

Sermon Outline • August 1, 2010
"Minor Prophets; Major Issues"
Hosea

Introduction: Wedding messes...

1. The Sin: _____!

"Their mother has been unfaithful and has conceived them in disgrace. She said, 'I will go after my lovers, who give me my food and my water, my wool and my linen, my oil and my drink.'" Hosea 2:5

- This brokenness cannot be repaid -- _____.

2. God's Judgment: _____.

"She has not acknowledged that I was the one who gave her the grain, the new wine and oil, who lavished on her the silver and gold-- which they used for Baal. "Therefore I will take away my grain when it ripens, and my new wine when it is ready. I will take back my wool and my linen..." Hosea 2:8-9

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3. God's Love: _____.

"I will betroth you to me forever; I will betroth you in righteousness and justice, in love and compassion." Hosea 2:19

- Love is _____.

4. Restoration: _____.

"I will show my love to the one I called 'Not my loved one.' I will say to those called 'Not my people,' 'You are my people'; and they will say, 'You are my God.'" Hosea 2:23

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Answers to Sermon Outline: Unfaithful! It must be restored.

Trust Lost. Every aspect of a relationship is tainted. To stay when others leave. Messy. An act of God. New Creation.