
  - c) Book of Hosea
  
- 2- The book of Obadiah is one of the Minor Prophets books in the Old Testament.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 3- What are the main places in the book of Obadiah?
  - a) Jerusalem and Tyre
  - b) Judah and Babylon
  - c) Israel and Edom
  
- 4- Obadiah lived in the period \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Before the capture and destruction of Jerusalem
  - b) Following the capture and destruction of Jerusalem
  
- 5- Obadiah's name means \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Servant of the Lord
  - b) Salvation of the Lord
  - c) None of the above
  
- 6- The book of Obadiah is the shortest book in the Old Testament.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 7- Fill in the blank: "As you have done, \_\_\_\_\_." Obadiah 1:15
  - a) You shall be rewarded
  - b) You will see judgment
  - c) It shall be done to you
  
- 8- The book of Obadiah close with a message of hope to God's people.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 9- Fill in the blanks: "For \_\_\_\_\_ against your brother \_\_\_\_\_, shame shall cover you and you shall be \_\_\_\_\_ forever. Obadiah 1:10
  - a) Sin, Esau, punished
  - b) Violence, Jacob, cut off
  - c) Cruelty, Israel, destroyed

10- Fill in the blanks: "Then saviors shall come to \_\_\_\_\_ to judge the mountains of \_\_\_\_\_, and the kingdom shall be the Lord's." Obadiah 1:21

- a) Israel, Seirs
- b) Mount Sinai, Zion
- c) Mount Zion, Esau

11- The key word in the book of Obadiah is the judgment of \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Syria
- b) Edom
- c) Egypt

12- The Edomites are descendants of Jacob. The Israelites are descendants of Esau.

- a) True
- b) False

13- All is true about Jacob EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Jacob bought the birthright of Esau
- b) Jacob fled from Esau
- c) Jacob wanted to kill Esau
- d) Jacob stole his father's blessing

14- All is true about Edom EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Under Moses, Edom refused to let Israel go through their land
- b) David conquered Edom
- c) Edom fought Judah
- d) Edom mourned over the destruction of Jerusalem

15- Edom was arrogant because of its secure position in \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Mount Seir
- b) Mount Zion
- c) Mount Sinai

# BOOK OF JONAH

## WHERE IN THE BIBLE?

- Preceded by the Book of Obadiah
- Followed by the Book of Micah
- One of the Prophetic Books of the Old Testament (Minor Prophets)

## MAIN CHARACTER

Jonah the Prophet

## WHO IS JONAH?

- He was the son of Amittai.
- It is said that he was the son of the widow whom Elijah raised from the dead.
- He was from the village of Gath-Hepher in Israel.
- He prophesied during the reign of Jeroboam II of Israel.
- He was a prophet of Israel, Northern Kingdom.
- He was a contemporary of the prophet Amos.
- He visited Nineveh during the glorious days of the Assyrian empire.
- He was driven to Nineveh against his will.
- God worked miracles to preserve his life so he could get to Nineveh to carry out God's orders.
- His name means "dove"

*One single prophecy "Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown"*



## AUTHOR

The Prophet Jonah



## WHERE ARE WE?

The Sea - Nineveh



The Book of Jonah.

It is a story, not a sermon.

It contains hardly any prophecy at all... only one line.

But Jonah isn't all about repentance.

It is also a story of God's compassion for ALL peoples, not just Israel.

## BOOK OF JONAH – CONT.

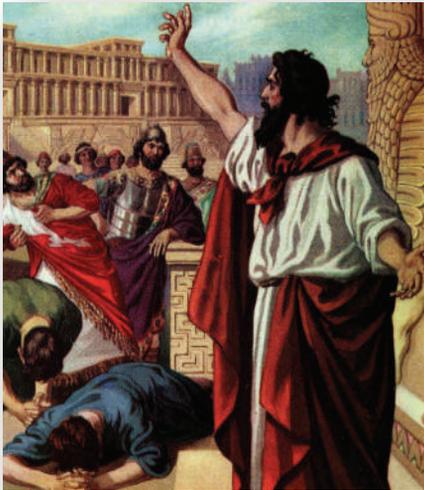
### KEY WORD

The Revival of Nineveh

### KEY CHAPTER

#### Chapter 3

Records the greatest revival of all time as the entire city of Nineveh believes God and proclaims fast and cries out to God



