



Lessons on the Minor Prophets #1

by Aude McKee

The Book of Hosea (chapters 1 - 4)

QUESTIONS:

1. What were the dates of Hosea's prophecy?
2. During the reign of what kings did he prophesy?
3. Why is Hosea called a "minor" prophet?
4. At the time of this prophecy, had Judah gone into captivity?
5. What is the meaning of 1:10-11?
6. About whom is the prophet speaking in the first part of chapter 2?
7. What idol did Israel worship?
8. What did the Lord tell the prophet to do in chapter 3?
9. What was lacking in the land?
10. Where did Israel often practice idolatry?

MATCH:

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| 11. _____ Gomer | A. By sword, battle, horses |
| 12. _____ LORUHAMA | B. Like priest |
| 13. _____ Valley | C. My husband |
| 14. _____ Like people | D. Joined to idols |
| 15. _____ No salvation | E. David |
| 16. _____ Ephraim | F. Hosea's wife |
| 17. _____ Reconciliation | G. 2:19 |
| 18. _____ Ishi | H. Touches blood |
| 19. _____ Blood | I. Achor |
| 20. _____ King | J. No more money |

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

21. The name of Hosea's first son was _____.
22. Ruhamah means _____.
23. God's people were destroyed for a lack of _____.
24. _____, _____, and _____, are said to take away the heart.
25. Israel is likened to a _____ heifer.
26. Two places Israel was told not to go where _____ and _____.
27. _____, _____, _____, _____, and _____ are sins mentioned in one verse in chapter 4.
28. The word "Hosea" means _____.
29. Diblaim was the father of _____.
30. _____ was said to cover her nakedness.

TRUE / FALSE:

31. _____ Joash was a king in Judah.
32. _____ There are 12 books called "minor" prophets.
33. _____ LOAMMI means "You are my people."
34. _____ Israel was guilty of spiritual adultery.
35. _____ The woman's lovers were concerned about her welfare.
36. _____ Very little emphasis is put on keeping the Law of God by the Lord.
37. _____ A betrothal and an engagement are somewhat the same in meaning.
38. _____ Egypt is mentioned in this lesson.
39. _____ An "ephod" and a "teraphim" were the same.
40. _____ Israel set their hearts on their iniquity.

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #2

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The Book of Hosea (chapters 5 - 9)

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ The priests were said to be guilty of murder.
2. _____ Judah was said to be like a silly dove.
3. _____ The lion of Samaria was to be broken in pieces.
4. _____ Tyrus (Tyre) is mentioned in this lesson.
5. _____ God said that Ephraim and Judah knew they were sick but they went to the wrong doctor.
6. _____ The figure of spiritual adultery would make little impression on many Americans today.
7. _____ Egypt was southwest of Assyria and northeast from Jerusalem.
8. _____ God said Israel had cast off the thing that was bad.
9. _____ Ephraim's glory was to fly away like a bird.
10. _____ 9:14 is an especially descriptive illustration of Israel' destruction.

MATCH:

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| 11. _____ | Desolate in the day of rebuke | A. Polluted by blood |
| 12. _____ | 6:2 | B. Idols |
| 13. _____ | Gilead | C. Egypt |
| 14. _____ | Silver and gold | D. In Gilgal |
| 15. _____ | Things of the law | E. Like grapes |
| 16. _____ | Memphis | F. Ephraim |
| 17. _____ | Jareb | G. A cake not turned |
| 18. _____ | Israel | H. Resurrection |
| 19. _____ | Wickedness | I. A strange thing |
| 20. _____ | Ephraim | J. King |

QUESTIONS:

21. Explain 6:6.
22. Who was grey headed and didn't know it?
23. What is meant by: *"They have sown the wind and they shall reap the whirlwind"*?
24. How many tribes were in the northern kingdom? Why is Ephraim mentioned so often?
25. Give the names of the northern tribes?
26. What city is singled out as being wicked?
27. Explain the illustration of the baker?
28. Israel cried (howled) but what was lacking?
29. What is meant by *"Ephraim has hired lovers"*?
30. Is it possible that we in America (and in the church) may be guilty of the sin described in 8:14?

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

31. Israel had been a snare on _____ and a net spread on _____.
32. _____ was to fall with Israel.
33. Israel had begotten _____ children.
34. God's _____ was to be poured out like water.
35. Ephraim's and Judah's goodness was as the morning _____.
36. The people in the north made the _____ glad with their wickedness.
37. Israel was like a _____ bow.
38. Israel sacrificed _____ for the sacrifice of God's offerings.
39. *"They shall not dwell in the _____ land,"* God said.
40. The prophet is a _____; the spiritual man is _____.

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #3

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The Book of Hosea (chapters 10 - 14)

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

1. Israel was accused of swearing (lightly, falsely, secretly).
2. God said, "*I am God and not (man, an angel, a king).*"
3. (Israel, Judah, Ephraim) was said to be faithful.
4. The Lord had a controversy with (Israel, Egypt, Judah).
5. The men that sacrificed were to (bow to, kiss, smite) the calves.
6. Israel was said to have destroyed (Egypt, herself, the king).
7. God said, "*I will (punish, reprove, heal) their back-sliding.*"
8. Ephraim was said to be an unwise (son, nation, people).
9. God said Israel forgot Him when they were (hungry, in distress, full).
10. They were likened to smoke from a (chimney, fire, idol).

