




God's Love Stirred Toward Sinners

Part 1



God displayed tender love toward sinful Israel like a loving parent toward their rebellious child.



Outline of Hosea

Divine Faithfulness repaid with unfaithfulness (1-3)

Divine Justice rebukes sin (4-7)

Divine Righteousness punishes sin (8-10)

Divine Love stirred toward sinners (11:1-11)

Divine Love rejected by sinners (11:12-13:16)


Divine Mercy restores sinners (14)



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I. Divine love was displayed but rejected (11:1-4)





Only through Jesus could God's love become a reality for sinners to be sons.

Rom 5:8 *“But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us”*

Eph 2:4-5 *“But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in our transgressions, made us alive together with Christ”*

Titus 3:4-7 *“But when the kindness of God our Savior and His love for mankind appeared, He saved us...”*

1 John 4:9-10 *“By this the love of God was manifested in us, that God has sent His only Son...to be the propitiation for our sins”*



One of the “high places” in Israel