### KEY MESSAGE

- God can use people who do not want to be used by Him
- God desires to show mercy and grace to all the peoples of the world

*God's loving concern for the Gentiles is not a truth disclosed only in the New Testament.*

## KEYS



### KEY VERSES

“Those who regard worthless idols forsake their own Mercy. But I will sacrifice to You with the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay what I have vowed. Salvation *is* of the Lord.” Jonah 2:8,9

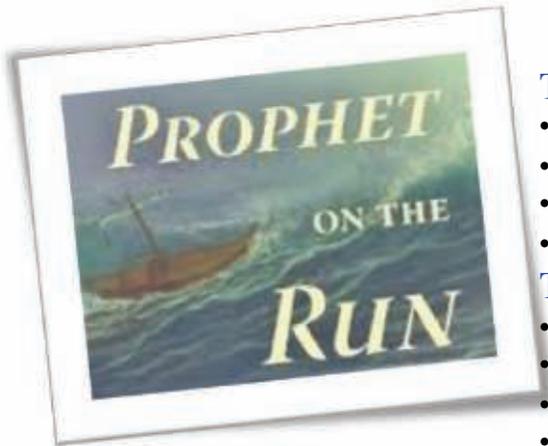
“So he prayed to the Lord, and said, “Ah, Lord , was not this what I said when I was still in my country? Therefore I fled previously to Tarshish; for I know that You are a gracious and merciful God, slow to anger and abundant in lovingkindness, One who relents from doing harm.” Jonah 4:2

*Jesus drew a parallel between the three days and three nights in the heart of the earth He would face after the crucifixion and Jonah's days and nights inside the fish.*



## BOOK OF JONAH – CONT.

# OUTLINE



### The 1<sup>st</sup> Commission of Jonah Chapter 1-2

- The disobedience to the first call
- The judgment on Jonah is exacted
- The prayer of Jonah
- The deliverance of Jonah

### The 2<sup>nd</sup> Commission of Jonah Chapter 3-4

- The obedience to the second call
- The Judgment of Nineveh is averted
- The prayer of Jonah
- The rebuke of Jonah by God

Chapter 1- God directs Jonah, Jonah disobeys

Chapter 2- God has compassion on Jonah

Chapter 3- Jonah preaches to Nineveh,  
Nineveh repents

Chapter 4- God has compassion on Nineveh,  
but Jonah does not



## 2 EPISODES

### Jonah 1-2, God's Compassion to Jonah

1. God Sends Jonah to Nineveh.
2. Jonah disobeys
3. God's judgment comes after Jonah in a storm. Jonah tells his shipmates that the storm is from the Hebrew God.
4. The sailors pray to Him, "do not let us perish"
5. The storm subsides, and crew is spared.
6. Jonah prays to God when he is in trouble, in the fish.
7. Jonah is answered: the fish spits him into dry land.

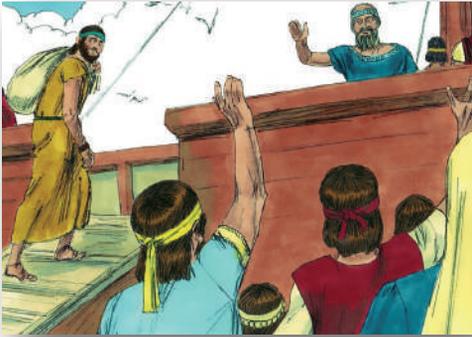
### Jonah 3-4, God's compassion through Jonah

1. God sends Jonah to Nineveh.
2. Jonah obeys.
3. Jonah warns that God's judgment is coming to Nineveh.
4. Nineveh repents and calls on God "so that they will not perish."
5. God relents, and Nineveh is spared.
6. Jonah prays to God when he is in trouble, in the scorching heat.
7. Jonah is answered: God rebukes him for not having compassion on Nineveh

## BOOK OF JONAH – CONT.

Nineveh was the capital of Assyria, and a place of great wickedness. So the Lord tells Jonah to “Arise, go to Nineveh, and cry against it”

**But Jonah does something entirely unexpected!**



He boards a ship headed in the opposite direction. The Lord sends a mighty storm after him, which threatens to destroy the ship. Jonah confesses to the sailors that he is a Hebrew, and that he is trying to escape God’s presence.

