## MICAH

A STUDY THROUGH THE BOOK OF MICAH

Title (1:1)

- I. First Oracle (1:2–2:13): "Hear, O peoples..."
  - A. Judgment (1:2–2:11)
  - 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)
    - 1. The Case Against God's People (6:1–8)
    - 2. The Judgment of God's People (6:9–16)
    - 3. The Corruption of God's People (7:1–7)
  - B. Salvation (7:7–20)

- I. (1–2) The Lawsuit Begins
- II. (3–8) God's Questions the Defendant, Israel
  - A. (3) The Questions Introduced
    - 1. What have I done to you?
    - 2. How have I wearied you?
  - B. (4-5) What God has done for his people
  - C. (6-8) What God has required of his people

- Hear now what the LORD is saying,"Arise, plead your case before the mountains,And let the hills hear your voice.
- 2 "Listen, you mountains, to the indictment of the LORD, And you enduring foundations of the earth, Because the LORD has a case against His people; Even with Israel He will dispute.
- 3 "My people, what have I done to you, And how have I wearied you? Answer Me.
- 4 "Indeed, I brought you up from the land of Egypt And ransomed you from the house of slavery, And I sent before you Moses, Aaron and Miriam.
- 5 "My people, remember now What Balak king of Moab counseled And what Balaam son of Beor answered him, And from Shittim to Gilgal, So that you might know the righteous acts of the LORD."

- 6 With what shall I come to the LORD
  And bow myself before the God on high?
  Shall I come to Him with burnt offerings,
  With yearling calves?
- 7 Does the LORD take delight in thousands of rams, In ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I present my firstborn for my rebellious acts, The fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?
- 8 He has told you, O man, what is good;
  And what does the LORD require of you
  But to do justice, to love kindness,
  And to walk humbly with your God?