

MICAH

A STUDY THROUGH THE BOOK OF MICAH

AN OUTLINE OF MICAH

Title (1:1)

I. First Oracle (1:2–2:13): “*Hear, O peoples...*”

A. Judgment (1:2–2:11)

1. The Announcement of Judgment (1:2–16)

2. The Case against Judah (2:1-11)

vv. 1-5 God's Indictment
vv. 6-11 Judah's "Defense"

B. Salvation (2:12–13)

II. Second Oracle (3:1–5:15): “*Hear now, O heads of Jacob*”

A. Judgment (3:1–12)

B. Salvation (4:1–5:15)

III. Third Oracle (6:1–7:20): “*Hear now what the Lord is saying*”

A. Judgment (6:1–7:7)

B. Salvation (7:8–20)

1 Woe to those who **scheme** iniquity,
Who **work out evil on their beds!**
When **morning comes**, they do it,
For it is in the power of their hands.

2 They **covet** fields and then **seize** them,
And houses, and **take** them away.
They **rob** a man and his house,
A man and his inheritance.

Col 3:5
Eph 5:5

3 **Therefore** thus says the LORD,
“Behold, I am **planning** against this family a calamity
From which **you** cannot remove your necks;
And **you will not walk haughtily**,
For it will be an **evil** time.

4 “**On that day** **they** will take up against **you** a taunt
And utter a bitter lamentation and say,
“**We** are completely destroyed!
He exchanges the portion of my people;
How He removes it from me!
To the apostate He apports our fields.”

5 “Therefore you will have no one stretching a measuring line
For you) by lot in the assembly of the LORD.

6 ‘Do not speak out,’ so (they) speak out.

opp. Micah {
• But if they do not speak out concerning these things,
• Reproaches will not be turned back.

7 • “Is it being said, O house of Jacob:

opp. {
• ‘Is the Spirit of the LORD impatient?
• Are these His doings?’

God {
Do not My words do good
To the one walking uprightly?

8 “Recently My people have arisen as an enemy—
You strip the robe off the garment
From unsuspecting passers-by,
From those returned from war.

9 “The women of My people you evict,
Each one from her pleasant house.
From her children you take My splendor forever.

10 “Arise and go,
For this is no place of rest
Because of the uncleanness that brings on destruction,
A painful destruction.

Deut 12:9

11 “If a man walking after wind and falsehood
Had told lies and said,
‘I will speak out to you concerning wine and liquor,’
He would be spokesman to this people.

12 “I will surely assemble all of you, Jacob,
I will surely gather the remnant of Israel.
I will put them together like sheep in the fold;
Like a flock in the midst of its pasture
They will be noisy with men.

13 “The Breaker goes up before them;
They break out, pass through the gate and go out by it.
So their king goes on before them,
And the LORD at their head.”