

Profit from the Prophets



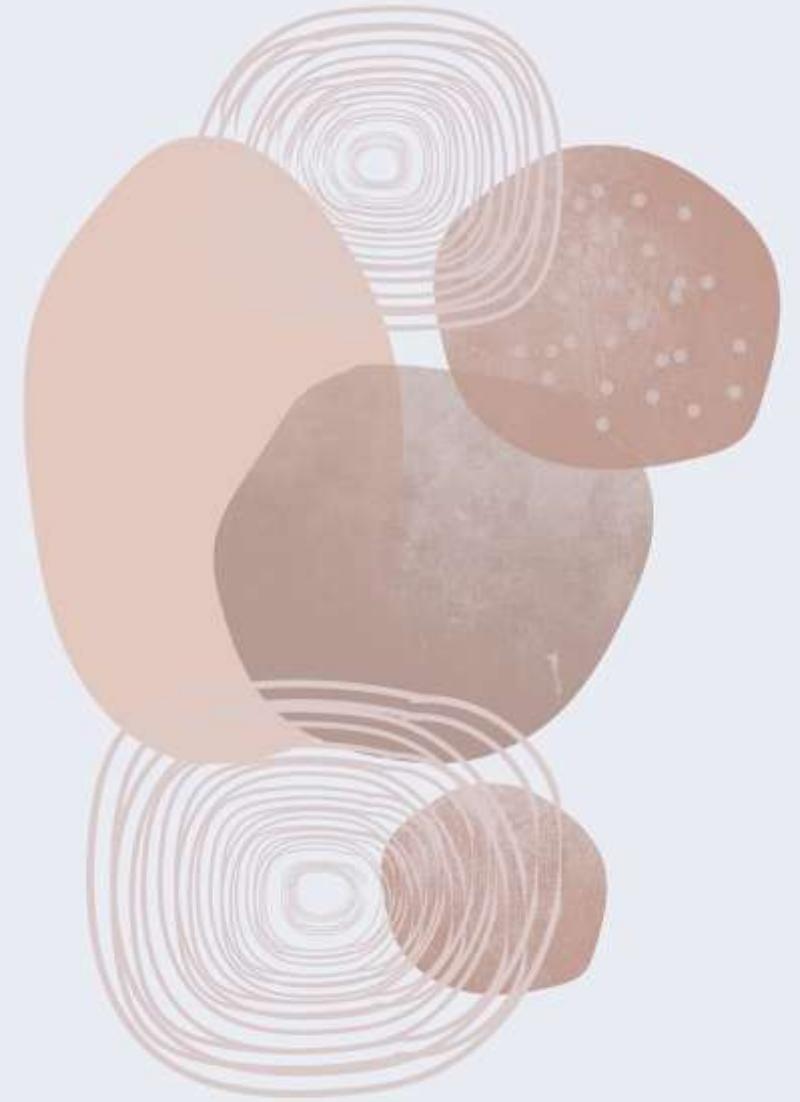
A FOLLOW-UP TO *HOW TO READ
THE BIBLE FOR ALL ITS WORTH*

How to Preach & Teach the **Old Testament** for All Its Worth



