

WEEK 2

Hosea 1:1-3

Observations and Discussion

What is significant about the Word of the LORD coming to Hosea?

Define the term harlotry?

What did God command Hosea to do?

How would you characterize Hosea's wife?

Why do you think God required Hosea to marry an unfaithful woman?

Consider Ezekiel 16 – What is the illustration?

What does it illustrate?

Consider Ezekiel 23 – What is the illustration?

What does it illustrate?

How had Israelites been unfaithful in their relationship with God?

Gomer's father's name "Diblaim" carries the connotation of one completely given over to sensuality. What could this possibly indicate about how Gomer was raised?

How was Gomer shown grace?

Personal Reflection

In what ways are you unfaithful in your relationship with God

How has God shown you grace?