

# The Book of Joel

*The urgency of repentance as the  
“Day of the Lord” Draws Near*

<b>JUDGMENT</b> 1:1–2:11					<b>REPENTANCE</b> 2:12-27			<b>SALVATION</b> 2:28–3:21				
<i>A “Day of the Lord” Bringing Judgment Upon the Land</i>					<i>True Repentance Brings Blessings &amp; Restoration</i>			<i>Israel’s Deliverance in the Climactic “Day of the Lord”</i>				
The Current Crisis: An Invading Locust Plague					Coming Crisis:	Call to Repent	God’s Mercy At Repentance		God’s Spirit	Judgment Upon Hostile Nations	Future Blessings	
A Call to Take Heed to the Lord’s Judgment Upon the Land	A Call to Lament Over the Agricultural Devastation	The Impact of the Agricultural Devastation	A Call to Repent for the “Day of the Lord” is Looming Near	Present Indications of Divine Judgment Upon the Land	Warning: THE “Day of the Lord” Will Involve an Invading Army of God	A Renewed Call for Whole-hearted Repentance to Avert Judgment	The Lord’s Blessings & Restoration Will Follow Repentance	A Call to Rejoice in the Lord’s Restoration of the Land	The Pouring Out of God’s Spirit Will Result in Deliverance	Nations Hostile to Israel Will Be Gathered for Judgment	God’s Judgment Awaits the Hostile Nations in the “Day of the Lord”	Millennial Blessings Await the Faithful of Judah
1:1-3	1:4-7	1:8-12	1:13-15	1:16-20			2:18-20	2:21-27		3:1-8	3:9-16	
1:1-20					2:1-11	2:12-17	2:18-27		2:28-32	3:1-16		3:17-21

### Intertextual Link with Isaiah:

Joel 1:15 - “Alas for the day! For the day of the LORD is near, and it will come as destruction from the Almighty.”

Isa 13:6 - “Wail, for the day of the LORD is near! It will come as destruction from the Almighty.”

### Possible Intertextual Links with Obadiah:

Obadiah 10 with Joel 3:19; Obadiah 11 with Joel 3:3; Obadiah 15 with Joel 1:15; 2:1; 3:4, 7, 14; Obadiah 17 with Joel 2:32.