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| 11. _____ | Hosea 10:8 | A. Reaped iniquity |
| 12. _____ | Love passage | B. Jacob |
| 13. _____ | Sow in righteousness | C. 1 Cor. 15:55 |
| 14. _____ | Fed on wind | D. Ways of the Lord |
| 15. _____ | Took brother by the heel | E. Revelation 6:16 |
| 16. _____ | Plowed wickedness | F. Beautiful |
| 17. _____ | Prophet | G. Hosea 11:1-4 |
| 18. _____ | Hosea 13:14 | H. Brought Israel out of Egypt |
| 19. _____ | Olive tree | I. Ephraim |
| 20. _____ | Right | J. Reap in mercy |

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ King Jareb is mentioned in this lesson.
22. _____ David's name is found somewhere in this lesson.
23. _____ Israel trusted in her mighty men.
24. _____ The dove is associated with the land of Egypt.
25. _____ The events of Genesis 28 are referred to in this lesson.
26. _____ Ephraim claimed to be sinless.
27. _____ Making idols was the work of priests.
28. _____ God said Israel destroyed herself.
29. _____ Judah shall become desolate.
30. _____ God was willing to love Israel fully again.

QUESTIONS:

31. In one verse, in this lesson, Ephraim, Judah, and Jacob were each doing what?
32. Out of what country did God call His son?
33. Which nation "*devoured*" Israel--Syria or Assyria?
34. Which, would you say, is the best known verse in chapter 13?
35. What was to happen to the infants in Samaria?
36. What did God say would come up on the altars of Samaria?
37. What was said to be carried into Egypt?
38. How was Israel said to be brought out of Egypt?
39. How is God's anger described?
40. Who was the first earthly king over God's people?

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #4

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The Book of Joel

QUESTIONS:

1. What does the word "Joel" mean?
2. Can we determine for sure when Joel lived and prophesied?
3. What, would you say, is the main message of the book?
4. What momentous occasion does Joel predict?
5. What insect invaded the land?
6. What does "the day of the Lord" have reference to?
7. In addition to the locust scourge, what else had happened to the land?
8. Does 2:10 refer to the second coming of Christ?
9. To what does 2:31 refer?
10. What does Joel call on the people to do?

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| 11. _____ | Invading nation | A. Son of Pethuel |
| 12. _____ | Howl | B. Isaiah 2:4 |
| 13. _____ | Joel | C. Not garments |
| 14. _____ | Rivers | D. Teeth like a lion |
| 15. _____ | Rend heart | E. Acts 2:16-21 |
| 16. _____ | Valley | F. Ministers of the altar |
| 17. _____ | Sabeans | G. Holy |
| 18. _____ | Joel 3:10 | H. Jehoshaphat |
| 19. _____ | Jerusalem | I. Dried up |
| 20. _____ | Joel 2:28-32 | J. People afar off |

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

21. _____ Those told to weep and howl .
22. _____ The Lord's ministers.
23. _____ Fruit trees mentioned in this lesson.
24. _____ What rotted under the clods.
25. _____ What their land was like before the scourge.
26. _____ What God will do if His people repent.
27. _____ The direction from which the invading army was to come.
28. _____ What young men would do when the Spirit was poured out.
29. _____ Blessing for those who call on the Lord's name.
30. _____ Things Tyre and Sidon had done.

TRUE / FALSE:

31. _____ The Lord is said to dwell in Zion.
32. _____ 1:4 describes the locust in his steps of development.
33. _____ "Sackcloth" describes the garments of happy people.
34. _____ Cattle were perplexed because they had no pasture.
35. _____ The "all flesh" of 2:28 is an unlimited statement.
36. _____ Children were sold for harlots and wine.
37. _____ "Valley of decision" is a statement found in this book.
38. _____ The mount of Olives was referred to as a "holy mountain."
39. _____ Egypt and Edom were to become a desolation and a wilderness.
40. _____ These nations were accused of shedding guilty blood.

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #5

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The Book of Amos (chapters 1 - 4)

QUESTIONS:

1. What was Amos' occupation?
2. What did Amos' name mean and where was he from?
3. Check and see if you can locate Amos' home village on a map.
4. Can you detect a difference in the spirit (tone) of Amos' prophecy from that of Hosea and Joel?
5. What kings ruled in Judah and Israel at the time of Amos' prophecy?
6. Make a list of the different groups God accused of misconduct:
7. Describe a Nazarite.
8. What verse in this lesson is most often quoted?
9. Make a list of the sins God's people were guilty of:
10. Make a list of the punishments God sent on His people:

TRUE / FALSE:

11. _____ Moab burned the bones of the kings of Edom.
12. _____ Tyrus was accused of casting off all pity.
13. _____ Israel sold the poor for a pair of shoes.
14. _____ The Amorite was as tall as the oak and as strong as the cedar.
15. _____ God was going to store up violence and robbery in the palaces of Egypt.
16. _____ Bethel was a part of the southern kingdom.
17. _____ Israel was to bring sacrifices every morning and tithes after three years.
18. _____ God sent rain on all the cities at the same time.
19. _____ "*Prepare to meet thy God*" is found in this lesson.
20. _____ The omnipotence, omniscience and omnipresence of God are revealed in 4:13.

