August 6/Day 218

Zephaniah 1

• Zephaniah is another "minor prophet", not because his message was less important, but because his message was short compared to some other prophetic messages like Isaiah and Jeremiah.

Verse 1

• Lots of names here. To find the time reference, look for the words, "in the days of...".

Verses 2-4

• Who is this prophecy against?

Verses 5-10

• On what day?

Verses 11-16

• Does this answer what day?

Verses 17-18

- Will their money be useful on that day?
- Does this answer what day?

Zephaniah 2

Verses 1-2

• "Before" is a time reference. What two things are mentioned "before"?

Verses 3-7

• What will be the "woe" on the coast?

Verses 8-9

• What happened to Sodom and Gomorrah? So, what will happen to Moab?

Verses 10-11

• According to verse 10, why will the LORD judge these nations?

Verses 12-15

• Which city would become a desolation? We saw this before.

Zephaniah 3

Verses 1-2

• Based on the context, which city is this about? Whose LORD and God is He?

Verses 3-4

• What have the priests and prophets done?

Verses 5-11

• In what day? "On My holy mountain" is a clue.

Verses 12-14

• When will they shout for joy? Has this happened?

Verse 15

• When will Jerusalem fear disaster no more?

Verses 16-17

• I love this verse. What will the LORD do? Some versions say He will "sing" over them.

Verses 18-20

• Near future prophecy or far future prophecy?

See you tomorrow.