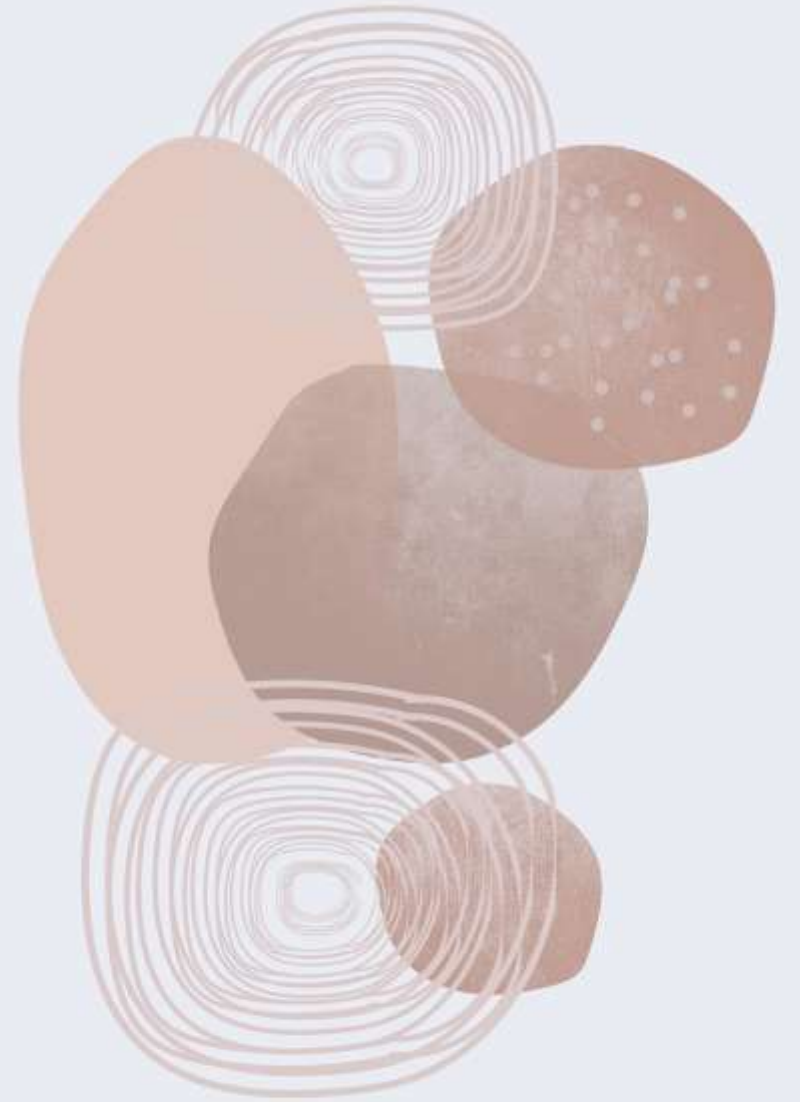
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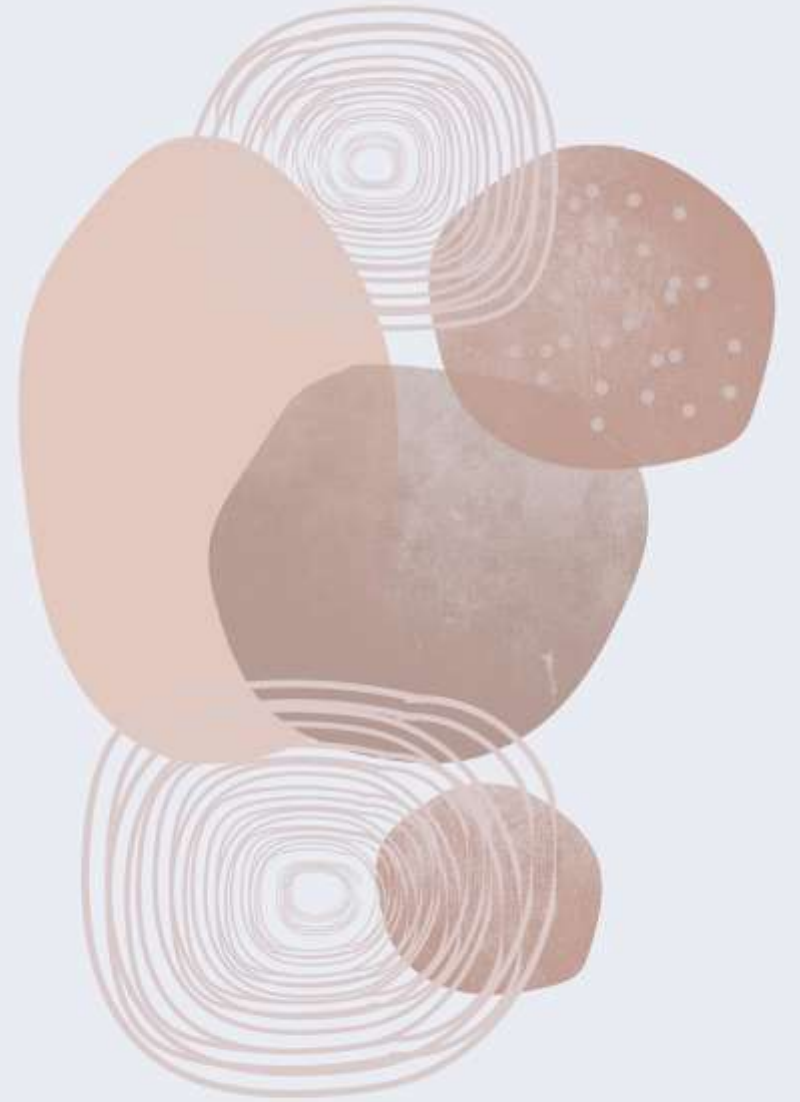
Know the Prophets

