



The "minors" With MAJOR MESSAGES!

MICAH = "Who Is Like The Lord" **TIME..** 735 - 710 BC (Just before... during and after the fall of Israel)
 - From the Southern Kingdom, Judah... city of Moresheth about 25 miles SW of Jerusalem..

"ORDER IN THE COURT" The JUDGE is about to render His Judgment...

Three Groups of People are the "accused"....

- The Capitals of two countries.... Samaria and Jerusalem
- The Leaders of two countries... Israel and Judah
- The People of two countries.... Israel and Judah...

IN WHAT WAY DOES GOD HOLD NATIONS, LEADERS, AND PEOPLE RESPONSIBLE?

- For What??

NOTICE THE "SUMMONS" 1:2... WHO ALL ARE INVOLVED??

FROM WHOM IS THE SUMMONS?

HOW IS THE JUDGMENT DESCRIBED??

- vs. 3,4

- vs. 6,7

WHY? vs. 5

VERSES 1:8-16 DESCRIBE A SAD DAY FOR BOTH SAMARIA (722) AND JERUSALEM (606 - 586)

NOW CHAPTER 2

- The Problem 1 - 5

- What Do They Say To The True Prophet? vs.6

- God Speaks... vs. 7 - 11

- False prophets lead to what? _____ vs.10,11

WHY DO PEOPLE LISTEN TO FALSE PROPHETS?? (How Do We Discern Them?)

AGAIN... THERE IS "HOPE"... 12, 13

- Notice God's "I WILLs"

AND... WHAT IS THE ULTIMATE FULFILLMENT? vs. 13

HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE CHRISTIAN'S RESPONSIBILITY TO GOD'S AUTHORITY??

Before The Babylonian Captivity

OBADIAH (of Judah) JOEL (of Judah)

JONAH (of Israel) AMOS (to Israel)

MICAH 3 - 4 HOSEA MICAH (of Judah)

NAHUM (of Judah)

ZEPHANIAH (of Judah) HABAKKUK (of Judah)

After The Babylonian Captivity

Haggai Zechariah Malachi

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CHAPTER 3...

THE PRINCES AND RULERS SHOULD HAVE KNOWN & DONE JUSTICE!!!

- But... What do verses 2 - 3 tell us??
- And Then... How Did God Respond?? vs. 4 And WHY??

DEALING WITH FALSE PROPHETS.... 5-7

- What was Their Message?? vs. 5
- How Would God Deal With Them?? vs. 6
- In What Way Did They Respond?? vs.7
- Why?

BUT... WHAT WAS DIFFERENT ABOUT MICAH?? 8 - 12

- By What Was He "Powered"?? vs.
- Notice His Message.... "NOW HEAR THIS" 8 b - 12
 - He was to reveal the _____ and _____ of Jacob and Israel!!
 - He addressed God's message to the _____ and the rulers.... vs.9
 - they abhor _____ and pervert _____
 - they were building Zion (Jerusalem).. with _____ and iniquity... vs.10
 - He addressed the Judges.... who took _____ vs. 11
 - He addressed the priests... who taught for _____ vs. 11
 - He addressed the prophets... who "divine" for _____ vs. 11
- ** Yet they were Just a Show!!
- And What Was The TRUTH?? vs.12

CHAPTER 4... THE FUTURE of ZION...

WHAT IS TO TAKE PLACE IN THE "LAST DAYS"??? vs.1 & 2

- What is significant about the last part of verse 2??

NOTICE THE KIND of KINGDOM THAT WILL BE ESTABLISHED... vs. 3-8

BUT... WHAT WAS TO TAKE PLACE FIRST? vs. 9 - 12

- But... of What Were They "ignorant"?? vs. 12

WHAT HOPE DID GOD'S PROMISE in vs. 13 BRING TO THE SOUTHERN KINGDOM??

WHAT HOPE DO YOU HAVE IN THE MIDST of SO MUCH ANIMOSITY AGAINST JESUS??