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### **Zephaniah**

The Book of Zephaniah

#### *Purpose*

1. To warn of the coming “day of the Lord” (a time in which God actively intervenes in history, primarily for judgment)
2. To urge repentance

#### *Author*

Zephaniah

#### *Date*

Likely between 635 and 622 BC

#### *Setting*

Near the beginning of King Josiah’s reign in Judah, before his religious reforms