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

21. Amos' prophecy is directed mainly against _____.
22. Damascus threshed Gilead with threshing instruments of _____.
23. _____ pursued his brother with the sword.
24. _____ despised the Law of the Lord.
25. Israel was led _____ years in the wilderness.
26. Two _____ and a piece of an _____ was taken from the mouth of the lion.
27. When the kingdom divided, altars were built at Dan and _____.
28. 3:15 suggests that some of the Israelites lived in _____.
29. God gave them _____ of teeth.
30. God overthrew _____ and _____.

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| 31. _____ Sceptre | A. Caused them to err |
| 32. _____ Ammon | B. Flee away naked |
| 33. _____ Lies | C. Cows |
| 34. _____ Father and son | D. Joel 1:4 |
| 35. _____ Courageous | E. Authority |
| 36. _____ Israel | F. Israel |
| 37. _____ Kine | G. To one to drink |
| 38. _____ Three cities | H. Ripped up pregnant women |
| 39. _____ Palmer worm | I. Only family God knew |
| 40. _____ Firebrand plucked out of the burning | J. Go in to the same woman |

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #6

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The Book of Amos (chapters 5 - 9)

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ Israel was to be cut down by 90%.
2. _____ "*Hate the evil and love the good*" is a statement found in this lesson.
3. _____ Instrumental music is condemned in this lesson.
4. _____ Israel had turned the fruit of righteousness into hemlock and judgment into gall.
5. _____ Amaziah was a friend of Amos.
6. _____ Amos was a gatherer of sycamore fruits.
7. _____ Amos "*beat around the bush*" when he prophesied.
8. _____ People would seek the Lord's Word and not find it.
9. _____ When Israel was taken into captivity, God would not punish them anymore.
10. _____ Restoration of God's people is promised.

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

11. _____ What people were commanded to seek? (chapter 5)
12. _____ What God is said to have made in chapter 5.
13. _____ The city beyond which the captivity was to take place.
14. _____ That for which Israel did not grieve.
15. _____ What the Lord held in His hand in chapter 7.
16. _____ Nation over which Jeroboam ruled.
17. _____ Land to which Amaziah told Amos to flee.
18. _____ Time of day the Lord would cause the sun to set.
19. _____ Place to which God said the Israelites would dig.
20. _____ House that God said He would not utterly destroy.

QUESTIONS:

21. Explain the meaning of 5:21-24.
22. Can you find another O. T. Passage similar to the one above?
23. Who or what was Moloch?
24. What is the Lord saying in 6:1-6?
25. Was instrumental music in worship approved by God in the O.T.?
26. For what is a plumbline used?
27. Who said the land was not able to bear Amos' words?
28. What punishment did God promise to bring on Amaziah?
29. When was 8:9-10 to be fulfilled?
30. What is the meaning of 9:11?

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| 31. _____ Houses | A. Taken horns |
| 32. _____ Poor in the gate | B. Amos |
| 33. _____ Day of the Lord | C. Sheol |
| 34. _____ By our own strength | D. Sifted |
| 35. _____ Bethel | E. Darkness and not light |
| 36. _____ Not a prophet's son | F. Works |
| 37. _____ Songs in the temple | G. Built of hewn stone |
| 38. _____ Songs in the temple | H. Kings' chapel and court |
| 39. _____ Hell | I. Howlings |
| 40. _____ House of Israel | J. Turned aside from their right |

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #7

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The Book of Obadiah

QUESTIONS:

1. What is the message of Obadiah?
2. What is said to have been the cause of Edom's deception?
3. Give some of Edom's background.
4. Where was Edom located?
5. Was God justified in punishing heathen nations? Give the reason for your answer.
6. Do you think Romans 1:18-32 has any bearing on question 5?
7. Does God have the power and right to punish nations today?
8. Do you know any passage that would teach that He does not punish wicked nations today?
9. Does Paul's sermon on Mars' Hill touch on this point in any way?
10. God said He would destroy understanding out of what Mount?
11. What had Edom's confederates done to her?
12. Upon what city had lots been cast?
13. Who is said to be Edom's brother?
14. Edom rejoiced when what people were destroyed?
15. How do we normally state the principle found in verse 15?
16. Where was deliverance to be found?
17. What was to happen to the house of Esau?
18. Who was to possess Gilead?
19. In verses 12, 13, 14, there are several "*Thou shouldest not*" statements. List them.
20. In verse 18, "*house of Jacob*" and "*house of Joseph*" are mentioned. To what two groups do these statements refer?

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #8

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The Book of Jonah

QUESTIONS:

1. Which of the minor prophets, would you say, is the best known?
2. 2 Kings 14:23-27 places the life and work of Jonah in the reign of what king?
3. Where was Jonah's home?
4. Do you think the book should be viewed--as mythical, allegorical, or historical?
5. Make a list of all the miracles in the book.
6. Where was Nineveh located?
7. What was Jonah commissioned to do? How many times did he receive the command?
8. How did the people of Nineveh respond to Jonah's preaching?
9. What is the meaning of 3:10?
10. What was Jonah's reaction to Nineveh's repentance and God's forgiveness?

