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AMOS

CHAPTER 1

THE words of Amos, who was among the herdmen 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.

And he said, YAHWAH will roar from Zion, and utter his voice from Jerusalem; and the habitations of the shepherds shall mourn, and the top of Karmel shall wither.

Thus said YAHWAH; For three transgressions of Damascus, and for four, I will not turn away *the punishment* thereof; because they have threshed Gilead with threshing instruments of iron:

But I will send *a* fire into the house of Hazael, which shall devour the palaces of Benhadad.

I will break also the bar of Damascus, and cut off the inhabitant from the plain of Aven, and him that holds the rod from the house of Eden: and the people of Syria shall go into captivity unto Kir, said YAHWAH.

Thus said YAHWAH; For three transgressions of Gaza, and for four, I will not turn away *the punishment* thereof; because they carried away captive the whole captivity, to deliver *them* up to Edom:

But I will send *a* fire on the wall of Gaza, which shall devour the palaces thereof:

And I will cut off the inhabitant from Ashdod, and him that holds the rod from Ashkelon, and I will turn my hand against Ekron: and the remnant of the Philistines shall perish, said the Lord YAHWAH.

Thus said YAHWAH; For three transgressions of Tyrus, and for four, I will not turn away *the punishment* thereof; because they delivered up the whole captivity to Edom, and remembered not the brotherly covenant:

But I will send *a* fire on the wall of Tyrus, which shall devour the palaces thereof.

Thus said YAHWAH; For three transgressions of Edom, and for four, I will not turn away *the punishment* thereof; because he did pursue his brother with the sword, and did cast off all pity, and his anger did tear perpetually, and he kept his wrath forever:

But I will send *a* fire upon Teman, which shall devour the palaces of Bozrah.

Thus said YAHWAH; For three transgressions of the children of Ammon, and for four, I will not turn away *the punishment* thereof; because they have ripped up the women with child of Gilead, that they might enlarge their border:

But I will kindle *a* fire in the wall of Rabbah, and it shall devour the palaces thereof, with shouting in the day of battle, with *a* tempest in the day of the whirlwind:

And their king shall go into captivity, he and his princes together, said YAHWAH.

CHAPTER 2

THUS said YAHWAH; For three transgressions of Moab, and for four, I will not turn away *the punishment* thereof; because he burned the bones of the king of Edom into lime:

But I will send *a* fire upon Moab, and it shall devour the palaces of Kerioth: and Moab shall die with tumult, with shouting, *and* with the sound of the trumpet:

And I will cut off the judge from the midst thereof, and will slay all the princes thereof with him, said YAHWAH.

Thus said YAHWAH; For three transgressions of Judah, and for four, I will not turn away *the punishment* thereof; because they have despised the law of YAHWAH, and have not kept his commandments, and their lies caused them to be deceived, after the which their fathers have walked:

But I will send *a* fire upon Judah, and it shall devour the palaces of Jerusalem.

Thus said YAHWAH; For three transgressions of Israel, and for four, I will not turn away *the punishment* thereof; because they sold the righteous for silver, and the poor for *a* pair of shoes;

That pant after the dust of the land on the head of the poor, and turn aside the way of the meek: and *a* man and his father will go in unto the *same* maid, to profane my sanctified name:

And they lay *themselves* down upon clothes laid to pledge by every altar, and they drink the wine of the

condemned *in* the house of their eloheem.

Yet destroyed I the Amorite before them, whose height *was* like the height of the cedars, and he *was* strong as the oaks; yet I destroyed his fruit from above, and his roots from beneath.

Also I brought you up from the land of Egypt, and led you forty years through the wilderness, to possess the land of the Amorite.

And I raised up of your sons for prophets, and of your young men for Nazarenes. *Is it* not even thus, O you all children of Israel? said YAHWAH.

But you all gave the Nazarenes wine to drink; and commanded the prophets, saying, Prophecy not.

Behold, I am pressed under you, as *a* cart is pressed *that is* full of sheaves.

