

# The Love Story of HOSEA

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## Next week...

- 8:45 and 11:15- "Heaven: Would Tom Sawyer want to go there?"
- 10:15 Discovery Class- "Loving God with your Unique Spiritual Temperament"

“I will heal their waywardness, and love them freely, for my anger has turned away from them.”

-Hosea 14:4

**WHO MOVED?**

We are to live by faith & not by  
sight or feelings

# The story summarized in Hosea 3

“Go, show your love to your wife again,  
though she is ..... An adulteress”

-Vs 1a

**“Love her as the Lord loves the  
Israelites .....”**

**-vs 1b**

Hosea 14 (the conclusion)

Shows that repentance brings  
blessing



What “expository drama”  
is.....

# THE LOVE STORY OF HOSEA

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# FAMILY INTRODUCTIONS

Gomer

Jezreel

Ruhamah

Ammi

# Israel's Backslidden Condition

Meeting Gomer

**MARRIAGE**

**AND**

**CHILDREN**

**DAYS OF  
REBELLION  
AND PAIN**

# THE SLAVE MARKET



**JEZREEL**

**RUHAMAH**

**AMMI**

# The Joy of Restoration

“He who conceals his sin does not prosper, but whoever confesses and renounces them finds mercy.”

-Proverbs 28:13