



AMOS

TRUE WORSHIP of GOD should always lead to JUSTICE, RIGHTEOUSNESS, & LOVING OUR NEIGHBOR

EXPLORING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN GOD'S JUSTICE & MERCY

HE MUST CONFRONT EVIL AMONG ISRAEL & THE NATIONS

HIS LONG-TERM PURPOSES ARE FOR RESTORATION & A NEW FAMILY

1-2 MESSAGE TO THE NATIONS & ISRAEL



3-6 MESSAGE TO ISRAEL & ITS LEADERS

3-2 "I CHOSE YOU, ISRAEL, FROM AMONG ALL THE FAMILIES OF THE EARTH, AND THIS IS WHY I WILL PUNISH YOU FOR ALL YOUR SIN."

ALLUSION to GENESIS 12 ISRAEL SHOULD BE A BLESSING TO ALL NATIONS.

EXPOSURE OF RELIGIOUS HYPOCRISY

IT'S ALL A SHAM!

"LET JUSTICE FLOW LIKE A RIVER, AND RIGHTEOUSNESS LIKE AN UNFAILING STREAM..." (5:24)

HEBREW: MISHPAT ACTIONS TAKEN TO CORRECT INJUSTICE

HEBREW: TSEDQAQ RIGHT RELATIONSHIPS EQUITY DESPITE SOCIAL DIFFERENCE

GREAT CALLING + GREAT RESPONSIBILITY = GREAT CONSEQUENCES

(SEE 1 KINGS 12)

ACCUSATIONS OF IDOLATRY

WORSHIP OF THESE GODS LEADS TO INJUSTICE...

... BUT NOT THE GOD OF ISRAEL

"SEEK ME THAT YOU MAY LIVE." (5:4)

"SEEK GOOD, NOT EVIL, THAT YOU MAY LIVE." (5:14)

ANNOUNCING THE DAY OF THE LORD

AMOS & THE PROPHETS

40 YEARS LATER... (IN 2 KINGS 17)

ARMIES OF ASSYRIA

7-9 AMOS' VISIONS

SYMBOLIC DEPICTIONS OF THE DAY OF THE LORD

SCORCHING FIRE

LOCUST SWARM

OVERRIPE FRUIT

God

A GLIMMER OF HOPE

9:11-5

HOUSE OF DAVID

FUTURE MESSIANIC KINGDOM

GOD'S KINGDOM OVER ALL NATIONS