

SUNDAY, JUNE 27, 2021

MORNING MESSAGE

“The Greatest Love Story Never Told”

Hosea 1:2

- I. THE INTRODUCTION TO THE LOVE STORY (1:1-2:1)
 - A. The introduction of the preacher man (1:1)
 - B. The introduction of the promiscuous woman (1:2)
 - C. The introduction of the prophetic children (1:3-10)
- II. THE INCREASE OF THE LOVE STORY (2:2-23)
 - A. Gomer left Hosea
 1. She got tired of being married (2:2)
 2. She got tired of being mom (2:2)
 3. She got tired of being moral (2:5)
 - B. Hosea loved Gomer
 1. He provided for her needs (2:8)
- III. THE INSTRUCTION OF THE LOVE STORY (3:1-5)
 - A. The instruction to the prophet (3:1-2)
 - B. The instruction to the prostitute (3:3)
- IV. THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE LOVE STORY
 - A. The implications to Israel
 1. The story of Hosea and Gomer is an illustration of the relationship between God and Israel
 - a. Hoses 1:2, “for the land hath committed great whoredom, departing from the Lord”
 - B. The implications to us
 1. We are all sinners – just like Gomer
 2. God loves us – just like Hosea
 3. We can be redeemed - just like Gomer
 - a. 1 Peter 1:18-19, “ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold...but with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and spot”