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

11. Jonah caught a ship at _____.
12. The seamen cried to _____ when their lives were in danger.
13. Jonah was _____ when the storm was raging.
14. Jonah said, "*I fear the _____.*"
15. _____ suggested that Jonah be thrown into the sea.
16. The seaman _____ to God before they threw Jonah overboard.
17. _____ were wrapped around Jonah's head.
18. _____ spoke to the fish.
19. In _____ days, Nineveh was to be destroyed.
20. Jonah said, "*It is better to _____ than to _____.*"

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| 21. _____ | Jonah's father | A. Thrown overboard |
| 22. _____ | Wares | B. Jonah 1:17 |
| 23. _____ | Acts 1:26; Luke 23:34 | C. Killed the gourd |
| 24. _____ | Jonah | D. Amittai |
| 25. _____ | Seaman | E. Shadow |
| 26. _____ | King | F. Feared God exceedingly |
| 27. _____ | Gourd | G. Jonah 1:7 |
| 28. _____ | Matthew 12:40 | H. Clothes with sackcloth |
| 29. _____ | Worm | I. Jonah 2:1-9 |
| 30. _____ | Jonah's prayer | J. Hebrew |

TRUE / FALSE:

31. _____ Jonah tried to run off to Tarshish.
32. _____ God showed love and mercy to a heathen nation.
33. _____ Jonah learned that a person can run from God.
34. _____ The account in this book says a whale swallowed Jonah.
35. _____ Being in trouble made Jonah more dependent on God.
36. _____ Nineveh was given 45 days in which to repent.
37. _____ Animals in Nineveh were to be covered with sackcloth.
38. _____ Jonah made himself a booth to sit under as he waited to see what would happen to Nineveh.
39. _____ The Bible says Jonah was sorry that he wanted Nineveh destroyed.
40. _____ In effect, God told Jonah that people were worth more than material things.

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #9

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The Book of Micah (chapters 1 - 3)

QUESTIONS:

1. What kings reigned in Judah during Micah's life?
2. What do we know about his parents and occupation?
3. Micah was a contemporary of what prophet?
4. His prophecy concerned what two groups?
5. What did God say about the wounds of Samaria?
6. What bird is said to be bold?
7. List some of the sins these people had committed.
8. Is 3:3 figurative or literal?
9. Who did Micah say made the people to err?
10. What did Micah say he was full of?

TRUE / FALSE:

11. _____ Micah's prophecy came in the late 700's B.C.
12. _____ From the minor prophets we have studied thus far, the greater part of their message was positive.
13. _____ The idols were to be beaten to pieces.
14. _____ Micah said wicked people began to practice sin late in the afternoon.
15. _____ God's Words do good to those who walk uprightly.
16. _____ Micah said they hate good and love evil.
17. _____ Kings "*bite with their teeth*," Micah said.
18. _____ Visions for the false prophets would cease.
19. _____ The prophets divined for money.
20. _____ Zion shall be plowed as a field.

MATCH:

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| 21. _____ Micah's home town | A. Devise iniquity |
| 22. _____ Wailing | B. 1 Peter 3:12 |
| 23. _____ Upon their beds | C. Seers |
| 24. _____ Remnant of Israel | D. Teach for hire |
| 25. _____ Micah 3:4 | E. Moresheth-Gath |
| 26. _____ Sun shall go down | F. Over the prophets |
| 27. _____ Be shamed | G. Dragons |
| 28. _____ Build up Jerusalem | H. Shall become heaps |
| 29. _____ Priests | I. With iniquity |
| 30. _____ Jerusalem | J. To be gathered |

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

31. Micah was prophet of the (poor, rich).
32. God (did not, did) give ample warning to His people concerning their sinful ways.
33. The inhabitants of (Gath, Maroth, Lachish) bind the chariot to the swift beast.
34. "*I will assemble all of thee*" was spoken of (Jacob, Israel).
35. A "*caldron*" was a (large pot, idol, large fire).
36. The prophets would cry (peace, war) and make (war, peace).
37. The (diviners, kings, soldiers) shall be confounded.
38. Micah said he was full of (glory, power, respect) by the spirit of the Lord.
39. Zion was built up with (blood, stones, cedars).
40. Being a prophet of God was a (dangerous, healthy) occupation.

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #10

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The Book of Micah (chapters 4 - 7)

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| 1. _____ | Micah 4:1-3 | A. Hebrews 12:22-24 |
| 2. _____ | Micah 4:4-5 | B. Cut off |
| 3. _____ | Micah 4:10 | C. Perished out of the earth |
| 4. _____ | Micah 5:2 | D. Sins |
| 5. _____ | Micah 5:5a | E. Isaiah 2:2-4 |
| 6. _____ | Witchcrafts | F. Matthew 10:35-36 |
| 7. _____ | Rich men | G. Captivity |
| 8. _____ | Good man | H. Full of violence |
| 9. _____ | Cast into the sea | I. Birthplace of Jesus |
| 10. _____ | Micah 7:6 | J. Isaiah 9:6; Ephesians 2:14 |

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

11. The word of the Lord would go forth from _____.
12. The mountain of the Lord's house would be established in the _____ days.
13. Micah 4:7 may refer to the _____.
14. Micah 5:13 teaches that there would be no _____ in the church of God.
15. The Lord has a _____ with His people.
16. Moses, Aaron and Miriam were _____ and _____.
17. You shall tread the _____ but not anoint thee with oil.
18. _____ king of Israel, is mentioned in this lesson.
19. Keep the _____ of thy mouth.
20. Nations shall lick _____ like a serpent.

