

Christ in the Minor Prophets

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When Jesus surveyed the entire Old Testament in one sermon (Luke 24:27), He probably referred to these verses that prophesied His first and second coming.

1. **Christ in Hosea** (Hosea 11:1 and Matthew 2:15). Christ will return as a child from Egypt like Israel.
2. **Christ in Joel** (Joel 3:2, 12 and Revelation 14:14-20). Christ will return to the valley of Jehoshaphat at the Second Coming.
3. **Christ in Amos** (Amos 9:11-15). Christ will restore the entire nation of Israel.
4. **Christ in Obadiah** (Obadiah 15-21). Christ will judge all nations.
5. **Christ in Jonah** (Jonah 1:17). Jesus likened Himself only to this prophet in Matthew 12:39-41).
6. **Christ in Micah** (Micah 5:2). Christ will be born in Bethlehem predicted 700 years in advance (Matthew 2:5-6).
7. **Christ in Nahum** (Nahum 1:2-8). Christ is the holy Judge of the nations.
8. **Christ in Habakkuk** (Habakkuk 2:14). Christ will return and be known by all.
9. **Christ in Zephaniah** (Zephaniah 3:9-20). Christ will dwell among His people in the future Kingdom.
10. **Christ in Haggai** (Haggai 2:20-23). Christ will judge future Gentile nations.
11. **Christ in Zechariah** (Zechariah 3:1-2; 3:8; 3:9, 6:12-13; 9:9-10; 10:4; 11:4-13; 12:10; 13:1; 13:7; 14). Christ will come to die and return to reign.
12. **Christ in Malachi** (Malachi 3:1-5). Christ and His forerunner will come.