Therefore the flight shall perish from the swift, and the strong shall not strengthen his force, neither shall the mighty deliver himself:

Neither shall he stand that handles the bow; and *he that is* swift of foot shall not deliver *himself*: neither shall he that rides the horse deliver himself.

And *he that is* courageous among the mighty shall flee away naked in that day, said YAHWAH.

CHAPTER 3

HEAR this word that YAHWAH 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 ground: therefore I will punish you for all your iniquities.

Can two walk together, except they be agreed?

Will *a* lion roar in the forest, when he has no prey? will *a* young lion cry out of his den, if he have taken nothing?

Can *a* bird fall in *a* snare upon the land, where no gin *is* for him? shall *one* take up *a* snare from the ground, and have taken nothing at all?

Shall *a* trumpet be blown in the city, and the people not be afraid? shall there be evil in *a* city, and YAHWAH has not done *it*?

Surely the Lord YAHWAH will do nothing, but he reveals his secret unto his servants the prophets.

The lion has roared, who will not fear? the Lord YAHWAH has spoken, who can but prophesy?

Publish in the palaces at Ashdod, and in the palaces in the land of Egypt, and say, Assemble yourselves upon the mountains of Samaria, and behold the great tumults in the midst thereof, and the oppressed in the midst thereof.

For they know not to do right, said YAHWAH, who store up violence and robbery in their palaces.

Therefore thus said the Lord YAHWAH; *An adversary there shall be* even round about the land; and he shall bring down your strength from you, and your palaces shall be spoiled.

Thus said YAHWAH; As the shepherd takes out of the mouth of the lion two legs, or *a* piece of *an* ear; so shall the children of Israel be taken out that dwell in Samaria in the corner of *a* bed, and in Damascus *in a* couch.

Hear you all, and witness in the house of Jacob, said the Lord YAHWAH ELOHEEM of Hosts,

That in the day that I shall visit the transgressions of Israel upon him I will also visit the altars of Bethel: and the horns of the altar shall be cut off, and fall to the land.

And I will smite the winter house with the summer house; and the houses of ivory shall perish, and the great houses shall have *an* end, said YAHWAH.

CHAPTER 4

HEAR this word, you all kine of Bashan, that *are* in the mountain of Samaria, which oppress the poor, which crush the needy, which say to their masters, Bring, and let us drink.

The Lord YAHWAH has sworn by his sanctification, that, behold, the days shall come upon you, that he will take you away with hooks, and your posterity with fishhooks.

And you all shall go out at the breaches, every *cow at that which is* before her; and you all shall cast *them* into

the palace, said YAHWAH.

Come to Bethel, and transgress; at Gilgal multiply transgression; and bring your sacrifices every morning, *and* your tithes after three years:

And offer *a* sacrifice of thanksgiving with leaven, and proclaim *and* publish the free offerings: for this likes you, O you all children of Israel, said the Lord YAHWAH.

And I also have given you cleanness of teeth in all your cities, and want of bread in all your places: yet have you all not returned unto me, said YAHWAH.

And also I have withholden the rain from you, when *there were* yet three months to the harvest: and I caused it to rain upon one city, and caused it not to rain upon another city: one piece was rained upon, and the piece whereupon it rained not withered.

So two *or* three cities wandered unto one city, to drink water; but they were not satisfied: yet have you all not returned unto me, said YAHWAH.

I have smitten you with blasting and mildew: when your gardens and your vineyards and your fig trees and your olive trees increased, the palmerworm devoured *them*: yet have you all not returned unto me, said YAHWAH.

I have sent among you the pestilence after the manner of Egypt: your young men have I slain with the sword, and have taken away your horses; and I have made the stink of your camps to come up unto your nostrils: yet have you all not returned unto me, said YAHWAH.

I have overthrown *some* of you, as the ELOHEEM overthrew Sodom and Gomorrah, and you all were as *a* firebrand plucked out of the burning: yet have you all not returned unto me, said YAHWAH.

