

The Tender Love of God Jan. 29th, 2023 | Conversation Two | Rev. Baly Botten

## Israel is determined to \_\_\_\_\_,

but God is determined to \_\_\_\_\_

2 "Rebuke your mother, rebuke her, for she is not my wife, and I am not her husband. Let her remove the adulterous look from her face and the unfaithfulness from between her breasts. 3 Otherwise I will strip her naked and make her as bare as on the day she was born;

### Hosea 2:2-3, NIV

**5** Their mother has been unfaithful and has conceived them in disgrace. She said, 'I will go after my lovers, who give me my food and my water, my wool and my linen, my olive oil and my drink.'

Hosea 2:5, NIV

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8 She has not acknowledged that I was the one who gave her the grain, the new wine and oil, who lavished on her the silver and gold – which they used for Baal.

#### Hosea 2:8, NIV

13 I will punish her for the days she burned incense to the Baals; she decked herself with rings and jewelry, and went after her lovers, but me she forgot," declares the Lord.

## Hosea 2:13, NIV

14 Therefore, I am now going to allure her; I will lead her into the wilderness and speak tenderly to her.

Hosea 2:14, NIV

# 1. Woo us \_\_\_\_\_

15 There I will give her back her vineyards, and will make the Valley of Achor a door of hope. There she will respond as in the days of her youth, as in the day she came up out of Egypt. 16 "In that day," declares the Lord, "you will call me 'my husband'; you will no longer call me 'my master.' 17 I will remove the names of the Baals from her lips; no longer will their names be invoked. 18 In that day I will make a covenant for them with the beasts of the field, the birds in the sky and the creatures that move along the ground. Bow and sword and battle I will abolish from the land, so that all may lie down in safety.

Hosea 2:15-18, NIV

2. Promise \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

19 I will betroth you to me forever; I will betroth you in righteousness and justice, in love and compassion. 20 I will betroth you in faithfulness, and you will acknowledge the Lord.

Hosea 2:19-23, NIV

2. Renew His \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ covenant mercy <u>and</u> a

from sin