

Amos

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*The words of Amos, who was among the shepherds of Tekoa, which he saw concerning Israel in the days of Uzziah king of Judah and in the days of Jeroboam the son of Joash, king of Israel, two years before the earthquake. Amos 1:1*

*Thus says the Lord: "For three transgressions of Israel, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment, because they sell the righteous for silver, and the needy for a pair of sandals those who trample the head of the poor into the dust of the earth and turn aside the way of the afflicted; a man and his father go in to the same girl, so that my holy name is profaned; Amos 2:6-7*

God's 1st Reminder

*Hear this word that the Lord has spoken against you, O people of Israel, against the whole family that I brought up out of the land of Egypt: "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*

*"For the Lord God does nothing without revealing his secret to his servants the prophets. Amos 3:7*

God's Other Reminders

*"Hear this word, you cows of Bashan, who are on the mountain of Samaria, who oppress the poor, who crush the needy... Amos 4:1*

Amos 4:6-11

*"Therefore thus I will do to you, O Israel; because I will do this to you, prepare to meet your God, O Israel!" Amos 4:12*

God's 1st Call to Return

*Seek good, and not evil, that you may live; and so the Lord, the God of hosts, will be with you, as you have said. Hate evil, and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that the Lord, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph. Amos 5:14-15*