17.03.05 Here Comes the Judge Hosea 4.1 – 10 Notes

Hosea chapter 4, depicts a courtroom screen in which we are pronounced guilty on two separate charges:

1. **Failure to God .** Read Hosea 4.1; Proverbs 3.3 – 5;

*No knowledge* of God means  real  with God. Jeremiah 22.15 – 16; Psalm 40.8;

With no relationship the wheels come off. Verse 2

The second charge leveled by God is:

1. **Failure to others** . Hosea 4.4 – 6;

We should hold our leaders accountable; and, more personally we should embrace the priestly role God has given to you. 1 Peter 2.9

God instills critical leadership responsibilities in our  . Genesis 1.26 – 28;

God has similar leadership expectations for us in our individual families.

 1 Peter 3.7

 Deuteronomy 6.6 – 9

 Ephesians 6.1

To lead biblically requires a solid foundation built on   .

God sums up the verdict in verse 10: You have turned away from Me to follow other gods.

God gives us the opportunity to:

1. **continually and seek God’s .**

Confession is the process in which we  with  about his requirements for holiness and our inability to fulfill them. Psalm 51.1 – 13; Isaiah 6.5; Luke 18.13; Daniel 9.5; 1 John 1.9;

Repentance is the process of   to God seeking a restored relationship with Him. 2 Corinthians 7.9 – 10; Acts 3.19; Psalm 32.1 – 5; Proverbs 28.13;

**Confess continually and seek God’s restoration.**