

Obadiah

Judgment on Edom

Setting: Before the exile in the northern kingdom of Israel

Literary Styles: Poetry, prophecy, judgment oracle

Main Characters: The Lord, Edom

Plot: The nation of Edom will be held accountable for the way they have treated the people of God.

Selected Key Verses: v. 10, 15, 21

KEY THEMES:

God is in control of all nations and peoples.

Nothing can keep Him from accomplishing His purposes.

God keeps account of what is done to His people.

He will accomplish justice.

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DAILY READING

Monday - v. 1-7 What were the people of Edom counting on for their security? Is their hope well-founded?

Tuesday - v.8-14 What is God's accusation against Edom?

Wednesday - v.15-18 What distinction does the Lord make between His people and their enemies?

Thursday - v.19-21 What will be the end situation for the people of God?

Friday - Why do you think this book is included in Scripture?
What does it have to teach God's people in the OT period?
What does it have for us today?

For the Kids

Read 1-7. Where did the people of Edom place their trust? Is this a good thing to place their trust in? Why or Why not?

Read 8-14. What is going to happen to Edom? Why is this happening?

Read 15-18. On the day of the Lord, how will the Lord judge the nations? What does this teach us about God? How will Israel be different from their enemies on the day of the Lord?

Read 19-21. Will Israel always be destroyed? Why or why not?