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micah 6:8

WHAT IS GOOD??

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

**¹ Shout it aloud, do not hold back.
Raise your voice like a trumpet.
Declare to my people their rebellion and to the
descendants of Jacob their sins.**

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

² For day after day they seek me out; they seem eager to know my ways, as if they were a nation that does what is right and has not forsaken the commands of its God. They ask me for just decisions and seem eager for God to come near them.

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

³ ‘Why have we fasted,’ they say, ‘and you have not seen it? Why have we humbled ourselves, and you have not noticed?’
“Yet on the day of your fasting, you do as you please and exploit all your workers.

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

**4 Your fasting ends in quarreling and strife,
and in striking each other with wicked fists.
You cannot fast as you do today and expect
your voice to be heard on high.**

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

⁵ Is this the kind of fast I have chosen, only a day for people to humble themselves? Is it only for bowing one's head like a reed and for lying in sackcloth and ashes? Is that what you call a fast, a day acceptable to the Lord?

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

⁶ “Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen: to loose the chains of injustice and untie the cords of the yoke, to set the oppressed free and break every yoke?”

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

**⁷ Is it not to share your food with the hungry
and to provide the poor wanderer with
shelter — when you see the naked, to clothe
them, and not to turn away from your own
flesh and blood?**

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

⁸ Then your light will break forth like the dawn,
and your healing will quickly appear; then
your righteousness[a] will go before you, and
the glory of the Lord will be your rear guard.

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

**9 Then you will call, and the Lord will answer;
you will cry for help, and he will say:
Here am I.**

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with the pointing finger and malicious talk,**

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

¹⁰ and if you spend yourselves in behalf of the hungry and satisfy the needs of the oppressed, then your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday.

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

11 The Lord will guide you always; he will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land and will strengthen your frame. You will be like a well-watered garden, like a spring whose waters never fail.

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ISAIAH 58:1-12

¹² Your people will rebuild the ancient ruins and will raise up the age-old foundations; you will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings.

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MATTHEW 15:7-9

“Hypocrites! Well did Isaiah prophesy about you, saying: ‘These people draw near to me with their mouth and honor me with their lips, but their heart is far from me, and in vain they worship me.’”

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Proverbs 14:12

There is a way that seems right to a man,
but its end is the way to death.

Isaiah 55:7-8

Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts...for my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the Lord

James 1:20

For the anger of man does not
produce the righteousness of God.

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MICAH 5:1-5

¹ Marshal your troops, O city of troops, for a siege is laid against us. They will strike Israel's ruler on the cheek with a rod.

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MICAH 5:1-5

² But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, though you are small among the clans of Judah, out of you will come for me one who will be ruler over Israel, whose origins are from of old, from ancient times.

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MICAH 5:1-5

³ Therefore, Israel will be abandoned until the time when she who is in labor gives birth and the rest of his brothers return to join the Israelites.

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MICAH 5:1-5

⁴ He will stand and shepherd his flock in the strength of Yahweh his God. And they will live securely, for then his greatness will reach to the ends of the earth.

⁵ And he will be their peace...