- They had mouths – Jeremiah 1:9
- They had eyes – Isaiah 2:7, 7:2-4
- They had hearts – Jeremiah 9:1-3
- They had hands – Jeremiah 19:10-12, Isaiah 20:2-4



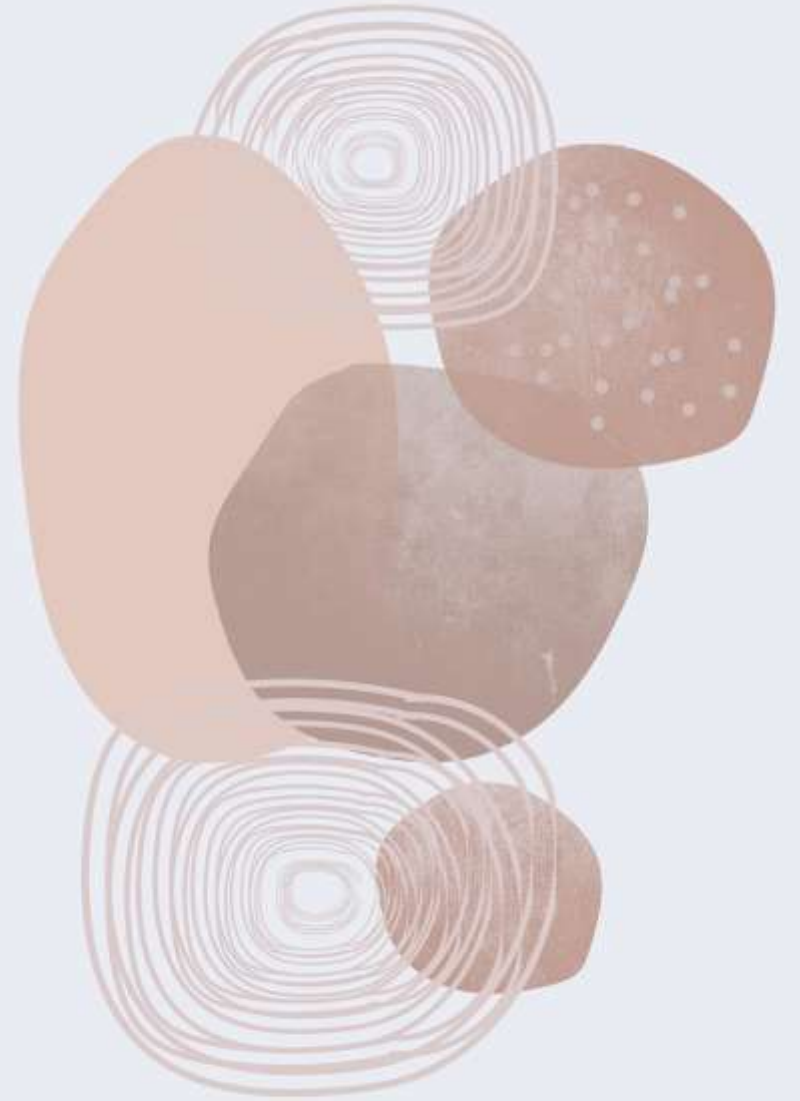
Read the Prophets

- Simplify the message
 - *God's covenant – Deuteronomy 28*
 - *Either judgment... – Jeremiah 25:11*
 - *...or blessing – Isaiah 2:2-4*



