

Volume 3 The Prophetic Books Amos 2:11 – 12

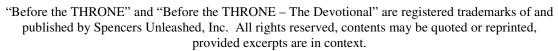
"I raised up some of your sons as prophets... but you commanded them saying, "do not prophesy." Amos 2:11-12

This experience is not foreign to us – any of us. Children attempt to play mother against father to obtain their desired outcome. Christians go from church to church seeking the message they desire to hear. Citizens, knowing what is right and good, still vote for their own conveniences rather than what is needful and righteous! So you see, we too, reject the truth in our midst in favour of that which is easy or that which is comfortable.

"For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables. (2 Timothy 4:3 – 4).

How do you react when a family member "catches" you in a sin or lie? Do you justify yourself or do you receive them as a prophet sent from God – and repent quickly?

"Lord, open my eyes to see the "prophets" you have sent into my life. Help me to never quench them or stop my eyes to their message. Lord, help me to walk in integrity of heart. Grace me to love the truth and not "catch" the plague of our day – spiritually itching ears!



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