

# WEEK 7

Hosea 4:1-10

## Observations and Discussion

vs 1-3

What is the indictment that God brings against Israel?

What is the sentence handed out?

vs 4-6

Why would the people contend with the priest?

See Deuteronomy 17:8-13

What does their rejection of God's indictment against them, reveal about their hearts?

How had Israel stumbled?

Who is their mother?

What is the knowledge the people had rejected?

How does a lack of knowledge destroy?

How was Israel a nation of priests? See Exodus 19:5-6

vs 7-10

Describe how the people had treated God's provision and blessing?

Why were the priests included in the coming judgment?

What was the reward for their deeds?

### Personal Reflection

How does your relationship with God affect those around you?

What are some things you can do to pursue knowledge and protect your heart from iniquity?