

## Questions On Hosea Chapter 14

1. God's people had cast Him aside, but what does He offer them?
  - a. Was God's offer of restoration to the *nation* of Israel or to any of its penitent *individuals*?
  - b. Again, God's people had cast Him aside, but what point did Paul make about this in Romans 11:2?
2. According to verses 2 and following, the Jews were to return to God with *words*. Not with empty words, but with what kind of words?
  - a. What would Ephraim finally acknowledge at some point? (v. 8)
3. What misconceptions would they have to give up?
4. According to verse 4, how would God's view of them change if they were to repent?
5. What horticultural comparisons are made in verses 5-7, and what is the point?
  - a. Who else compared Israel to an "olive tree?" (see Romans 11:17 for help)
6. What does the wise and prudent man acknowledge?