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ The "last days" began when Jesus died on the cross.
22. _____ Joel used the phrase "last days" according to Peter in Acts 2:17.
23. _____ The church was established in the city of Bethlehem.
24. _____ Micah 4:3 teaches that there will be a time when all people will be peaceful.
25. _____ The "goings forth" of Jesus have been from everlasting.
26. _____ Micah 6:6-8 is parallel with Hosea 6:6.
27. _____ People in Micah's day were honest when they put things on the scales.
28. _____ "They do evil with both hands" is a statement of Micah.
29. _____ Things were bad in Micah's day but at least you could trust your friends.
30. _____ God delights in mercy.

QUESTIONS:

31. What do you think is the most beautiful passage in Micah?
32. Do passages like Micah 4:1-5, deepen your faith in the inspiration of the scriptures?
33. Could you go to a fortune teller after reading Micah 5:12?
34. What did Balak want Balaam to do for him?
35. According to Micah 6:6-8, what does the Lord want from us?
36. Which verses in chapter 7 shows the utter sinfulness of God's people in Micah's day?
37. With everybody being wicked, to whom could Micah look?
38. Do these messages from the prophets have any application to us today?
39. As Micah stood in awe before God, he ask what question in 7:18?
40. What figure of speech is used by the prophet to describe the people of God?

Lessons on the Minor Prophets # 1 1

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The Book of Nahum

QUESTIONS:

1. What does the name "Nahum" mean?
2. Of what country was Nineveh the capital?
3. Who preached previously to Nineveh? About how many years before?
4. Romans 11:22 states what Nahum makes clear. God is both what?
5. Nahum 1:9-15 teaches that God will do what to Nineveh?
6. Make a list of the sins of which Nineveh was guilty.
7. What countries had been the strength of Nineveh?
8. What country especially was responsible for the fall of Nineveh?
9. After Nineveh was scattered, would she be gathered again?
10. Would the nations around be glad or sad at Nineveh's fall?

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

11. _____ Those for whom God's wrath is reserved.
12. _____ How quickly God's anger arises.
13. _____ What God is in the day of trouble.
14. _____ What the chariots of the invaders would be like.
15. _____ The spoils the invaders would take.
16. _____ What the young lions being devoured referred to.
17. _____ What Nineveh was full of.
18. _____ What Nineveh was described as the mistress of.
19. _____ Fate of young children.
20. _____ Sex of most of the defenders of the city.

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ Nahum identifies himself as an Elkoshite.
22. _____ The Lord will acquit the wicked.
23. _____ The stars are the dust of God's feet.
24. _____ God can make mountains quake, hills melt, and the earth burn.
25. _____ God knows those who trust in Him.
26. _____ God promised to cut off images.
27. _____ The destruction of Judah is described in 2:1-13.
28. _____ Nineveh is spoken of as "the bloody city."
29. _____ When Nineveh was destroyed, there were so many bodies on the ground they stumbled over them.
30. _____ Nineveh was to become vile and a gazing stock.

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| 31. _____ Nahum 1:15 | A. The Lord |
| 32. _____ Lord has His way | B. Nineveh |
| 33. _____ Good | C. Bright sword and glittering spear |
| 34. _____ Pursue enemies | D. Gather blackness |
| 35. _____ Rage in the streets | E. Heard no more |
| 36. _____ Like a pool of water | F. Romans 10:15 |
| 37. _____ Knees | G. Darkness |
| 38. _____ Faces | H. Smite together |
| 39. _____ Voices of messengers | I. In the whirlwind |
| 40. _____ Horsemen lift up | J. Chariots |

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #12

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The Book of Habakkuk

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| 1. _____ | Habakkuk | A. From Everlasting |
| 2. _____ | Habakkuk 1:5 | B. Psalms 11:4 |
| 3. _____ | Bitter nation | C. Romans 1:17 |
| 4. _____ | God | D. Trembled |
| 5. _____ | Habakkuk 2:4 | E. The Holy one |
| 6. _____ | Habakkuk 2:14 | F. Embrace |
| 7. _____ | Habakkuk 2:20 | G. Hills |
| 8. _____ | Mount Paran | H. Acts 13:41 |
| 9. _____ | Perpetual | I. Isaiah 11:9 |
| 10. _____ | Belly | J. Chaldeans |

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

11. Habakkuk said that there were those who raised up (strife, lies).
12. Habakkuk speaks of (birds, dogs, horses) that are swifter than leopards.
13. Habakkuk was told to (speak, write, conceal) the vision.
14. (Death, Greed, Man) cannot be satisfied.
15. The (ivy, mortar, stone) shall cry out of the wall.
16. Woe to him who gives his neighbor (money, drink, honey).
17. Idols are referred to as being (dumb, sightless, ugly).
18. Habakkuk speaks of God as having (eyes, horns, ears,) coming out of His hands.
19. God (measured, burned, cursed) the earth.
20. The sun and the moon (ceased to shine, moved backward, stood still) in their habitation.

