

Additional notes:



Background

- ◆ 8th Century B.C. the is Country divided – Hosea lives in Israel or the Northern half of country and _____ and _____ for 40 to 60 years.
- ◆ Very _____ of anything goes as people turned further and further away from God.
- ◆ Other prophets: Jonah, Amos, Micah, Isaiah
- ◆ Book outline comes in 2 parts
- ◆ chapters 1-3: Hosea's private life is used as an illustration of God's _____ and _____.
- ◆ chapters 4-14: Israel's public sins are the reason for God's call to _____ and _____ to Him.

The Commercial's Appeal

- ◆ The _____ : A NEW SUPER cleaner capable of doing the impossible.
- ◆ The _____ : Clothes with the worst stain possible.
- ◆ The _____ : Clean clothes, happy family
- ◆ The _____ : Happy family in clean clothes!

The Product

- ◆ The _____ Of The _____ which came to Hosea
Hosea 1.1
- ◆ Jesus is the Word of GOD
- ◆ Revelation 19.13 "He is clothed with a robe dipped in blood, and His name is called The _____ Of _____.
- ◆ John 1.14 "And the Word became _____, and dwelt among us,"
- ◆ This _____ Of _____ is extremely powerful
- ◆ Hebrews 4.12-13 For the word of God is _____ and active and sharper than any two-edged sword, and piercing as far as the division of soul and spirit, of both joints and marrow, and able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And there is no creature hidden from _____ sight, but all things are open and laid bare to the eyes of _____ with whom we have to do.

The Problem Revealed

- ◆ Gomer is the Prophet Hosea's _____ Hosea 1.2
- ◆ Children of Gomer
 - ◇ _____: Whom God Sows, Surely mine, All her love Hosea 1.3-4
 - ◇ _____: without compassion, I don't know, Part time love Hosea 1.6
 - ◇ _____: Not my people, Not my child, Love of another Hosea 1.9
- ◆ Gomer has gone from being a _____ Wife to living separated from her husband in _____ for everyone and anyone to see.

The Possibilities of Love

- Children of _____ Children of _____
- _____ Hosea 1.3-4 _____ Hosea 1.3-4
- _____ Hosea 1.6 _____ Hosea 2.1
- _____ Hosea 1.9 _____ Hosea 2.1

The Possibilities Hosea 3.1-2

- ◆ The Lord Said ^{Hosea 3.1}
 - ◇ Go show your love _____
 - ◇ Look beyond her _____
 - ◇ Love her like _____ loves Israel
- ◆ Bought her at _____ ^{Hosea 3.2}
- ◆ paid the Full Price = _____ her ^{Titus 2.13-14}
- ◆ She was to _____ and _____ her life of Sin
- ◆ They were to be _____ and _____
- ◆ Raising _____ children together.



The Praise

- ◆ The ways of the LORD are right; the _____ walk in them, but the _____ stumble in them. ^{Hosea 14.9}
- ◆ See also Psalm 63.3; Psalm 106.33; Romans 9.25; James 2.5; Matthew 5.3; Psalm 105.1; Psalm 100.4

You have to decide

- ◇ To _____ the **PRODUCT** ^{Romans 5.6}
- ◇ To _____ your **PROBLEMS** ^{Romans 10.13}
- ◇ To _____ the **POSSIBILITIES** ^{Romans 6.4}
- ◇ To _____ the **PRAISE** ^{Romans 14.11}