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TEXT: Hosea 9:1-9

TITLE: "He Remembers!"

Chapter Nine

1. The Lord E_		the Sinfu
Behavior	of Israel—9:1	-4

A. Israel Should Not Rejoice (as if no sin)—9:1a-c

- 1. The Prohibition: Don't Rejoice as Other People Do—9:1a
- 2. The Cause: Spiritual Harlotry—Forsaking God—9:1b
- 3. The Heart: Loving the Harlot's Wages—9:1c

B. Israel is Deceived and Disappointed—9:2a-b

- 1. Threshing Floor Will Not Provide Food—9:2a
- 2. Wine Press Will Not Nourish—9:2a
- 3. New Wine Will Disappoint Them—9:2b

C. Israel Will Go to Other Lands—9:3a-c

- 1. Israel Will Not Stay in the LORD'S Land—9:3a
- 2. Ephraim Will Return to Egypt—9:3b
- 3. They Will Eat Unclean Food in Assyria—9:3c

D. Israel Will Not Worship Acceptably—9:4a-f

- 1. No Drink Offerings Will Be Given—9:4a
- 2. Their Sacrifices Will Not Please Him—9:4b
- 3. The Bread Will Be Defiled as Those Mourning a Dead One—9:4c

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- 1. Prophets are Fools—9:7d
- 2. Spiritual Men are Crazy—9:7e

C. Sin Has Grave Consequences—9:7f-g

- 1. Iniquity Was Abundant—9:7f
- 2. Animosity Was Abounding—9:7g

(Perhaps this is why the Prophet is a fool and Spiritual men made crazy!)

4. Ephraim F_____ from His Prominent Position—9:8-9b

A. The Change in His Position—9:8a-c

- 1. He Rejected God's Watchman—9:8a
- 2. The Watchman Was Viewed as a Snare—9:8b
- 3. He Became an Enemy to God—9:8c

B. The Corruption in His Practices—9:9a-b

- 1. He Was Deeply Corrupted—9:9a
- 2. He Returned to Gibeah in Corruption—9:9b
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5. God Will D_____ with Ephraim's Sin—9:9c-d

- A. He Will Remember Iniquity—9:9c
- B. He Will Punish Sins—9:9d