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ God cannot look on iniquity.
22. _____ A blessing is pronounced on him that builds a town with blood.
23. _____ God was able to scatter the everlasting mountains.
24. _____ "*Revive thy work in the midst of thy years*" was spoken by God to Habakkuk.
25. _____ Chapter 3 is Habakkuk's prayer.
26. _____ Habakkuk's prophecy is spoken of as a burden.
27. _____ Habakkuk's writings were for the benefit of people in Judah.
28. _____ "*Salvation by faith*" was an O.T. teaching as well as one found in the N. T.
29. _____ A prophet was one who always foretold future events.
30. _____ God sometimes used wicked nations to punish others that were wicked.

QUESTIONS:

31. After reading this book, would you say it was written before the Babylonian invasion or after?
32. What reason is given in chapter one as a cause of idolatry?
33. A woe is pronounced upon the man who says what two things to wood?
34. Where does Habakkuk say God came from? Explain.
35. What is the meaning of the word "*Selah*?"
36. What trembled when they saw God?
37. What attribute of Habakkuk does his prayer reveal?
38. Why or when would 3:17 take place?
39. This lesson speaks of what kind of musical instruments?
40. With what three prophets was Habakkuk contemporary?

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #13

by Aude McKee

The Book of Zephaniah

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ The last part of 1:12 really says that some thought God would do nothing.
2. _____ Those with money would be able to deliver themselves from the Lord's wrath.
3. _____ God is a jealous God.
4. _____ Ethiopians are mentioned in this lesson.
5. _____ The priests of Jerusalem had polluted the sanctuary.
6. _____ The prophets of Jerusalem were true and loyal persons.
7. _____ The unjust do not know shame.
8. _____ God's determination was to scatter the nations in order to pour out His indignation.
9. _____ Jerusalem did not draw near to her God.
10. _____ "Let not thy hands be slack" was spoken to Zion.

QUESTIONS:

11. How far back is Zephaniah's lineage given?
12. During which king's reign did he prophecy?
13. Was Josiah good or bad? How about Hezekiah?
14. Is there any evidence that idolatry was practiced in Judah?
15. What did Zephaniah say was "at hand"?
16. What had the Lord prepared and invited guests?
17. Who is God addressing beginning in chapter 3?
18. What does Zephaniah say the priests had done to the law?
19. When do you think 3:9 was fulfilled?
20. Do you think God is a "universal God" who still judges wicked nations?

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

21. _____ Those whose children would be punished.
22. _____ How men would walk who had sinned against the Lord.
23. _____ The people that would be as Gomorrah.
24. _____ What God would do to Nineveh.
25. _____ How judges are described.
26. _____ Kind of people who would trust in the name of the Lord.
27. _____ That which would feed, lie down, and none would make them afraid.
28. _____ The meaning of Zephaniah's name.
29. _____ What the sea coast would be for.
30. _____ The capital of Assyria.

MATCH:

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| 31. _____ | Host of heaven | A. Day of wrath |
| 32. _____ | Fish | B. Language |
| 33. _____ | Search Jerusalem | C. Matthew 5:5 |
| 34. _____ | Great day of the Lord | D. Received not correction |
| 35. _____ | Blood | E. Sun, moon, stars |
| 36. _____ | Zephaniah 2:3 | F. The king of Israel |
| 37. _____ | Moab | G. With candles |
| 38. _____ | Pure | H. Shall be as Sodom |
| 39. _____ | Oppressing city | I. Gate |
| 40. _____ | In the midst of them | J. Poured out as dust |

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #14

by Aude McKee

The Book of Haggai

QUESTIONS:

1. Did Haggai prophesy before or after the Babylonian captivity?
2. To whom did he address his prophecy?
3. With what prophet was Haggai contemporary?
4. What house is referred to in 1:2?
5. Based on Ezra 5:1 and 6:14, in what city did Haggai prophesy?
6. Did the work of Haggai benefit the rebuilding of the temple?
7. Whose word does Haggai claim to be speaking?
8. Over what empire did Darius rule?
9. Was the new temple as glorious as the one Solomon built?
10. With what did God promise to fill his house?

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

11. The phrase "Word of the Lord" is found _____ time in this book.
12. The book of Haggai covers _____ months.
13. Silver and gold belong to _____.
14. "My _____ remains among you," God said.
15. "I will _____ all nations."
16. In "this place" God promised to give _____.
17. The priests were asked about the teaching of the _____.
18. Touching a dead _____ was a cause for uncleanness.
19. God promised to _____ the throne of kingdoms.
20. _____ was to be made as a signet.

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ Cyrus was the king at the time of Haggai's prophecy.
22. _____ The people said that it was time to build the Lord's house.
23. _____ The people lived in ceiled houses.
24. _____ The remedy for the condition described in 1:6 was to "consider your ways."
25. _____ The Jews, after returning to Jerusalem, had been too concerned with their own affairs.
26. _____ The response to Haggai's prophecy was quite different from the others we have studied.
27. _____ This temple was not as ornate nor as expensive as Solomon's.
28. _____ Zerubbabel and Joshua were admonished to "be strong."
29. _____ God speaks of having brought His people out of Canaan.
30. _____ Bearing holy flesh in the skirt of his garment is mentioned.

