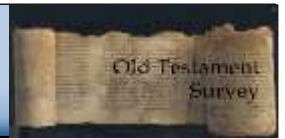




Micah – Study Guide



Bible Reading (Other chapters may be read for extra credit/benefit)	Textbook Reading (Other material may be read for extra credit/benefit)
Micah ☐ 2:1-11 ☐ ch. 4 ☐ 5:1-5 ☐ 6:1-8 ☐ 7:5-10 ☐ 7:18-20	Ch. 33 ☐ Micah's Message

Study Guide for Micah

Chapter 2:1-11

- On whom does God pronounce woe in this passage? Why? How is this offensive to God? What does this demonstrate about God's character and standards? How should we respond?
- What does the Lord say in response to this? What does He promise will happen? How is that an appropriate outcome?
- What do the false prophets say to Micah about his message? How does God respond? What does this say about the spiritual health of the people at that time?
- What does God say about the kind of prophet the people would like? What point was He making by saying this? What difference does this make?
- What promise of deliverance does God make at the end of this section? Why is this significant?

Chapter 4

- What does this chapter promise about the mountain of the Lord? How will the nations respond? What does it promise God will do? What will be the result? What is the significance of all of these promises? What does this demonstrate about God's character and plans?
- What point does God make in the promise about the "lame" people? What promises are connected with this? How is this contrasted with their present experience? How does this communicate both judgment and hope? What difference does this make?

Chapter 5:1-5

- What command is given to the people of that time? Why?
- What promise is made? What place is connected with this promise? Why is that significant? What will happen in that place? What will happen before that time? What will happen after?
- How is this leader described in this passage? What will he accomplish according to this promise? How do you think this promise was fulfilled? Why is this significant?

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Chapter 6:1-8

- Describe the accusation that God made against His people. What had God done for them? How had they responded?
- What is asked about offerings for the Lord? Why do you think this question was asked? What possible answers are given?
- What has God shown the people about what He desires? How did He show that? Describe how that applies to the question that had just been asked. Do you think this one verse invalidates everything else revealed in the Law? Why or why not? What does this demonstrate about God's character and plan? How does this apply today?

Chapter 7:5-10

- What does this passage say about in whom you should put your trust and in whom you should not? Why do you think it says this? How should we respond?
- What does Micah say about his own attitude on this issue? What actions and results come from that attitude? What should we learn from this?
- What does this passage say to the enemies? Why does it say this? What is the point being made? What does this say about the hope of Israel? What is the basis for this hope? What difference does this make?

Chapter 7:18-20

- How does this passage describe God? How does this compare with what you have seen in the rest of the Old Testament? How should this influence our attitudes and actions? How does this apply?

Study Guide for Textbook chapter 33

Micah: Zealot for True Covenant Living

Micah's Message

- What does the textbook say about the "tension" in Micah's life? What point was being made about the nation of Israel and about current leadership?
- What were the problems with the political and religious leadership of Micah's time? What were they doing wrong? Why was God displeased with this? What can we learn from this?
- Describe the encouraging words of Micah, according to the textbook. What does this tell us about God's plans? How were they fulfilled?
- What point does the textbook make about the courtroom imagery in Micah? How do the mountains figure in this? What advice did Micah give the people in light of this? What verdict does Micah proclaim about the nation?
- How did Micah find hope, according to the textbook? What can we learn from this?
- How did Micah end this book? What did he pray for? Why? How does this textbook suggest these things can help us in our current situations? How should we respond?

Review the Study Questions and Summary at the end of the chapter