

## Biblical Economics – 19 (The Eighth Century)

**Judah** Uzziah 783-742  
Jotham 742-735  
Ahaz 735-715  
Hezekiah 715-687/6

**Israel** Jeroboam II 786-746  
  
(Fall of Samaria 722)

**Amos 1** <sup>1</sup> The words of Amos, who was among the shepherds of Tekoa, which he saw concerning Israel in the days of Uzziah king of Judah, and in the days of Jeroboam the son of Joash, king of Israel, two years before the earthquake.

**Amos 5** <sup>18</sup> Woe to you who desire the day of the Lord! / For what good is the day of the Lord to you? It will be darkness, and not light. . . . <sup>20</sup> Is not the day of the Lord darkness, and not light? Is it not very dark, with no brightness in it?

**Hosea 1** <sup>1</sup> The word of the Lord that came to Hosea the son of Beeri, in the days of Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz, and Hezekiah, kings of Judah, and in the days of Jeroboam the son of Joash, king of Israel

**Isaiah 6** <sup>1</sup> In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne . . .

**Isaiah 1** <sup>1</sup> The vision of Isaiah the son of Amoz, which he saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem in the days of Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz, and Hezekiah, kings of Judah.

**Micah 1** <sup>1</sup> The word of the Lord that came to Micah of Moresheth in the days of Jotham, Ahaz, and Hezekiah, kings of Judah, which he saw concerning Samaria and Jerusalem.

**Amos 7** <sup>10</sup> Then Amaziah the priest of Bethel sent to Jeroboam king of Israel, saying, “Amos has conspired against you in the midst of the house of Israel. The land is not able to bear all his words. <sup>11</sup> For thus Amos has said: ‘Jeroboam shall die by the sword, / And Israel shall surely be led away captive from their own land.’ ”

<sup>12</sup> Then Amaziah said to Amos: “Go, you seer! Flee to the land of Judah. There eat bread and prophesy there. <sup>13</sup> But never again prophesy at Bethel, For it *is* the king’s sanctuary, And it *is* the royal house.”

<sup>14</sup> Then Amos answered, and said to Amaziah: “No prophet am I, Nor son of a prophet, But I am a breeder of sheep and a caretaker of the sycamore. <sup>15</sup> Then the Lord took me [as I followed the flock, And the Lord said to me, ‘Go, prophesy to My people Israel.’

<sup>16</sup> Now therefore, hear the word of the Lord: You say, ‘Do not prophesy against Israel, And do not sound off against the house of Isaac.’ <sup>17</sup> “Therefore thus says the Lord: ‘Your wife shall be a harlot in the city; / Your sons and daughters shall fall by the sword; / Your land shall be divided by lines; / You shall die in a defiled land; / And Israel shall surely be led away captive from his own land.’ ”

## The *TaNak* — The Hebrew Canon, 20 Scrolls

### 1) The Torah — 5 Scrolls

Genesis  
Exodus  
Leviticus  
Numbers  
Deuteronomy

### 2) The Nevi'im — 8 Scrolls

#### *Former Prophets* (4)

Joshua  
Judges  
Samuel  
Kings

#### *Latter Prophets* (4)

Isaiah  
Jeremiah  
Ezekiel  
The Twelve  
Hosea  
Joel  
Amos  
Obadiah  
Jonah  
Micah  
Nahum  
Habakkuk  
Zephaniah  
Haggai  
Zechariah  
Malachi

### 3) The Ketubim — 7 Scrolls

Psalms  
Job  
Proverbs  
*Megilloth*  
Ruth  
Song of Solomon  
Lamentation  
Qoheleth  
Esther  
Daniel  
Ezrah/Nehemiah  
Chronicles