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Amos 8:1 Thus the Lord God showed me, and behold, there was a basket of summer fruit. **2** He said, “What do you see, Amos?” And I said, “A basket of summer fruit.” Then the Lord said to me, **“The end has come for My people Israel. I will spare them no longer.”** **3** The songs of the palace will turn to **wailing** in that day,” declares the Lord God. “Many will be the corpses; in every place they will cast them forth in silence.”

1. The end will bring wailing and mourning.



Amos 8:4 Hear this, you who **trample the needy**, to do away
with the humble of the land, **5** saying,
“When will the new moon be over,
So that we may sell grain,
And the sabbath, that we may open the wheat market,
To make the bushel smaller and the shekel bigger,
And to **cheat** with **dishonest** scales,
6 So as to buy the helpless for money
And the needy for a pair of sandals,
And that we may sell the refuse of the wheat?”



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Amos 8:7 The Lord has sworn by the pride of Jacob,
“Indeed, I will never forget any of their deeds.

8 “Because of this will not the land quake
And everyone who dwells in it mourn?
Indeed, all of it will rise up like the Nile,
And it will be tossed about And subside like the Nile of Egypt.

9 “It will come about **in that day,**” declares the Lord God,
“That I will make the sun go down at noon
And make the earth dark in broad daylight.

10 “Then I will turn your festivals into **mourning**
And all your songs into lamentation;
And I will bring sackcloth on everyone’s loins
And baldness on every head.

And I will make it like a time of **mourning** for an only son,
And the end of it will be like a bitter day.



Amos 8:11 “Behold, days are coming,” declares the Lord God,
“When I will send **a famine** on the land,
Not a famine for bread or a thirst for water,
But rather **for hearing the words of the Lord.**”

12 “People will stagger from sea to sea
And from the north even to the east;
They will go to and fro to seek the word of the Lord,
But they will not find it.”

13 “In that day the beautiful virgins
And the young men will faint from thirst.”

14 “As for those who swear by the guilt of Samaria,
Who say, ‘As your god lives, O Dan,’
And, ‘As the way of Beersheba lives,’
They will fall and not rise again.”

2. The end
will bring
a famine
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of the Lord.



What are the asks today?

- Will you trust in God's Word?
- Will you live with urgency and walk by faith, even if it is risky and costly?
- Will you see the danger in apathy and appearances?
- Will you see the danger in not training the next generation to be worshipers & witnesses?