**He proposed a solution!**

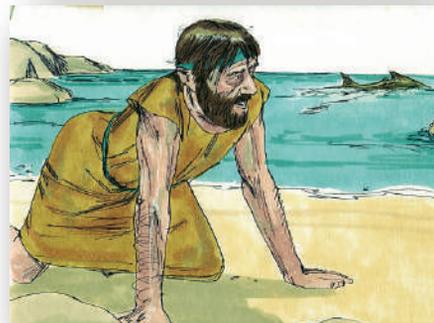
“Pick me up and throw me into the sea. Then the sea will become calm for you”. They do so, and the sea calms! And all the sailors recognize the God who spared them.



**Then comes the part that we all know!**

Jonah is swallowed by a “great fish.” He prays from within the fish, and God has it vomit him onto the land.

# SUMMARY



**Now we are back to square one!**

God tells Jonah to arise and go to Nineveh, and this time Jonah obeys. He walks through the evil city, proclaiming Nineveh’s impending doom: in just 40 days, Nineveh will be overthrown



**The Ninevites do the unexpected!**

They repent. And God forgives them.

**But Jonah is not OK with this!!**

## QUESTIONS BOOK OF JONAH

- 1- In the bible the book of Jonah is preceded by the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Book of Micah
  - b) Book of Obadiah
  - c) Book of Jeremiah
  
- 2- The book of Jonah is one of the Major Prophets books in the Old Testament.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 3- Instead of going to Nineveh Jonah decided to go to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Tarshish
  - b) Jerusalem
  - c) Samaria
  
- 4- All is true about Jonah EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) He was the son of Amittai
  - b) He was from the village of Gath-Hepher in Israel
  - c) He was a contemporary of the prophet Amos
  - d) He prophesied during the reign of Hezekiah of Israel
  
- 5- Jonah's name means \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Big
  - b) Rock
  - c) Dove
  
- 6- The book of Jonah has one single prophecy "\_\_\_\_\_".
  - a) Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown
  - b) Return to God and He will return to you
  - c) The Assyrians will destroy Nineveh
  
- 7- The key message in the book of Jonah is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) God can use people who do not want to be used by Him
  - b) God desires to show mercy and grace to all the peoples of the world
  - c) a and b
  
- 8- This chapter in the book of Jonah records the greatest revival of all time as the entire city of Nineveh believes God and proclaims fast and cries out to God.
  - a) Chapter 4
  - b) Chapter 2
  - c) Chapter 3
  
- 9- Our Lord Jesus says that Jonah's restoration after 3 days inside the great fish prefigures His own resurrection.
  - a) True
  - b) False

- 10- Fill in the blanks: “But I will sacrifice to You with the voice of \_\_\_\_\_; I will pay what I have \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ is of the Lord.” Jonah 2: 9
- a) Praises, promised, forgiveness
  - b) Thanksgiving, vowed, salvation
  - c) Rejoice, swore, deliverance
- 11- What did the mariners do to try to save the ship during the storm?
- a) Sailed toward land
  - b) Dropped the anchor
  - c) Threw their cargo overboard
- 12- What did Jonah tell the men of the ship to do so the sea would become calm?
- a) To pray
  - b) To fast
  - c) All of the above
  - d) None of the above
- 13- When did the sea calm?
- a) When Jonah prayed for them
  - b) When they threw Jonah overboard
  - c) When they offered sacrifices
- 14- How many days was Jonah in the belly of the great fish?
- a) 3 days
  - b) 2 days
  - c) None of the above
- 15- What did Jonah do in the belly of the fish?
- a) He slept
  - b) He prayed
  - c) None of the above
- 16- What did the fish do to Jonah?
- a) It made him seasick
  - b) It spit him up in the water close to the land
  - c) It vomited him up upon the dry land
- 17- How did the people of Nineveh respond to Jonah’s message?
- a) They believed God
  - b) They proclaimed a fast
  - c) They put on sackcloth
  - d) All of the above

