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## 5. Obadiah

Addressing Pride, Prejudice and Prosperity

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Notes:

### **Obadiah 1-4**

#### **Obadiah 1-2**



#### Quick Facts:

- Smallest of all Minor Prophets
- Name means "servant" or "worshipper of God"
- Contemporary of Jeremiah, the "weeping prophet"
- Prophesy regarding the doom of Edom, 585 B.C.
- Petra was the capitol city

### **Judgment Phase:**

- Descendants of Esau (Israel & Edom rivalry) Genesis 25:23
- Edomites denied passage through their land Numbers 20:14-21
- Joined with Ammonites and Moabites to attack Judah
- Herod (Edomite) —sought to kill Christ

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**Obadiah 3** 

Proverbs 16:18

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# Obadiah 15

They came first for the Communists, and I did not speak up because I wasn't a Communist.

Then they came for the Jews, and I didn't speak up because I wasn't a Jew.

Then they came for the trade unionists, and I did not speak up Because I was not a trade unionist.

Then they came for the Catholics, and I did not speak up because I was a Protestant.

Then they came for me and by that time no one was left to speak up.

-Martin Niemoeller, Lutheran Pastor

### **Obadiah 15, 17**

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"The Lord hastens not after the manner of men; but at the same time, He knows His own seasons; and this is ever accomplished, that when the ungodly think themselves to be at rest then sudden destruction overtakes them... As God has proved Himself to be One who justly punishes sins with the respect to Israel and Judah, so also at length He will ascend His tribunal to judge all the nations... All in their different conditions shall be constrained to give an account of their actions, for the Lord will spare none." —John Calvin

# **Obadiah 17**

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#### **Obadiah 21**

"Our security is bound up in God's sovereignty."
—Mariano DiGangi

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"Christians must live as the community of the King in a world dominated by the prince of darkness. Here and now, we are called to radical discipleship and fervent witness. We are to live as those who anticipate the full revelation of His glorious victory, following the ethical standards found in Scripture rather than the guidelines of this evil age... This will require total commitment, something quite different from mere tokenism and superficial believism. —Mariano DiGangi

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