

Lesson 10

2 Kings 15:14-31; 16-17: Shallum — Hoshea

**Read Hosea 1-14. Complete the following:**

1. The last king of which we learned was King Shallum. What happened in 2 Kings 15:14? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ What kind of a king was Menahem? (2 Kings 15:18) \_\_\_\_\_
2. Who became the next king of Israel? (2 Kings 15:22) \_\_\_\_\_  
What kind of a king was he? (2 Kings 15:24) \_\_\_\_\_
3. What happened to King Pekahiah? (2 Kings 15:25) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Who became king? \_\_\_\_\_ What kind of a king was he? (2 King 15:28) \_\_\_\_\_
4. What happened to King Pekah? (2 Kings 15:30) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Who became king? \_\_\_\_\_
5. While Hoshea was king, what did he become to the king of Assyria? (2 Kings 17:3) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Why did the king of Assyria put King Hoshea in prison? (2 Kings 17:4) \_\_\_\_\_  
What did the king of Assyria do next? (2 Kings 17:5-6) \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. Why did God allow Israel to be led captive? (2 Kings 17:7-12) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Would they return to God? (2 Kings 17:14) \_\_\_\_\_ What happened to Israel? (2 Kings 17:18, 20) \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. God told us why this happened to Israel. Why? (2 Kings 17:21b) \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. After taking the Israelites captive, the king of Assyria took people from his own country and placed them in the land of Israel to keep it from becoming a desolate land. These people did not fear God. What did God do to them? (2 Kings 17:25) \_\_\_\_\_
9. The king of Assyria sent a priest back to Israel to teach the people about God. According to 2 Kings 17:33, what did they do wrong? \_\_\_\_\_  
What did God remind them that they were supposed to do? (2 Kings 17:35-39) \_\_\_\_\_

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(Answers: **1.** Menahem went to Samaria, smote Shallum, killed him, and reigned in his stead; he was a bad king; **2.** Pekahiah; he was a bad king; **3.** Pekah, one of his captains, conspired against him, smote him, killed him, and reigned in his room; Pekah; he was a bad king; **4.** Hoshea made a conspiracy against Pekah, smote him, slew him, and reigned in his stead; Hoshea; **5.** the servant of the king of Assyria; the king of Assyria put Hoshea in prison because he found conspiracy in Hoshea for sending messengers to So the king of Egypt and not giving the king of Assyria a present as he had done year by year; the king of Assyria besieged Samaria for three years, took Samaria, and carried away the Israelites to Assyria; **6.** Israel had sinned against God, feared other gods, walked in the statutes of the heathen, did secretly those things that were not right against the Lord, built high places; set up images and groves, burnt incense in the high places, served idols; No; God removed them out of his sight — all but Judah, God rejected all the seed of Israel, afflicted them, and delivered them into the hand of spoilers **7.** because Jeroboam I drove Israel from following the Lord, and made them sin a great sin; **8.** God sent lions among them which killed some of them; **9.** they feared the Lord and served their own gods; they were to not fear other gods, nor bow to them, nor serve them, nor sacrifice to them, but they were to fear the Lord who brought them up out of the land of Egypt and worship Him)