Therefore thus will I do unto you, O Israel: *and* because I will do this unto you, prepare to meet your ELOHEEM, O Israel.

For, behold, he that forms the mountains, and creates the spirit, and declares unto adamite what *is* his thought, that makes the morning darkness, and treads upon the high places of the land, YAHWAH ELOHEEM of Hosts, *is* his name.

CHAPTER 5

HEAR you all this word which I take up against you, *even a* lamentation, O house of Israel.

The virgin of Israel is fallen; she shall no more rise: she is forsaken upon her land; *there is* none to raise her up.

For thus said the Lord YAHWAH; The city that went out *by a* thousand shall leave *a* hundred, and that which went forth *by a* hundred shall leave ten, to the house of Israel.

For thus said YAHWAH unto the house of Israel, Seek you all me, and you all shall live:

But seek not Bethel, nor enter into Gilgal, and pass not to Beersheba: for Gilgal shall surely go into captivity, and Bethel shall come to nought.

Seek YAHWAH, and you all shall live; lest he break out like fire in the house of Joseph, and devour *it*, and *there be* none to quench *it* in Bethel.

You all who turn judgment to wormwood, and leave off righteousness in the land,

Seek him that makes the seven Stars and Orion, and turns the shadow of death into the morning, and makes the day dark with night: that calls for the waters of the sea, and poures them out upon the face of the land: YAHWAH *is* his name:

That strengthens the spoiled against the strong, so that the spoiled shall come against the fortress.

They hate him that rebukes in the gate, and they abhor him that speaks uprightly.

Forasmuch therefore as your treading *is* upon the poor, and you all take from him burdens of wheat: you all have built houses of hewn stone, but you all shall not dwell in them; you all have planted pleasant vineyards, but you all shall not drink wine of them.

For I know your manifold transgressions and your mighty sins: they afflict the just, they take *a* bribe, and they turn aside the poor in the gate *from their right*.

Therefore the learned shall keep silence in that time; for it *is an* evil time.

Seek good, and not evil, that you all may live: and so YAHWAH ELOHEEM of Hosts, shall be with you, as you all have spoken.

Hate the evil, and love the good, and establish judgment in the gate: it may be that YAHWAH ELOHEEM of Hosts will be gracious unto the remnant of Joseph.

Therefore YAHWAH ELOHEEM of Hosts, the Lord, said thus; Wailing *shall be* in all streets; and they shall say in all the highways, Alas! alas! and they shall call the husbandman to mourning, and such as are skilful of lamentation to wailing.

And in all vineyards *shall be* wailing: for I will pass through you, said YAHWAH.

Woe unto you that desire the day of YAHWAH! to what end *is* it for you? the day of YAHWAH *is* darkness, and not light.

As if *a* man did flee from *a* lion, and *a* bear met him; or went into the house, and leaned his hand on the wall, and *a* serpent bit him.

Shall not the day of YAHWAH *be* darkness, and not light? even very dark, and no brightness in it?

I hate, I despise your feast days, and I will not smell in your solemn assemblies.

Though you all offer me burnt offerings and your meat offerings, I will not accept *them*: neither will I regard the peace offerings of your fat beasts.

Take you away from me the noise of your songs; for I will not hear the melody of your viols.

But let judgment run down as waters, and righteousness as *a* mighty stream.

Have you all offered unto me sacrifices and offerings in the wilderness forty years, O house of Israel?

But you all have borne the tabernacle of the images of Chiun your King, your eloheem star, which you all had made yourselves.

Therefore will I cause you to go into captivity beyond Damascus, said YAHWAH, whose name *is* the ELOHEEM of Hosts.

CHAPTER 6

WOE to them *that are* at ease in Zion, and trust in the mountain of Samaria, *which are* named chief of the nations, to whom the house of Israel came!

Pass you all unto Kalneh, and see; and from thence go you all to Hamath the great: then go down to Gath of the Philistines: *be they* better than these kingdoms? or their border greater than your border?

