



**"It's Not You...
It's Me !"**
Hosea 5

Hosea 5 :3-4

"I know all about Ephraim; Israel is not hidden from me. Ephraim, you have now turned to prostitution; Israel is corrupt. Their deeds do not permit them to return to their God. A spirit of prostitution is in their heart; they do not acknowledge the Lord."

OUR GOD IS WISE (vs. 1-4)

He knows everything about us, even when we do not know Him as we should

OUR GOD IS HOLY (vs. 4-7)

He will not be found through heart-less religion

OUR GOD IS MERCIFUL (vs. 8-12)

He mercifully and patiently disciplines His people

OUR GOD IS SOVEREIGN (vs. 10,14-15)

He uses even the wickedness of man to fulfill His own purposes

OUR GOD IS LOVING (vs. 14-15)

He will even destroy the temporal in order to redeem the eternal
