

The Minor Prophets “The Twelve”

Hosea	Nahum
Joel	Habakkuk
Amos	Zephaniah
Obadiah	Haggai
Jonah	Zechariah
Micah	Malachi

Prophetic Ministry: 800 – 430 B.C.

Micah (Mi-ca-yah)

“Who is a God Like Yahweh?”

- Lasting impression – God is incomparable in His loyal love (restores His people)
- Begins with an announcement of God’s judgment on Israel & Judah for their sin
 - Opportunity for repentance

Samaria – taken captive in 722 B.C. by Assyria

Jerusalem – God spared from judgment for over 100 yrs. because they repented due to Micah’s preaching

-- Jer. 26:18



The Glorious Last Days

The Coming Kingdom:

1. An eternal “Davidic” kingdom
 - Zion will be the center-piece; no rivals
 - Nations will know Yahweh
 - Perfect righteousness and peace
 - Restoration of the remnant
2. It comes after judgment and exile
 - “now” they will be judged, but God will rescue them

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2 Samuel 7:12-16: Davidic Covenant

“...I will raise up your seed after you, who will come forth from you, and I will establish his kingdom.

He shall build a house for My name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever.

I will be a father to him and he will be a son to me...My lovingkindness shall not depart from him...

And your house and your kingdom shall endure before Me forever; your throne shall be established forever.”

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 - Micah asserts God's promise at a bleak time
- 3. He comes as the Great Shepherd**
 - Emphasis on His strength and our security