

LIVING WAY LECTURE

Great People of the OT

Amos

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THE LION SLEEPS TONIGHT

HYMN LSB 615

The Message of a Shepherd

Restore the Roar	How had the people of Amos' day approach life?
	Amos 8:5-6
	How did they view God?
	Amaziah

What do we make of Amos 3:6?	God's plan?
	God's Desire?
	The reality of unrepentant sin?

Amos 1:1-2 (ESV)

¹ The words of Amos, who was among the shepherds of Tekoa, which he saw concerning Israel... ² And he said: "The LORD roars from Zion and utters his voice from Jerusalem; the pastures of the shepherds mourn, and the top of Carmel withers."

Amos 3:6 (ESV)

⁶ Is a trumpet blown in a city, and the people are not afraid? Does disaster come to a city, unless the LORD has done it?

Amos 5:14, 18, & 19 (ESV)

¹⁴ Seek good, and not evil, that you may live; and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you, as you have said... ¹⁸ Woe to you who desire the day of the LORD! Why would you have the day of the LORD? It is darkness, and not light, ¹⁹ as if a man fled from a lion, and a bear met him, or went into the house and leaned his hand against the wall, and a serpent bit him.

Amos 8:4-6 (ESV)

⁴ Hear this, you who trample on the needy and bring the poor of the land to an end, ⁵ saying, "When will the new moon be over, that we may sell grain? And the Sabbath, that we may offer wheat for sale, that we may make the ephah small and the shekel great and deal deceitfully with false balances, ⁶ that we may buy the poor for silver and the needy for a pair of sandals and sell the chaff of the wheat?"