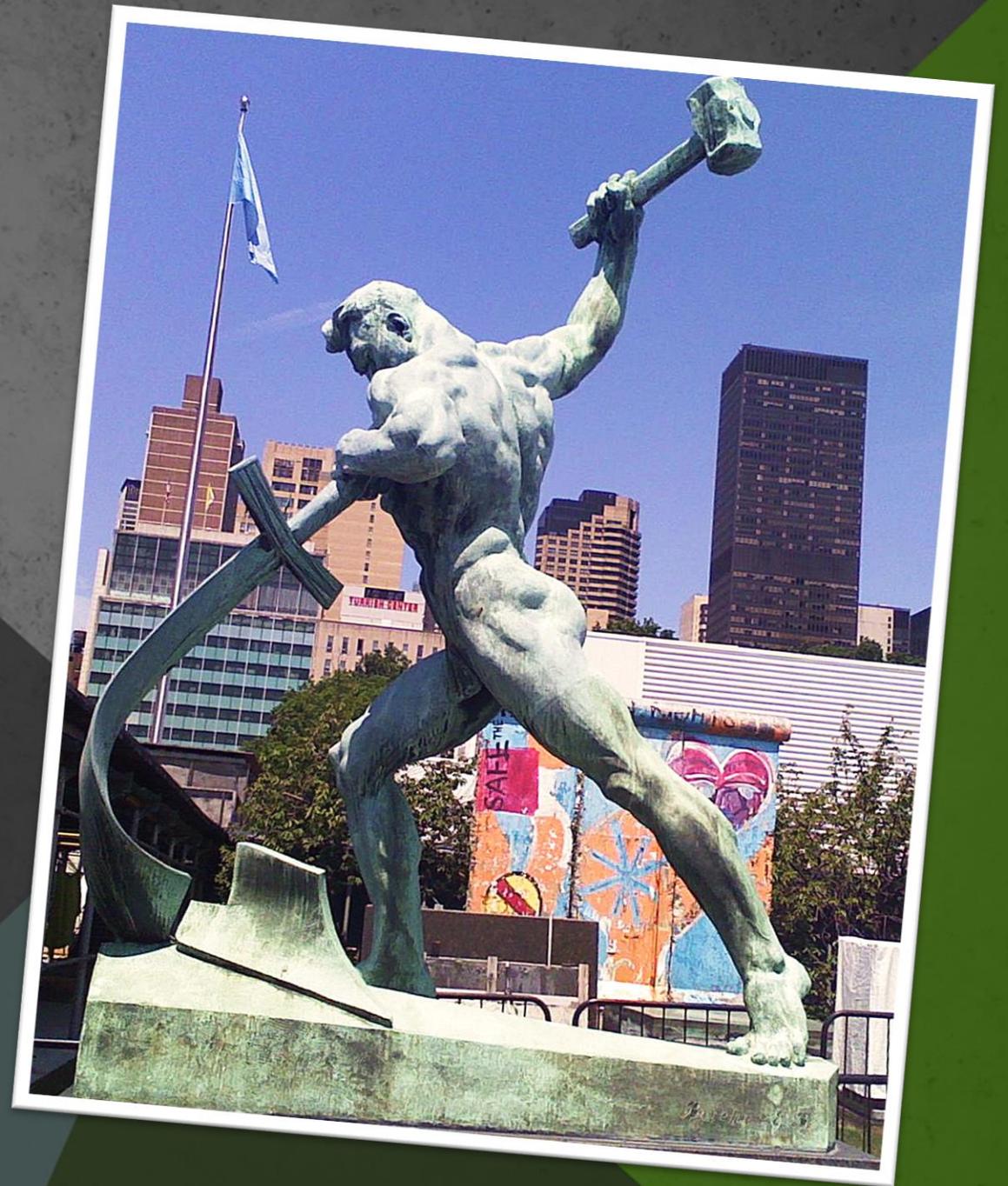
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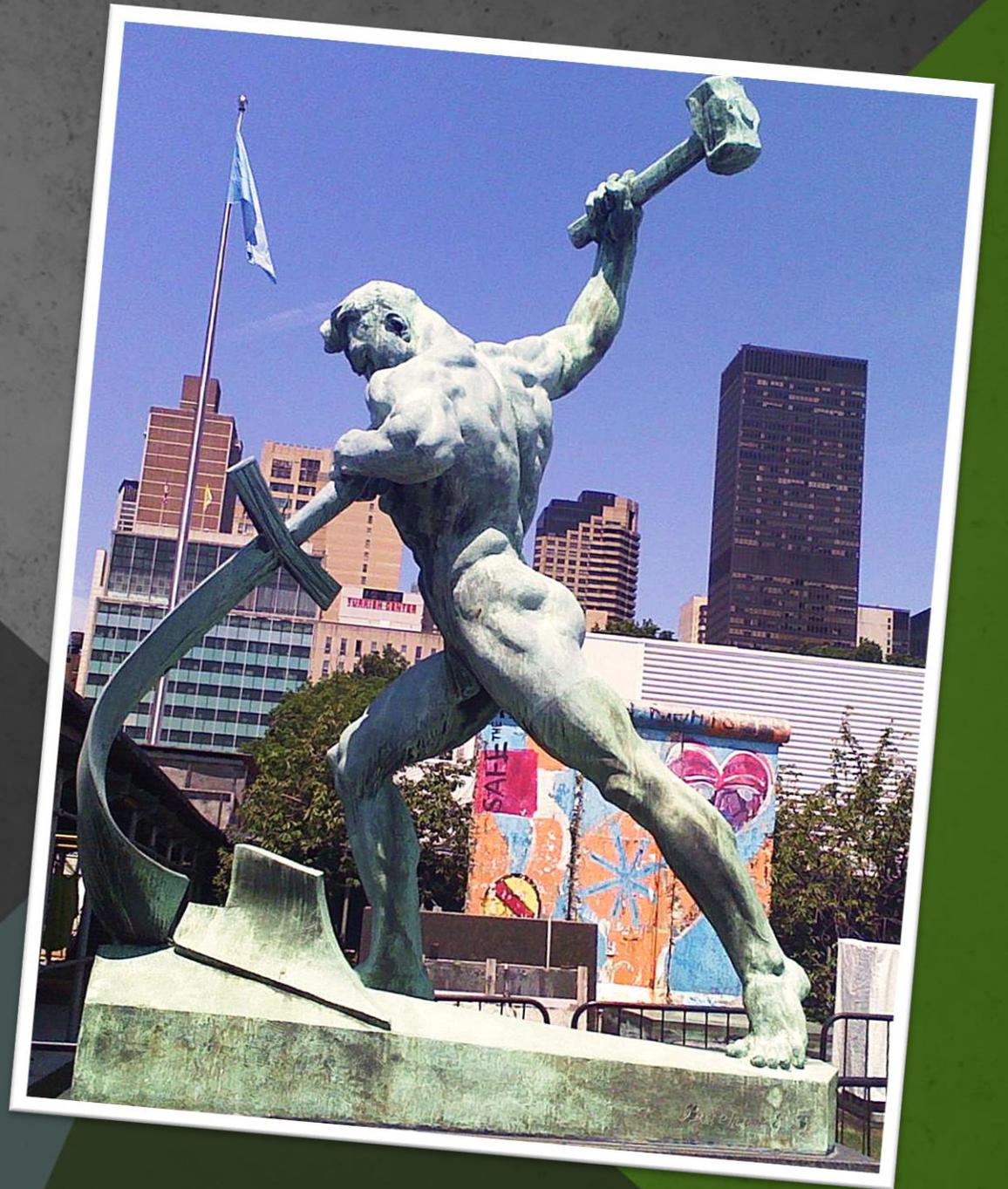
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They will beat their
swords into plowshares
and their spears into
pruning hooks.
Nation will not take up
sword against nation,
nor will they train for war
anymore.

