



AMOS

1-2 MESSAGE TO THE NATIONS & ISRAEL

1-2a ACCUSATIONS AGAINST THE NATIONS

1-2b ACCUSATIONS AGAINST ISRAEL

THE WEALTHY IGNORE THE POOR

...and SCILL THEM INTO DEBT SLAVERY

...and DENY THEM LEGAL REPRESENTATION

THE PARTY'S OVER!

ISRAEL

TYRE DAMASCUS AMMON MOAB EDOM JUDAH GAZA

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 UNFALLING STREAM... (5:24)

HEBREW: MISHPAT ACTIONS TAKEN TO CORRECT INJUSTICE

HEBREW: TSEDAQAH RIGHT RELATIONSHIPS EQUITY DESPITE SOCIAL DIFFERENCE

GREAT CALLING + GREAT RESPONSIBILITY = GREAT CONSEQUENCES

ACCUSATIONS OF IDOLATRY

WORSHIP OF THESE GODS LEADS TO INJUSTICE...

...BUT NOT THE GOD OF ISRAEL

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

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

ANNOUNCING THE DAY OF THE LORD

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

AMOS & THE PROPHETS

ARMIES OF ASSYRIA

7-9 AMOS' VISIONS

EXPLORING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN GOD'S JUSTICE & MERCY

HE MUST CONFRONT EVIL AMONG ISRAEL & THE NATIONS

SYMBOLIC DEPICTIONS OF THE DAY OF THE LORD

SCORCHING FIRE

LOCUST SWARM

OVERRIDE FRUIT

GOD

9:11 IS A SUMMER OF HOPE

HOUSE OF DAVID

FUTURE MESSIANIC KINGDOM

GODS KINGDOM OVER ALL NATIONS