

to put in right there something

but aside from that Ezekiel is

definitely

. But if you want to get into a real problem, get into Hosea.

In Hosea we have no explanation, we just have what he gives, and the average interpreter thinks Hosea is just a lot of isolated summaries of messages Hosea gives, with no relation to each other. Well, I can't quite believe that. I feel that in Hosea there are certain keys, that if one finds, a lot of things will just fall in line. But, I haven't given a great deal of thought to hunting for it in Hosea. The first three chapters--the first three or four, are obvious, they are dealing with the terrible situation of his wife, but then from there on, there is a lot of material that it just seems rather this and that, and this and that, and the other thing, and my guess is there is a pretty good structure, if we can just find it.

Well, I had a fellow wrote (4 1/4)

Yes,

I spoke in class about how this was a real problem, I said one of these days, I'm going to take a month off and study it, and I said maybe on the fourth day I'll find the key, and maybe at the end of the month, I won't. So this fellow took the ~~sub~~ subject and did a lot of work, but he didn't find the key. He had certain suggestions on order and arrangements, and had some good points, but I didn't feel that he solved the problem.

(stu.) ... enabled thus far to do with Hosea is to take the thought of knowing God,

and trace through the verses (4 3/4) and there is such a stress ^{on that,} that

you have something of a progress on that, but it maybe that, with further detail, that

would deal with somethingg entirely different, I just don't know. Of course, Amos,

the first part has a very logical (5)

He deals with particular nations,

all the time leading up to Israel, without saying so, so it is very tactful, it's like this

28 here, he deals with the other things and get their approval, until finally he gets

to Judah and then they think oh he is getting a little closer to home now, and then

he turns on Israel. It takes quite a bit of space, doing that, it's done very cleverly.

Yes? (5 1/2) Well, of course, it would depend on what their attitude was toward