MATCH:

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| 31. _____ | Zerubbabel | A. From the mountain |
| 32. _____ | Wages | B. Haggai |
| 33. _____ | Joshua | C. Main idea of the book |
| 34. _____ | Bring wood | D. Did fear |
| 35. _____ | All the people | E. 1 Corinthians 15:58 |
| 36. _____ | Temple must be completed | F. Governor of Judah |
| 37. _____ | The Lord's messenger | G. In the barn |
| 38. _____ | Son of Josedech | H. Put into a bag with holes |
| 39. _____ | Work | I. Joshua |
| 40. _____ | Seed | J. High Priest |

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #15

by Aude McKee

The Book of Zechariah (chapters 1 - 4)

TRUE / FALSE:

1. _____ Both Zechariah and Haggai received their message from the Lord in the 2nd year of Darius.
2. _____ However, Zechariah's came two months sooner than Haggai's.
3. _____ Zechariah was a prophet who had visions.
4. _____ The Lord's house would be built in Bethlehem.
5. _____ The Lord rebuked Satan.
6. _____ A veil was placed on Joshua's head.
7. _____ The iniquity of the land was to be removed in one day.
8. _____ The angel put Zechariah to sleep.
9. _____ "Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit," was spoken by Joshua.
10. _____ We read of golden oil in this lesson.

MATCH:

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| 11. _____ | Zechariah | A. Tree |
| 12. _____ | Eleventh month | B. Jerusalem |
| 13. _____ | Berechiah | C. God's people |
| 14. _____ | Myrtle | D. Son of Berechiah |
| 15. _____ | Threescore and ten | E. Run to and fro |
| 16. _____ | Jerusalem | F. Sebat |
| 17. _____ | Apple of God's eye | G. Place where God's house to be built |
| 18. _____ | Joshua | H. Son of Iddo |
| 19. _____ | Brand plucked out of the fire | I. Stood before the Lord's angel |
| 20. _____ | Eyes of the Lord | J. 70 |

UNDERLINE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

21. Zechariah and (Amos, Micah, Hosea) have the same number of chapters.
22. Zechariah saw a rider on a (red, blue, grey) horse.
23. (Lions, horns, fear) scattered Judah, Israel and Jerusalem.
24. (One, three, four, two) angels are mentioned in this lesson.
25. The daughter of Zion was told to (sing, play, weep).
26. (God, Satan, Zechariah) stood at Joshua's right hand.
27. The unusual word, in this lesson, used to refer to Jesus is (Branch, Lamb, Root).
28. (Isaiah, Jonah, Daniel) also refers to Jesus by this word.
29. The foundation of God's house was laid by (Joshua, Zechariah, Zerubbabel).
30. The pipes were made of (silver, gold, brass).

QUESTIONS:

31. At about what time in history did Zechariah prophesy?
32. Is Palestine ever referred to as "the Holy Land?"
33. What kind of wall did the Lord promise would be around Jerusalem?
34. What does the word "Holy" mean?
35. In what kind of garments was Joshua clothed?
36. Describe the vision of chapter 4.
37. What house does 4:9 refer to?
38. Explain how "who hath despised the day of small things" fits into this context.
39. What did the two olive trees represent?
40. What part did angels play in these chapters?

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #16

by Aude McKee

The Book of Zechariah (chapters 5 - 8)

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

1. _____ The measurements of the flying roll.
2. _____ Number of chariots.
3. _____ Colors of the four horses.
4. _____ What the bay horses did.
5. _____ Name of the ninth Jewish month.
6. _____ People who were to not be oppressed.
7. _____ Time when 7:14 was fulfilled.
8. _____ What God was jealous for.
9. _____ What the heavens were to give.
10. _____ What men were not to love.

MATCH:

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| 11. _____ Talent | A. Spirits |
| 12. _____ Woman sat | B. Every man to his brother |
| 13. _____ Brass | C. Mountains |
| 14. _____ Horses | D. Be strong |
| 15. _____ Zechariah | E. City of truth |
| 16. _____ Show mercy and compassion | F. Lead |
| 17. _____ Hearts | G. Zechariah 8:16 |
| 18. _____ Jerusalem | H. Adamant stone |
| 19. _____ Hands | I. In the Ephah |
| 20. _____ Ephesians 4:25 | J. Father of Josiah |

QUESTIONS:

21. Chapter five is a continuation of whose vision?
22. What two sins were condemned on the roll?
23. What was in the wings of the two women?
24. Who talked to Zechariah in the vision of chapter 5?
25. In what direction did the white horses go?
26. To whom do verses 12-13 of chapter 6 refer?
27. What two offices would the Branch hold?
28. Read Hebrews 8:4. What does this truth do to the theory that Christ will return to earth to reign?
29. What was the temple that the Branch would build?
30. What would the streets of Jerusalem be full of?

TRUE / FALSE:

31. _____ Zechariah could well be called a Messianic prophet.
32. _____ One or two of the minor prophets prophesied more about the coming Messiah than Zechariah.
33. _____ The women had wings like a stork.
34. _____ The horses that went to the north country fired up God's Spirit.
35. _____ The crowns for Joshua were made of silver and gold.
36. _____ Seventy years are mention in this lesson.
37. _____ The people opened their ears so they could hear the Lord's Word.
38. _____ Young men and women would dwell in the streets of Jerusalem.
39. _____ The seed would be prosperous, the Lord said.
40. _____ Repent means to change one's mind.

