

HOSEA 6 vs 1

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¹ **Come, and let us return to the LORD** / finally, these sons and daughters of the living God concluded the right thing; they had a metanoia moment: they changed their thinking about who in this world really loved them. You know, the colors of God's grace -- His love, His joy, His mercy and peace... sure beat any shades of gray found in this angry, heartless world.

for He has torn, but He will heal us; He has wounded us, but He will bandage us / the date of this book is 710 BC when the faithless **House of Israel** wakes up as they are carried into captivity. Isaiah said: Messiah was wounded for us -- **Isaiah 53**; in the NT we read: For consider Him who endured such hostility by sinners against Himself, so you not grow weary and lose heart -- **Hebrews 12**.



² **After two days He will revive us: in the third day He will raise us up** / that we may live before Him... and this prophetic verse is interesting. Peter tells us a day to the Lord is 1000 years. So do the math: after 2 days = 2,000 years; and in the third day = 500 years for a total of 2,500 years... is the approximate time the LORD allotted for the time of the Gentiles to rule until the whole world was broken... and the **House of Israel** -- **Ephraim**, the commonwealth of nations; and **Manasseh**, the great nation would come to its full zenith. 710 BC + 2,500 = 1789 AD; so their revolutionary warring was over, almost.

and we will live in His sight.

³ **Then will we know, if we follow on to know the LORD: His going forth is prepared as the morning; and He will come to us as the rain, as the latter rain watering the earth** / His return is as certain as the dawn; and isn't Hosea's next words beautiful to describe His return, like rain descending from the heavens? I'm sure Hosea says: sounds good, but let's hear how the LORD God responds from His perspective:

⁴ **O Ephraim, what will I do with you? O Judah, what will I do with you?** / it is truly amazing to realize that the LORD God our Creator has shelved many wonderful plans which have endlessly been frustrated... by those He called to walk with Him and learn from Him, those He generously blessed; yet they insist on doing their own thing... going their own way;

for your unfailing love is as a morning cloud and as the early dew which goes away / it's lovely, billowy bright; quick to dissipate; compared to God's unfailing love for the whole world -- **Psalms 107**.

⁵ **Therefore I have cut them in pieces by the prophets; I have slain them by the words of My mouth: and your judgments are as the light that goes forth** / the LORD tells us: **Ephraim** and **Judah** -- **both** of the faithless, fickle **Houses of Israel**... are used by the LORD in time to demonstrate to the nations.... God can be trusted: His will, His words, and His ways can be trusted... whether or not these greatly blessed Houses know or even comprehend their high calling even today. And here the 2 Houses ought never to forget, while they dig through their traditions flung to the ground when Rome visited in 70 AD:

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⁶ For **I desire mercy**, and **not** sacrifice;

and the knowledge of God more than burnt offerings / God wants all His people... not just a few like Moses and the prophets to know His ways. God desires faithfulness; He wants His children to walk with Him and get to know Him... until we think like Him, and in love serve one another like Him. Does anybody really believe the LORD of glory; of life and all creation... is fascinated with little bloody sacrifices?

⁷ But they like Adam have transgressed the covenant / they foolishly stepped over the promise, the pledge, the commitment He made with His people: **There they dealt treacherously against Me.**

⁸ Gilead is a community of wrong doers, and is polluted with bloodshed / where they entered the promise land. God had **no** desire for their routine sacrifices or freely given burnt offerings. By the time Jesus lived among us, He repeatedly said to those joining Him, you have heard a lot of poor teaching.

⁹ And as troops of robbers wait for a man, so the company of priests murder in the way to Shechem / the first place Abram built an altar to the LORD; Jacob's well was on the way to Shechem; Joseph was buried there; Solomon rebuilt the city as a provincial administrative center; Jeroboam made his residence there; and throughout this historic region... there the religious leaders who were supposed to be caretakers of God's Word... that bunch of thieves and robbers slaughtered God's people -- **Ezekiel 34:**

for they commit lewdness / they do what male whores do; this vulgar company of murderous priests... loving their manmade traditions more than the Word of God.

¹⁰ I have seen a horrible thing in the **house of Israel** / in the House of those who claimed to be **ruled by God**; Ephraim was promised all the birthright blessings of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob; Ephraim dishonored their LORD and had become a faithless whorehouse no longer governed by God:

Ephraim's whore house is there: where **Israel** defiled itself.

¹¹ Also, O **Judah**, there is a harvest appointed for you, when I restore the property of My people / the **House of Judah** was restored in 1948... indicating the harvest time is approaching... speaking to those **final 3 Days belonging to the LORD**... still on His calendar; waiting to be fulfilled by the Messiah

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