- 18- What was Jonah's reaction to the way the people of Nineveh responded?
- a) He was displeased
  - b) He rejoiced
  - c) He thanked God
- 19- What did Jonah do while he waited to see Nineveh's fate?
- a) He prayed
  - b) He made himself a shelter
  - c) He slept
- 20- God made a plant for Jonah to serve him as a shade.
- a) True
  - b) False
- 21- How many of the city's inhabitants could not "discern their left hand from their right hand"?
- a) More than one hundred and twenty thousand
  - b) More than one million
  - c) One hundred and twenty thousand
- 22- How many times did God ask Jonah "Is it right for you to be angry?"
- a) One time
  - b) Two times
  - c) None of the above
- 23- What did God do when He saw the works of the people of Nineveh?
- a) He ignored them
  - b) He punished them
  - c) He forgave them
- 24- What did Jonah know were the qualities of God?
- a) Gracious
  - b) Merciful
  - c) Slow to anger
  - d) All of the above
- 25- God rebukes Jonah for not having compassion on Nineveh.
- a) True
  - b) False

# BOOK OF MICAH

## WHERE IN THE BIBLE?

- Preceded by the Book of Jonah
- Followed by the Book of Nahum
- One of the Prophetic Books of the Old Testament (Minor Prophets)

## MAIN CHARACTER

Micah, the Prophet

## WHERE ARE WE?

Judah and Israel

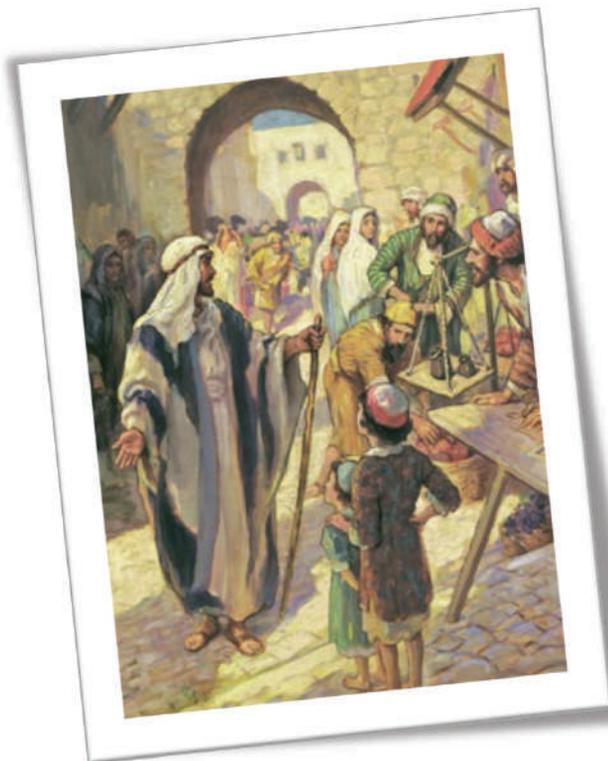
## AUTHOR

The Prophet Micah



## WHO IS MICAH?

- He was from a village called Moresheth-Gath in southwest Judah
- He was called Micah the Morashti
- He was from the tribe of Judah
- He was a contemporary of prophets Isaiah and Hosea
- He prophesied during the reign of Jotham, Ahaz and Hezekiah kings of Judah
- He prophesied for 60 years
- He lived in a rural area, and often rebuked the corruption of city life in Israel and Judah
- He lived to see the fall of Samaria
- His name means “who is like God”



*Jeremiah the Prophet (Jeremiah 26: 18), the priests at the coming of the Magi (Matthew 2: 5, 6) and our Lord Jesus when sending the disciples (Matthew 10: 35,36) quoted from the Book of Micah.*

## BOOK OF MICAH – CONT.

# KEYS

## KEY WORD

Hear

The judgment and restoration of Judah

## KEY VERSES

“Hear, all you peoples! Listen, O earth, and all that is in it! Let the Lord God be a witness against you, the Lord from His holy temple.” Micah 1:2

“He has shown you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with your God?” Micah 6:8

“Who is a God like You, pardoning iniquity and passing over the transgression of the remnant of His heritage? He does not retain His anger forever, because He delights in mercy.” Micah 7:18

## KEY MESSAGE

Micah’s message was to both Israel and Judah. It was addressed to their capitals Samaria and Jerusalem. The main idea:

