

Review Questions

1. What prophet did we read about today? *Amos.*
2. Is the book of Amos in the major prophets or the minor prophets? *Minor prophets.*
3. Does the word minor mean that the message is less important than the major prophets? *No, it is also a message from God and is just as important. The word minor just means the book is shorter than the major ones.*
4. What was Amos' job before God called him to be a prophet? *Shepherd, farmer.*
5. What nation did God send Amos to: the northern nation of Israel or the southern nation of Judah? *Northern nation of Israel.*
6. Where was Amos from? *Judah.*
7. What had the Israelites been doing for 250 years? *Sinching against God.*
8. Name one way the people of Israel had been sinning. *They were greedy, mean, cruel to the poor, disobeying God's rules for worship, worshipping false gods and idols.*
9. What attribute of God means that he is fair and must punish sin? *Just.*
10. What does the word adversary mean: friend, stranger, or enemy? *Enemy.*
11. True or false: God said he would send an adversary against Israel because they refused to repent of their sins. *True.*
12. What punishment was Amos referring to when he said the people had "cleanness of teeth": a lack of water, a lack of food, or a lack of toothpaste? *Lack of food.*
13. What type of insect did God send as punishment to devour the people's crops: crickets, ladybugs, or locusts? *Locusts.*
14. True or false: God sent these punishments to the people because he no longer cared about them. *False. He sent the punishments because he loved them and wanted the people to return to him.*
15. How did the people respond to these warnings: they ignored them, or they turned back to God? *They ignored them.*
16. True or false: To repent means to turn away from our sins and to turn to God. *True.*
17. The only way we can be saved from the punishment of our sins is to repent and trust in whom? *Jesus.*
18. What book of the Bible is our new memory verse from? *Proverbs.*