
Amos uses three points of reference to date his message:

- King Uzziah in Judah (783-742 BC);
- King Jeroboam of Israel (786-746 BC); and
- Two years before a very memorable earthquake (Zech. 14:5).

» God often calls people in or from _____ to _____.
Amos 7:14-15

» _____, the idolatrous priest of Bethel, told Amos to go back where he came from because they didn't want to hear anything he had to say.
Amos 7:12-13

» We should never elevate a _____ or _____ above God.

» God doesn't always give us easy messages to preach, but our call isn't to _____ the message but to _____ it.

» The church seldom struggles in times of _____, but it often struggles in times of _____.

» God's message to Israel in Amos 5:4 is also God's message to every human being:
"_____."

Matthew 3:1-2, Matthew 4:17, 2 Peter 3:9, Revelation 2:5

» When we repent, God offers _____ and _____ through His Son, Jesus Christ.

2 Corinthians 5:21, 1 John 1:19