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## 4. Amos

Declaring Absolute Truth in an Abstract Culture

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"The man who fears no truths has nothing to fear from lies." —Thomas Jefferson

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What about the ? Amos 1:1

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## Amos 7:14

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"Something—a backlash against religion's worst sins, a political climate that wants to stamp out religion in public life, the popular rise of atheism, amplified access to polarizing points of view, something—is making it increasingly difficult to practice faith in our society... For many people of faith, it's becoming harder to live their convictions outside of their religious communities. It feels as though forces are pushing religion to the margins. In fact, to millions faith is either irrelevant or bad news. 'Religion poisons everything' declares the subtitle of one of the best feeling books of our new century."

—David Kinsman & Gabe Lyons

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- Denouncing \_\_\_\_\_
- Pronouncing \_\_\_\_\_
- Announcing \_\_\_\_\_\_

## **Amos 4-6**

4:1-2, 4-5, 12

5:10-13, 21-24

6:1-8

Amos 7:7-9
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Amos 2:12
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Hebrews 4:12
Psalm 119:105
2 Timothy 3:16-17
Isaiah 40:8
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Test of
Amos 7:10-11
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"That often happens when the word of God is spoken. People will allow us to speak the truth of God so long as they agree with us, or if we do it vaguely... But let the message be heard and understood, and immediately the opposition and misrepresentation begins."

—James M. Boice

Matthew 5:11-12	
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Test of	
Amos 7:12	
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1 Peter 2:20-23

Test of			
With			

Amos 7:13

Matthew 10:16-18

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