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MICAH 6:8a

**8a He has shown you,
O man (O mortal), what is good
and what does the Lord require of you?**

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MICAH 6:8a

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MATTHEW 5:23-24

23 If you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar and go,

24 first be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift.

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MICAH 6:8b

**8b To act justly and to love mercy
and to walk humbly with your God.**

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NIV To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

NLT To do what is right, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with your God.

ESV To do justice and to love kindness and to walk humbly with your God.

CEV See that justice is done, let mercy be your first concern, and humbly obey your God.

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NET To promote justice, to be faithful, and to live obediently before your God.

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MICAH 6:1-2

¹ Listen to what the LORD says: “Stand up, plead your case before the mountains; let the hills hear what you have to say.

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MICAH 6:1-2

² Hear, O mountains, the LORD's accusation; listen, you everlasting foundations of the earth, for the LORD has a case against his people; he is lodging a charge against Israel.

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MICAH 6:3-5

³ “My people, what have I done to you? How have I burdened you? Answer me.

⁴ I brought you uyp out of Egypt and redeemed you from the land of slavery. I sent Moses to lead you, also Aaron and Miriam.

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MICAH 6:3-5

⁵ “My people, remember what Balak, king of Moab counseled and what Balaam son of Beor answered. Remember your journey from Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the righteous acts of the LORD.

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MICAH 6:6-7

6 With what shall I come before the LORD and bow down before the exalted God? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old?

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MICAH 6:6-7

7 Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I offer my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

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Leviticus 19:15

Do not pervert justice; do not show partiality to the poor or favoritism to the great, but judge your neighbor fairly.

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Jehovah-Tsidkenu
“Jehovah is Righteous”

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Jeremiah 23:5-6

The days are coming...when I will raise up to David a Righteous Branch, a King who will reign wisely and do what is just and right in the land.

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Jeremiah 23:5-6

In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. This is the name by which he will be called:
The LORD Our Righteousness.

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Exodus 34:6-7

The LORD, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness...

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WALKING HUMBLY

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“If you can learn a simple trick, Scout, you’ll get along a lot better with all kinds of folks. You never really understand a person until you consider things from his point of view, until you climb inside of his skin and walk around in it.”

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