

Esau Is Part Of The Family But Not The Promise

- Moved south and established a nation

-Genesis 36:6-8,31

- Different customs and gods

-more maternal

-kings not hereditary

-different gods

Edom Was In God's Sight And Mind

- Would be conquered *-Numbers 24:18*
- Would be spared *-Daniel 11:41*
- Would be punished *-Amos 1:11-12*

Fractured Relationship With Israel

- Occasionally allies *-2 Kings 3*
- Mostly fought each other

-Moses/Saul/David/Solomon

Jehoshaphat/Amaziah/Jehoram

Edom's Most Defining Characteristic

Enduring hatred of Israel -*Ezekiel 35:5*

Culminated in Babylonian Exile

-Psalm 137:7; Obadiah 11-14

Result: Total Destruction

-Obadiah 10; Isaiah 34:8-10

What Can We Learn From Edom?

- God commands and judges nations
- God makes distinctions amongst nations
- We do what's right regardless of others

-Psalm 110:5-6

-Zechariah 2:7-8, Malachi 1

-Micah 4:5; Psalm 27