

An Outline of Zephaniah

I. The Prophet's Life

A. H_____ Great, Great G_____ - Is this King Hezekiah?

Hezekiah – Amariah – Gedaliah – Cushi – Zephaniah

Hezekiah – Manasseh – Amon – Josiah

B. Three Dates Worth Mentioning

1. J_____ R_____ (640-609 BC – reforms 628-621 BC
– see II Chronicles 34-35)

2. C_____ E_____ Begins – 625 BC

3. N_____ D_____ - 612 BC

C. Minister B_____ J_____ Reforms and the Fall of

N_____ (1:4-6 and 2:13-15)

D. His Name Menas the L_____ H_____

E. Contemporaries: H_____ and J_____

II. The Prophet's Ministry

A. “If anyone wishes all the oracles of the prophets to be given in a brief compendium, let him read through the book of Zephaniah.”

B. What is a brief summary of the messages we have heard from the prophets so far?

III. An Outline of Zephaniah

A. I_____ (1:1)

B. D_____ of the W_____ E_____ (1:2-3)

C. D_____ of J_____ (1:4-6)

D. The D_____ of the L_____ for J_____ (1:7-2:3)

E. The Day of the Lord for N_____ S_____ Judah (2:4-15)

1. P_____ to the W_____ (2:4-7)

2. M_____ and A_____ to the E_____ (2:8-11)

3. C_____ (Ethiopia) to the S_____ (2:12)

4. A_____ to the N_____ (2:13-15)

F. A S_____ of the D_____ (3:1-8)

G. C_____, W_____, and R_____ (3:9-20)