

“Pride Comes Before the Fall”
Obadiah 1:2-4, Unlocking the Old Testament
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I will surely make you least among the nations;
you shall be utterly despised.

³ Your proud heart has deceived you,
you that live in the clefts of the rock,^a
whose dwelling is in the heights.

You say in your heart,
“Who will bring me down to the ground?”

⁴ Though you soar aloft like the eagle,
though your nest is set among the stars,
from there I will bring you down,

1. What is pride?

Definition - A reasonable or justifiable self-respect; or improper and excessive self-esteem known as conceit or arrogance.(Tyndale Bible Dictionary)

2. Pride leads to other behaviors

3. God will deal with the proud