

A SURVEY OF THE PROPHETS

Lesson 3 - Joel

Like the book of Obadiah, the date of the book of Joel is also somewhat uncertain. Some scholars (as reflected in this survey) believe it may have been written around 830 B.C..

A. What do we know about the author of this book?

B. When was the book was written and what was happening during that time?

C. To whom was the book written and what do we know about them?

D. For what purpose does the book seem to be written and/or what are the overall theme(s)?

E. Outline the major sections of the book.

F. What New Testament references are there to the author, book, and/or its contents?

G. What lesson(s) can we learn from the book for use today?

Bonus: What can you find out about locusts, the physical damage they can do, and what they represent in the scriptures?