

# God's Battle Cry for Israel

## Micah 6

### Outline

- I. The Prophet's First Message Directed to Samaria, Reaches to Jerusalem (Micah 1-2)
- II. The Prophet's Second Message aimed at the leaders (Micah 3-5)
- III. The Prophet's Third Message God's Controversy (Micah 6-7)

### Micah 6:1-16

#### A. God's Battle is for the \_\_\_\_\_

1 Hear ye now what the LORD saith; **Arise, contend**(\_\_\_\_\_) thou before the mountains, and let the hills hear thy voice.

2 **Hear ye**, O mountains, the LORD'S **controversy**(\_\_\_\_\_), and ye strong foundations of the earth: for the LORD hath a controversy **with his people**, and he will **plead**(\_\_\_\_\_) with Israel.

#### B. God Speaks \_\_\_\_\_

3 O my people, what have I done unto thee? and wherein have I **wearied**(\_\_\_\_\_) thee? **Testify**(\_\_\_\_\_) against me.

4 For I brought thee up out of the land of **Egypt**, and redeemed thee out of the house of servants; and I sent before thee **Moses, Aaron, and Miriam**.

5 O my people, remember now what **Balak king of Moab** consulted, and what **Balaam the son of Beor** answered him from Shittim unto Gilgal; that ye may know the righteousness of the LORD.

#### C. How should \_\_\_\_\_ come before God?

##### 1. Do I Need \_\_\_\_\_?

6 Wherewith shall I **come before the LORD**, and bow myself before the high God?

##### 2. Do I Need \_\_\_\_\_?

shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves of a year old?

7 Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil?

##### 3. Do I Need to \_\_\_\_\_?

shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

#### C. God's Already Told You what He wants!

8 He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee,

##### 1. Do \_\_\_\_\_!

but to do justly,

##### 2. \_\_\_\_\_ that you're forgiven

and to love mercy,

**3. Walk \_\_\_\_\_ of self  
and to walk humbly(modestly; \_\_\_\_\_) with thy God?**

**God's done \_\_\_\_\_ He can do!**

**D. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Man**

9 **The LORD'S voice crieth unto the city**, and the man of wisdom shall see thy name: hear ye the rod, and who hath appointed it.

10 Are there yet the **treasures of wickedness** in the house of the wicked, and the scant measure that is abominable?

11 Shall I count them pure with the wicked balances, and with the bag of **deceitful weights**?

12 For the rich men thereof are **full of violence**, and the inhabitants thereof have **spoken lies**, and their **tongue is deceitful** in their mouth.

**E. The \_\_\_\_\_ of man**

13 **Therefore also will I make thee sick**(\_\_\_\_\_) in smiting thee, in making thee **desolate**(\_\_\_\_\_) because of thy sins.

**1. Found \_\_\_\_\_ - It's never enough**

14 Thou shalt eat, but **not be satisfied**; and thy casting down shall be in the midst of thee; and thou shalt take hold, but shalt not deliver; and that which thou deliverest will I give up to the sword.

**Daniel 5:24-28**

24 Then was the part of the hand sent from him; and this writing was written.

25 And this is the writing that was written, MENE, MENE, TEKEL, UPHARSIN.

26 This is the interpretation of the thing: MENE; God hath numbered thy kingdom, and finished it.

27 TEKEL; Thou art weighed in the balances, **and art found wanting**.

28 PERES; Thy kingdom is divided, and given to the Medes and Persians.

**2. \_\_\_\_\_ - It will not be enough even when it looks like it is**

15 Thou shalt sow, but thou **shalt not reap**; thou shalt tread the olives, but thou shalt not anoint thee with oil; and sweet wine, but shalt not drink wine.

**3. \_\_\_\_\_ - You will follow the wicked leaders**

16 For **the statutes of Omri** are kept, and all **the works of the house of Ahab**, and ye walk in **their counsels**; that I should make thee a **desolation**, and the inhabitants thereof an **hissing**: therefore ye shall bear **the reproach of my people**.