

The Book of Amos
UNAPOLOGETIC UNAPOLOGETIC
JUSTICE JUSTICE

*Amos was called by _____ as a prophet to speak
His words to the northern kingdom of _____.*

AMOS 1:1

*Because they did evil in the sight of Yahweh, the Northern
Kingdom of Israel faced His _____ through
their _____ in 721 B.C.*

2 KINGS 17:6-23

*The Northern Kingdom split away in 930 B.C. to serve the
_____ king Jeroboam I and every _____
king after him.*

I KINGS 11:29-39, 12:20-33

*The God of the Universe has always had standards that come from
and conform to His character. His standards are always right and
good because He is always right and good. As the One by whom all
things were created and for whom all things are created, He is always
right to punish wrongdoing. To bring about justice is central to God's
goodness, so we should not be surprised when He does so. The
surprising thing is that He would ever hold back His justice. The
Northern Kingdom of Israel had been flaunting God's standards and
looking elsewhere for their security for centuries.
The hammer is coming down, and in Amos, we get a front row
seat to witness God setting right the injustice and oppression and
unrighteousness that Israel had indulged in for far too long.*