You all that put far away the evil day, and cause the seat of violence to come near;

That lie upon beds of ivory, and stretch themselves upon their couches, and eat the lambs out of the flock, and the calves out of the midst of the stall;

That chant to the sound of the viol, *and* invent to themselves instruments of musick, like David;

That drink wine in bowls, and anoint themselves with the chief ointments: but they are not grieved for the affliction of Joseph.

Therefore now shall they go captive with the first that go captive, and the banquet of them that stretched themselves shall be removed.

The Lord YAHWAH has sworn by himself, said YAHWAH ELOHEEM of Hosts, I abhor the excellency of Jacob, and hate his palaces: therefore will I deliver up the city with all that is therein.

And it shall come to pass, if there remain ten men in one house, that they shall die.

And *a man's* uncle shall take him up, and he that burns him, to bring out the bones out of the house, and shall say to him that *is* by the sides of the house, *Is there yet any* with you? and he shall say, No. Then shall he say, Hold your tongue: for we may not make mention of the name of YAHWAH.

For, behold, YAHWAH commands, and he will smite the great house with breaches, and the little house with clefts.

Shall horses run upon the rock? will *one* plow *there* with oxen? for you all have turned judgment into gall, and the fruit of righteousness into hemlock:

You all which rejoice in *a* thing of nought, which say, Have we not taken to us horns by our own strength? But, behold, I will raise up against you *a* nation, O house of Israel, said YAHWAH ELOHEEM of Hosts; and they shall afflict you from the entering in of Hemath unto the river of the wilderness.

CHAPTER 7

THUS has the Lord YAHWAH showed unto me; and, behold, he formed grasshoppers in the beginning of the shooting up of the latter growth; and, behold, *it was* the latter growth after the king's mowings.

And it came to pass, *that* when they had made *an* end of eating the grass of the land, then I said, O Lord YAHWAH, forgive, I beseech you: by whom shall Jacob arise? for he *is* small.

YAHWAH turns for this: It shall not be, said YAHWAH.

Thus has the Lord YAHWAH showed unto me: and, behold, the Lord YAHWAH called to contend by fire, and it devoured the great deep, and did eat up *a* part.

Then said I, O Lord YAHWAH, cease, I beseech you: by whom shall Jacob arise? for he *is* small.

YAHWAH turns for this: This also shall not be, said the Lord YAHWAH.

Thus he showed me: and, behold, the Lord stood upon *a* wall *made* by *a* plumbline, with *a* plumbline in his hand.

And YAHWAH said to me, Amos, what see you? And I said, *A* plumbline. Then said the Lord, Behold, I will set *a* plumbline in the midst of my people Israel: I will not again pass by them anymore:

And the high places of Isaac shall be desolate, and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste; and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword.

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

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

Also Amaziah said to Amos, O you seer, go, flee you away into the land of Judah, and there eat bread, and prophesy there:

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

Then answered Amos, and said to Amaziah, I *was* no prophet, neither *was* I *a* prophet's son; but I *was* *a* herdman, and *a* gatherer of sycomore fruit:

And YAHWAH took me as I followed the flock, and YAHWAH said to me, Go, prophesy unto my people Israel.

Now therefore hear you the word of YAHWAH: You say, Prophesy not against Israel, and drop not *your word* against the house of Isaac.

Therefore thus said YAHWAH; Your wife shall be *a* whore in the city, and your sons and your daughters shall fall by the sword, and your land shall be divided by line; and you shall die in *a* polluted land: and Israel shall surely go into captivity forth of his land.

CHAPTER 8

THUS has the Lord YAHWAH showed unto me: and behold *a* basket of summer fruit.

And he said, Amos, what see you? And I said, *A* basket of summer fruit. Then said YAHWAH unto me, The end is come upon my people of Israel; I will not again pass by them anymore.

And the songs of the temple shall be howlings in that day, said the Lord YAHWAH: *there shall be* many dead bodies in every place; they shall cast *them* forth with silence.