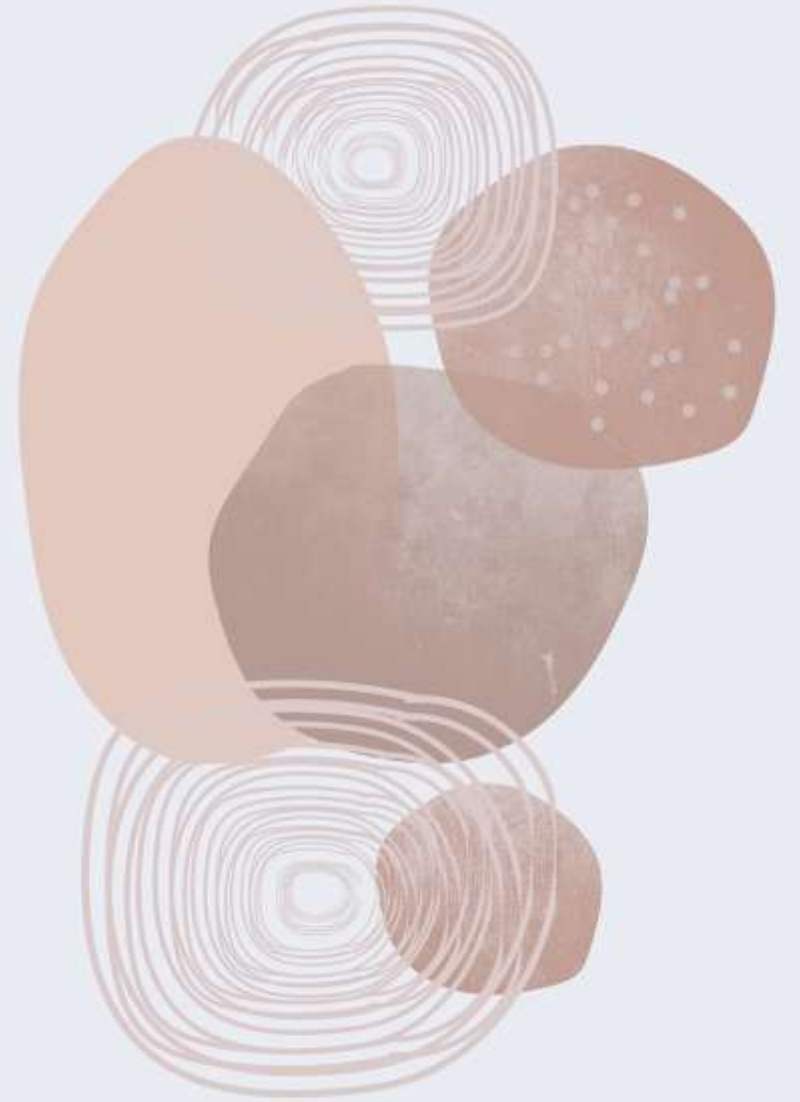
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- Simplify the message
- Hear the language
 - *Persuasion – Isaiah 44:12-17*
 - *Poetry – Isaiah 13:10*
 - *Pictures – Isaiah 28:20*



Read the Prophets

- Simplify the message
- Hear the language
- Scan the horizon for fulfillment
 - *The Old Testament – Isaiah 31:8, 37:36*
 - *The New Testament (now) – Isaiah 53*
 - *Eternity in heaven – Isaiah 65:17-10*



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tips for reading Isaiah and Jeremiah

