

The Book of Amos

Key Verses:

Amos 3:3 Can two walk together, except they be agreed?

Amos 4:12 Therefore thus will I do unto thee, O Israel: and because I will do this unto thee, **prepare to meet thy God**, O Israel.

Amos 5:24 But let **judgment** run down as waters, and **righteousness** as a mighty stream.

Introduction to Amos

- **Main Purpose:** to Pronounce _____ on the Northern Kingdom of Israel (Israel)
- **Author:** Amos
- **To Whom Written:** Israel – the _____ Tribe
- **Date Written:** _____ BC (during the reigns of Jeroboam II, king of Israel, and Uzziah, king of Judah)
- **Key People:** _____, Amaziah and Jereboam II
- **Key Places:** _____ and Samaria
- **Contemporary with:** _____ and Hosea in the North; Isaiah and _____ in the South
- **Amos presents God as the _____ of this world and declares that all nations are responsible to Him.**
- **Number of Chapters:** _____
- **Number of Verses:** _____

Amos 7:10–15

10 Then Amaziah the priest of Bethel sent to Jeroboam king of Israel, saying, **Amos hath conspired against thee** in the midst of the house of Israel: the land is not able to bear all his words.

11 For thus Amos saith, **Jeroboam shall die by the sword**, and **Israel shall surely be led away captive out of their own land**.

12 Also Amaziah said unto Amos, O thou seer, go, flee thee away into the land of Judah, and there eat bread, and prophesy there:

13 But prophesy not again any more at **Bethel**: for it is **the king's chapel**, and it is the king's court.

14 Then answered Amos, and said to Amaziah, **I was no prophet**, neither was I a **prophet's son**; but I was an **herdman**(*bo-kare'* – herdman; _____), and a **gatherer of sycamore) fruit**(*shik-maw'* = Mulberry _____):

15 And the **Lord took me as I followed the flock**, and the Lord said unto me, Go, prophesy unto my people Israel.

About the Author:

- Amos was born in _____, the southern kingdom,
- He was a prophet to the _____ kingdom.
- His message was delivered in _____ at the king's chapel.
- Amos was with the _____ (*no-kade'* = the owner that _____ them) Cattle Owner
- Amos was a *bo-kare'* or _____
- Amos was a _____ Harvester of Figs
- _____ was Amos' birthplace and his hometown.
- Six miles south of Jerusalem near to the familiar little place of Bethlehem
- *Tekoa* means "a _____ ground."
- Amos disturbed the _____ element

Outline

I. Judgment on Surrounding _____, (Amos 1:1–2:3)

A. Introduction, (Amos 1:1–2)

1 The words of Amos(_____), who was **among the herdmen**(*no-kade'* = **the owner that _____ them**) of Tekoa(a place in _____), 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.**

2 And he said, The LORD will roar from Zion, and utter his voice from Jerusalem; and the habitations of the shepherds shall mourn, and the top of Carmel shall wither.

II. Judgment on _____ and Israel, (Amos 2:4–6:14)

III. _____ of Future, (Amos 7)