Hear this, O you all that swallow up the needy, even to make the poor of the land to fail,

Saying, When will the new moon be gone, that we may sell grain? and the sabbath, that we may set forth wheat, making the ephah small, and the shekel great, and falsifying the balances by deceit?

That we may buy the poor for silver, and the needy for *a* pair of shoes; *yes*, and sell the refuse of the wheat?

YAHWAH has sworn by the excellency of Jacob, Surely I will never forget any of their works.

Shall not the land tremble for this, and every one mourn that dwells therein? and it shall rise up wholly as *a* flood; and it shall be cast out and drowned, as *by* the flood of Egypt.

And it shall come to pass in that day, said the Lord YAHWAH, that I will cause the sun to go down at noon, and I will darken the land in the clear day:

And I will turn your feasts into mourning, and all your songs into lamentation; and I will bring up sackcloth upon all loins, and baldness upon every head; and I will make it as the mourning of *an* only *son*, and the end thereof as *a* bitter day.

Behold, the days come, said the Lord YAHWAH, that I will send *a* famine in the land, not *a* famine of bread, nor *a* thirst for water, but of hearing the words of YAHWAH:

And they shall wander from sea to sea, and from the north even to the east, they shall run to and fro to seek the word of YAHWAH, and shall not find *it*.

In that day shall the fair virgins and young men faint for thirst.

They that swear by the sin of Samaria, and say, ELOHEEM, O Dan, lives; and, The manner of Beersheba lives; even they shall fall, and never rise up again.

CHAPTER 9

I SAW the Lord standing upon the altar: and he said, Smite the lintel of the door, that the posts may shake: and cut them in the head, all of them; and I will slay the last of them with the sword: he that flees of them shall not flee away, and he that escapes of them shall not be delivered.

Though they dig into the grave, thence shall my hand take them; though they climb up to heaven, thence will I bring them down:

And though they hide themselves in the top of Karmel, I will search and take them out thence; and though they be hid from my sight in the bottom of the sea, thence will I command the serpent, and he shall bite them:

And though they go into captivity before their enemies, thence will I command the sword, and it shall slay them: and I will set my eyes upon them for evil, and not for good.

And the Lord YAHWAH of Hosts *is* he that touches the land, and it shall melt, and all that dwell therein shall mourn: and it shall rise up wholly like *a* flood; and shall be drowned, as *by* the flood of Egypt.

It is he that builds his stories in the heaven, and has founded his troop in the land; he that calls for the waters of the sea, and poures them out upon the face of the land: YAHWAH *is* his name.

Are you all not as children of the Kushites unto me, O children of Israel? said YAHWAH. Have not I brought up Israel out of the land of Egypt? and the Philistines from Kaphtor, and the Syrians from Kir?

Behold, the eyes of the Lord YAHWAH *are* upon the sinful kingdom, and I will destroy it from off the face of the ground; excepting that I will not utterly destroy the house of Jacob, said YAHWAH.

For, behold, I will command, and I will sift the house of Israel among all nations, like as *grain* is sifted in *a* sieve, yet shall not the least grain fall upon the land.

All the sinners of my people shall die by the sword, which say, The evil shall not overtake nor precede us.

In that day will I raise up the tabernacle of David that is fallen, and close up the breaches thereof; and I will raise up his ruins, and I will build it as in the days of old:

That they may possess the remnant of Edom, and of all the nations, which are called by my name, said YAHWAH that does this.

Behold, the days come, said YAHWAH, that the plowman shall overtake the reaper, and the treader of grapes him that sows seed; and the mountains shall drop sweet wine, and all the hills shall melt.

And I will bring again the captivity of my people of Israel, and they shall build the waste cities, and inhabit *them*; and they shall plant vineyards, and drink the wine thereof; they shall also make gardens, and eat the fruit of them. And I will plant them upon their land, and they shall no more be pulled up out of their land which I have given them, said YAHWAH ELOHEEM.

This concludes the book of Amos.