

Who can cancel God's Word?

- 1. <u>The Bible is a divine integrated message system.</u> You cannot pull on one string of scripture without it tugging on others.
- 2. The Bible teaches us the importance of serving God who can <u>cancel the</u> <u>cultures</u> affects it has on His people.
- 3. Christians are Kingdom people & that will override the culture of the day!

*Amos 7:1 This is what the Sovereign LORD showed me: He was preparing swarms of locusts after the king's share had been harvested and just as the late crops were coming up. (Greek translation) V:1 Thus has the Lord God shewed me; and, behold, a swarm of locusts coming from the east; and, behold, one caterpillar, king Gog.

*Amos 7:2 When they had stripped the land clean, I cried out, "Sovereign LORD, forgive! How can Jacob survive? He is so small!"

*Amos 7:3 So the LORD relented (sympathized.) "This will not happen," the LORD said.

*Amos 7:4 This is what the Sovereign LORD showed me: The Sovereign LORD was calling for judgment by fire; it dried up the great deep and devoured the land. *Amos 7:5 Then I cried out, "Sovereign LORD, I beg you, stop! How can Jacob survive? He is so small!"

*Amos 7:6 So the LORD relented. "This will not happen either," the Sovereign LORD said.

"Cancelling your consequences" (Amos 7:1-6) The vision of Locust & Fire

- 1. Jacob the father of the 12 tribes of Israel. Jacob name means deceiver. God often refers to the nation of Israel by the name Jacob when the nation acts in a deceptive or rebellious manner toward God and each other.
- 2. V:1 Gog: The leader of evil spirits (locust) (Rev. 9:1-11 & Rev. 20:8 see arknaz.com for these teachings.)

- 3. V:2 Amos stood in the gap for Israel and asked God to cancel their judgement.
- 4. V:3 God canceled the judgement of locust attacking Israel.
- 5. V:4-6 God cancels a judgement this time of fire against Israel. There was no merit but because of the intercession of Amos. (Grace!)

*Amos 7:8 And the LORD asked me, "What do you see, Amos?" "A plumb line, " I replied. Then the Lord said, "Look, I am setting a plumb line among my people Israel; I will spare them no longer.

*Amos 7:9 "The high places of Isaac will be destroyed and the sanctuaries of Israel will be ruined; with my sword, I will rise against the house of Jeroboam."

"When you let your sins cancel your future" (Amos 7:8-17) The vision of the Plumbline

- 1. A Plumbline is a measuring device. Its use in this instant to be a gage for judgement.
- 2. Daniel 12:4 The end-times revelation insights were sealed until knowledge increased. Christian, is your knowledge increasing?
- 3. V:8-9 The vision was captivity, death to King and destruction of the temple this is fulfilled in 586 BC and again in 70 AD
- 4. V:10-17 Amos is accused of leading a conspiracy, & is threaten by the influential priest Amaziah.

*Amos 7:15 But the LORD took me from tending the flock and said to me, 'Go, prophesy to my people Israel.' 16 Now then, hear the word of the LORD. You say, " 'Do not prophesy against Israel, and stop preaching against the descendants of Isaac.'

17 "Therefore this is what the LORD says: " 'Your wife will become a prostitute in the city, and your sons and daughters will fall by the sword. Your land will be measured and divided up, and you yourself will die in a pagan country. And Israel will surely go into exile, away from their native land. ' "

"Will the Church culture cancel the Prophetic voice?"