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #17

by Aude McKee

The Book of Zechariah (chapters 9 - 14)

MATCH:

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| 1. _____ | Tyrus | A. Spoken vanity |
| 2. _____ | Zechariah 9:9 | B. Shall depart |
| 3. _____ | Idols | C. Built a stronghold |
| 4. _____ | God's flock | D. Beauty and bands |
| 5. _____ | Bastard | E. John 19:37 |
| 6. _____ | Sceptre of Egypt | F. Dwell in Ashdod |
| 7. _____ | Two staves | G. Holiness unto the Lord |
| 8. _____ | Zechariah 12:10 | H. Pass out of the land |
| 9. _____ | Unclean spirit | I. House of Judah |
| 10. _____ | On horse's bells | J. Matthew 21:4-5 |

QUESTIONS:

11. What is God saying in 9:1-8?
12. How was Zechariah able to foretell the Lord's triumphal entry into Jerusalem 500 years before it took place?
13. Are verses 9-17 a contrast with verse 1-8?
14. What prediction is made concerning Ephraim?
15. What does 11:12 remind you of?
16. How many times are the words, "*In that day*," found in this lesson?
17. Do any of these refer to the second coming of Christ or events connected therewith?
18. What misuse is made of 14:4?
19. Is the Lord King over all the earth now? (See 14:9 and Matthew 28:18)
20. Where was the prophet wounded?

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ Gaza and Ashkelon shall not be inhabited.
22. _____ God said He would save the house of Joseph.
23. _____ The pride of Egypt was to be brought down.
24. _____ Three shepherds were to be cut off in one month.
25. _____ Nathan is mentioned in this lesson.
26. _____ Horses were to have bells.
27. _____ The fish gate is referred to.
28. _____ David made Jerusalem the capital city.
29. _____ Living waters shall go out from Jerusalem.
30. _____ Zechariah is probably the most difficult of the minor prophets to understand.

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

31. The dominion of the king was to be from _____ to _____ and from the _____ even to the end of the earth.
32. God promised to bring His people out of _____ and _____.
33. Woe to the _____ shepherd.
34. God forms the _____ of man within him.
35. The house of _____ shall be as God.
36. Smite the _____, and the sheep will be scattered.
37. At evening time it will be _____.
38. The feast of _____ is mentioned in this lesson.
39. There shall be no more a _____ in the house of the Lord.
40. The _____ in the Lord's house shall be like the bowls before the _____.

Lessons on the Minor Prophets #18

by Aude McKee

The Book of Malachi

QUESTIONS:

1. About what date is given for Malachi's prophecy?
2. What is meant by, "*I loved Esau and hated Jacob*"? (See Genesis 25:23 and Romans 9:8-13).
3. What conditions existed in Jerusalem at the time of Malachi? (See 1:7-14).
4. What group among the Jews seemed to be most responsible for these deplorable conditions?
5. 2:11 reminds us of what man and his marriage?
6. With whom had the Jews dealt treacherously?
7. Do you think it may be that the ones covering the altar with tears were the wives the Jews put away?
8. What was the messenger of 3:1 going to accomplish?
9. Against whom was God going to be a "*swift witness*"?
10. Are verses 5 and 6 of chapter four referring to the messenger of 3:1?

MATCH:

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| 11. _____ Son | A. Putting away |
| 12. _____ Priest's lips | B. Matthew 11:10 |
| 13. _____ Lord will cut off | C. The law of Moses |
| 14. _____ The Lord hates | D. In tithes and offerings |
| 15. _____ Messenger | E. Honors his father |
| 16. _____ Malachi 3:1 | F. Changes not |
| 17. _____ God | G. Luke 1:15-17 |
| 18. _____ Robbed God | H. Should keep knowledge |
| 19. _____ Remember | I. Prepare the way |
| 20. _____ Malachi 4:5-6 | J. Marry daughters of a strange god |

TRUE / FALSE:

21. _____ Jacob was Esau's brother.
22. _____ When Malachi arrived in Jerusalem, the Jews were offering the best animals as sacrifices.
23. _____ Their worship was a weariness to Jehovah.
24. _____ "*The law of truth was in his mouth*" was spoken of Malachi.
25. _____ Genesis 1:24 teaches one woman for one man for life.
26. _____ John the Baptist would be like a refiner's fire.
27. _____ Tithing is still a command of God today.
28. _____ The Jews had been guilty of saying it was useless to serve God.
29. _____ The Sun of Righteousness shall arise with healing in His hands.
30. _____ "*The great and terrible day of the Lord*" refers to the final judgement.

FILL IN THE CORRECT WORD:

31. With the close of Malachi there is a period of about _____ years of silence.
32. Edom was located _____ of Jerusalem.
33. The worship of God must spring from the _____.
34. The priests had caused many to _____ at the law.
35. John the Baptist came in the spirit and power of _____.
36. After the coming of John, the offering of _____ and _____ would be pleasant.
37. "*_____ to me and I will _____ to you*" saith the Lord of Hosts.
38. Bring all the _____ into the storehouse.
39. A book of _____ was written before the Lord.
40. Of those born of women, none was greater than _____.