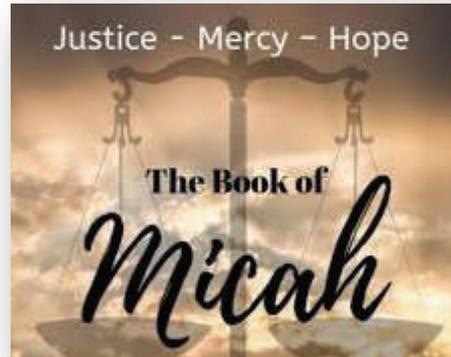
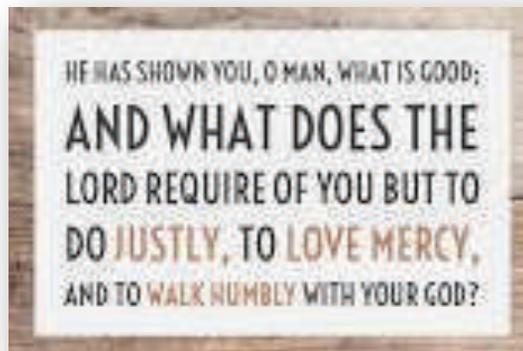
- Their sins
- Their destruction
- Their restoration

## KEY CHAPTER

Chapter 7

Confession and intercession

## THE GOLDEN RULE OF THE OLD TESTAMENT



## BOOK OF MICAH – CONT.

### The Prediction of Judgment 1-3

- Introduction of the book of Micah
- The judgment of the people
- The judgment of the leadership

### The Prediction of the Restoration 4-5

- The promise of the coming kingdom
- The promise of the coming captivities
- The promise of the coming king

### The Plea for Repentance 6-7

- The first plea of God
- The second plea of God
- The promise of final salvation

### Micah is unique for the number and precision of his prophecies:

- The fall of the Northern Kingdom 1:6-7
- The invasion of Judah by Sennacherib 1:9-12
- The destruction of Jerusalem and the Temple 3:12
- Judah's Babylonian captivity 4:10
- Judah's return from captivity 4:10
- The exact name of Christ's place of birth 5:2

# OUTLINE

## Big Ideas in MICAH

God judges sin

God will not protect his people from the consequences of their actions

God will forgive and restore his people by bringing them back from Babylon

How people treat others reflects the state of their hearts

God promises to send a Savior



### The Closing Section Describes a Courtroom Scene.

God has a controversy against His people and He calls the mountain and hills together to form the jury as He sets forth His case.

There can be only one verdict: **Guilty.**

Nevertheless the book closes on a note of **Hope.**

The same God who executes judgment also delights to extend **Mercy.**

God's justice will triumph and the **Divine Deliverer** will come.

## BOOK OF MICAH – CONT.

# CONTENT

The book includes prophecies about the destruction of Samaria and Jerusalem, but also prophecies about the future glory of Jerusalem (The Messianic Glory).



### Disciplinary Prophecies, chapters 1-3:

When Israel (capital, Samaria) and Judah (capital, Jerusalem) did evil, the Lord disciplined them.

1. When the Lord disciplines, He is coming out of His place (1: 3).
2. He allowed Shalmaneser's victory over Samaria and Sennacherib going against Judah. He stopped the spirit of prophecy and allowed the destruction of Jerusalem.

3. With discipline, God reveals the cause so it could be cured:

- Pride and injustice
- Rejecting the true prophet and accepting the sweetened words of the false prophets
- The Leaders and judges hate the truth
- The prophets lie and the priests are paid

### Messianic Prophecies chapters 4-7

1. Christ is the Holy Mountain (4: 1) on whom the Holy City (5:14), that is, the Church, is established.

2. He opens the door to the nations (4: 1,2).

3. He gives inner peace (4: 3-5; 5: 10-11).

4. He cares about the lame, the outcast and the weak. He came for the sinners.(4: 6).

5. He reigns over Zion (the heart) forever (4: 8).

6. He invites the Church to go out into the wilderness, in order to defeat the devil, not as captive, but victorious (4:10).

7. With the child of Bethlehem Ephrat (5: 1-2) the believer becomes “like a lion among the beast of the forest” (5: 8) carrying the spirit of victory, not human weapons. “I will cut off your horses from your midst and destroy your chariots.” (5: 10).

