



# SUMMIT

## MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Four Minor Prophets—Small Books, Big Truths



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<b>Calamity</b>	<b>Leviticus</b>	<b>Deuteronomy</b>
Famine (6)	26:6, 29	28:17, 48
Drought (7-8)	26:19-20	28:22-24, 48
Blight, Mildew, Locusts (9)	-	28:18, 22, 30, 38-42
Plagues (10)	26:16, 25	28:21-22, 27, 35, 59-61
Military Defeat (10)	26:17, 33, 36-39	28:25-26, 49-52
Devastation (11)	26:31-35	29:23-28



Amos 5:21-24

<sup>21</sup> “I hate, I reject your festivals,

Nor do I delight in your solemn assemblies.

<sup>22</sup> “Even though you offer up to Me burnt offerings and your grain offerings,  
I will not accept them;

And I will not even look at the peace offerings of your fatlings.

<sup>23</sup> “Take away from Me the noise of your songs;

I will not even listen to the sound of your harps.

<sup>24</sup> “But let justice roll down like waters

And righteousness like an ever-flowing stream.

Amos 3:11-12

<sup>11</sup>Therefore thus says the Lord God:  
“An adversary shall surround the land  
and bring down your defenses from you,  
and your strongholds shall be plundered.”

<sup>12</sup>Thus says the LORD,  
“Just as the shepherd snatches from the lion’s mouth a couple of legs or a piece  
of an ear,  
So will the sons of Israel dwelling in Samaria be snatched away.

Amos 8:9-10

<sup>9</sup> “It will come about in that day,” declares the Lord GOD,  
“That I will make the sun go down at noon  
And make the earth dark in broad daylight.  
<sup>10</sup> ... And I will make it like *a time of mourning* for an only son,

“You are more sinful than you ever dared believed and yet more acceptable and loved in Christ than you ever dared hope.”

**Tim Keller**