God is not pleased with the worship or the offerings in themselves. Rather, He seeks the heart: ***“Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, ten thousand rivers of oil? (6: 7, 8).***

God is calling us to rise from our fall and to praise Him. ***“Who is a God like You, pardoning iniquity and passing over the transgression of the remnant of His heritage? He does not retain His anger forever, because He delights in mercy He will again have compassion on us, and will subdue our iniquities. (7:18,19)***



## QUESTIONS BOOK OF MICAH

- 1- In the bible the book of Micah is followed by \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) The book of Habakkuk
  - b) The book of Jonah
  - c) The book of Nahum
  
- 2- The book of Micah is one of the Minor Prophets books of the Old Testament.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 3- What are the main places in the book of Micah?
  - a) Syria and Babylon
  - b) Judah and Israel
  - c) Egypt and Edom
  
- 4- Micah's name means \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Who is like God?
  - b) God is salvation
  - c) The mercy of God
  
- 5- Micah lived in a rural area, and rebuked the corruption of city life in Israel and Judah.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 6- All is true about Micah EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) He was called Micah the Morashti
  - b) He was from the tribe of Judah
  - c) He was a contemporary of Hosea
  - d) He prophesied for 10 years only
  
- 7- Micah prophesied during the reign of \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) King Jotham
  - b) King Ahaz
  - c) King Hezekiah
  - d) b and c
  - e) All of the above
  
- 8- Micah lived to see the fall of Samaria.
  - a) True
  - b) False
  
- 9- Fill in the blanks: "Hear, all you \_\_\_\_\_! Listen, O earth, and all that is in it! Let the \_\_\_\_\_ be a witness against you, the Lord from \_\_\_\_\_." Micah 1:2
  - a) Nations, God of Israel, heaven and earth
  - b) Peoples, Lord God, His holy temple
  - c) Israel, Lord of host, all nations

10- Fill in the blanks: “what does the Lord require of you but to \_\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, and to \_\_\_\_\_ with your God?” Micah 6:8

- a) What is right, love the poor, be humble
- b) Mercy, love the truth, walk faithfully
- c) Justly, love mercy, walk humbly

11- At the coming of the Magi (Matthew 2), the priests quoted from the book of Micah.

- a) True
- b) False

12- Samaria was the capital of \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Judah
- b) Israel

13- Fill in the blanks: “He does not retain His \_\_\_\_\_ forever, because He delights in \_\_\_\_\_.”  
Micah 7:18

14- The key word in the book of Micah is about the judgment and restoration of Israel.

- a) True
- b) False

15- Micah prophesied about \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) The fall of the Northern Kingdom
- b) The destruction of Jerusalem and the temple
- c) Judah’s return from captivity
- d) All of the above

16- Micah prophesied about the exact name of Christ’s place of birth.

- a) True
- b) False

17- Micah’s Messianic prophecies include \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Christ opens the door to the nations
- b) Christ came for the sinners
- c) Christ reigns over Zion forever
- d) b and c
- e) All of the above

18- God disciplined His people because \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Of their pride and injustice
- b) They rejected true prophets and accepted false prophets
- c) a and b

19- God seeks the heart; He is not pleased with the worship or the offerings in themselves.

- a) True
- b) False

20- The book of Micah closes with \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) A judgment of destruction
- b) A promise of a divine deliverer
- c) None of the above

ANSWERS KEY

Book of Hosea	Book of Joel	Book of Amos	Book of Obadiah	Book of Jonah	Book of Micah
1- b	1- c	1- c	1- b	1- b	1- c
2- a	2- a	2- d	2- a	2- b	2- a
3- c	3- b	3- a	3- c	3- a	3- b
4- b	4- b	4- b	4- b	4- d	4- a
5- a	5- a	5- a	5- a	5- c	5- a
6- a	6- c	6- c	6- a	6- a	6- d
7- b	7- b	7- b	7- c	7- c	7- e
8- a	8- a	8- c	8- a	8- c	8- a
9- c	9- c	9- b	9- b	9- a	9- b
10- a	10- b	10- b	10- c	10- b	10- c
11- b	11- a	11- a	11- b	11- c	11- a
12- a	12- c	12- b	12- b	12- d	12- b
13- c	13- d	13- a	13- c	13- b	13- Anger, mercy
14- a	14- a	14- b	14- d	14- a	14- b
15- a	15- a	15- a	15- a	15- b	15- d
16- b		16- c		16- c	16- a
17- c		17- d		17- d	17- e
18- b		18- b		18- a	18- c
19- a		19- b		19- b	19- a
20- c		20- a		20- a	
				21- a	
				22- b	
				23- c	
				24- d	
				25- a	





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