

33-Micah-01-Transcript

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well greetings brethren and welcome to another line upon line study this one is during the feast of tabernacles happy feast of tabernacles to all of you and thank you so much for joining us this morning if you're joining live and thank you for watching if you're watching the archive uh god willing this week we're going to be studying the book of micah and part of the reason i chose it was it has seven chapters and i thought if we do a chapter a day uh we will cover the feast of tabernacles but as i got into the book it became very very clear to me this is definitely a feast of tabernacles message now as i say that when we start out in the book it's pretty heavy the first few chapters are pretty heavy and i think that our joy in the lord is based in reality it's not a superficial i just feel so good to be in the lord it's a very profound understanding of the lord's will and because of that whatever happens around us we have a sense of stability and a deep joy that cannot be taken away from us because it's not a superficial joy so so our joy in the lord and our joy here at the feast of tabernacles we will rejoice in the word of god and so we're going to be studying this book of micah which amazingly as well it's like a mini isaiah just as isaiah is like a mini bible 66 chapters there's 66 books 39 chapters are really rooted in the old testament

or we call the old testament and then 27
books in what we call the new testament
so the division in isaiah's first and
second isaiah similar to the bible but
the whole bible messages in isaiah from
pre-garden of eden to
post the return of christ in the
millennia
micah is like a mini isaiah so so it's
going to be very
timely for us to study micah as we're
going through
the book of isaiah now what struck me
in
studying this book more so than isaiah
although the themes are the same
maybe because it is so compact
what struck me
is that micah is pre a pre-exilic
prophet
he's a prophet that's before the exile
and and it struck me because i it just
became very clear
we are pre-exiled
the exile is in front of us
and that that's why i think micah will
speak to us very very directly let's
open with the word of prayer and then we
can get into today's chapter
our heavenly father we come before you
rejoicing before you on this first day
this holy day of the feast of
tabernacles we thank you so much father
for
your plan
from from creation
your counsel your will your design
and thank you so much father for
grafting us in to your covenant to be
part of this covenant community
we pray father that
day by day
week by week month by month year by year
decade by decade we will come into a

deeper a fuller understanding of your
mind
your will your plan and your counsel so
that we can be full supporters father of
your will
thank you for this feast of tabernacles
wherever we're gathered father
this is a
faithful remnant
we know that we're just a fraction of
what we were
in the glory days
and yet your glory is still available to
us so we pray god that you're blessed
our observance of this feast and we ask
that you'll bless our studies this week
as well lord we praise you father we
praise and thank jesus christ in whose
name we pray amen
so we are up to more we're going to
begin with uh micah chapter one
and here i'll just just jump right in
in uh micah chapter one we see
the word of the lord jehovah that came
to micah the moorish tight so he's from
mauritania so he's a jew
in the days of jotham ahaz
and hezekiah
kings of judah which he saw concerning
samaria and jerusalem now that timing of
when he
had his ministry should remind us of
isaiah that this is the vision of
chapter 1 verse 1 of isaiah the vision
of isaiah the son of amaz which he saw
concerning judah and jerusalem in the
days of uziah jotham
ahaz and hezekiah kings of judah so we
can see here how
they coincide now micah
the name means
who is like jehovah who is like yah
so he's the covenant god and as you read
the whole book of micah

despite the unfaithfulness of his
covenant people and despite the curses
that must come upon his covenant people
who is like this covenant keeping god uh
that's micah

now

if we just look at the timing
of these men

let me just see here

hopefully you can see this

you'll see uh micah was a jew

and he was a prophet to the jews

uh hosea and amos they are

contemporaries so micah comes at the

tail end of jonah and amos and he's

really contemporary with hosea and

isaiah

hosea and amos prophets in the north

micah and isaiah prophets in the south

now uh

amos and micah are similar in the sense

that they're just common people

amos was a farmer looks like micah

probably was a farmer as well whereas

isaiah was of noble birth i believe that

his uncle was the king and his so his

father was the brother of the king of

judah

and we don't know much about hosea

but there there we see that these are

the pre-exilic prophets

so hopefully that gives us a sense of

timing

now

as i mentioned isaiah unlike micah

they're both in the south uh they're

both jewish prophets

but isaiah is of noble birth and we can

know that from chapter 7 verse 3 which

is in our archive

that the lord said to isaiah go forth

now to meet us go go into the king's

palace and talk to him you and share

yahshua your son

at the end of the conduit of the upper pool in the highway at the fullest field so chapter 7 of isaiah is a fascinating chapter if you weren't with us in the study of that that's in the archive please access it and also the names of uh isaiah's sons and what they mean but but the fact that the lord could just say that as i get up and go into the king's palace and have a conversation with him it leads us to understand that he was it part of the noble family now there's a pattern in micah which is very similar to isaiah so there's a lot of similarities here isaiah and we just saw that we just studied chapter 28 what maybe two weeks ago isaiah starts off condemning the tribes in the north and as he does that if you're in the south you might think oh that's that yeah they we agree those people are really bad they're really departed from the faith but we're good but he then turns and focuses on condemnation of judah which is really he's a prophet to judah although he has a vision concerning what's going to happen in the north so here in chapter 28 and verse 1 it began woe to the crown of pride to the drunkards of ephraim whose glorious beauty is a fading flower amen and ephraim is code for the northern tribes so ephraim doesn't just mean the one tribe of ephraim that's a very large tribe it means all of the northern tribes so today ephraim means israel so the israelite nations and again many

of these prophecies are dual there was a
local application or a local fulfillment
in immediate fulfillment or short-term
fulfillment but then there's the
fulfillment of the very same
prophecy just before christ returns
and so here we see the drunkards of
israel
and if you look at the world today at
the ephraimite nations
we are all drunk
we're insane
we've lost our mind woe to the drunkards
of ephraim whose glorious beauty is a
fading flower so whatever we know
whatever we understand
of the glory of the western world it is
over it's over
it's an illusion now the bottom has
fallen out in fact i will say america
is in free fall
it's like somebody kicked america out of
the plane with no parachute
and she's just falling she hasn't she
hasn't hit the ground yet but there's
nothing to prevent that
and when america collapses so does
the west the rest of the western world
the rest of the free world so freedom is
a thing of the past enjoy whatever
freedom we have because it's
disappearing
and the glory of the west is
disappearing which was built upon the
biblical principles the biblical
standards and the biblical values that's
what built the west
but we've departed from it so her
glorious beauty is a fading flower
which are on the head of the fat valleys
of them that are over scroll the prophet
goes on to say because of that
condemnation of the north
therefore hear the word of yahuwah you

scornful men
that rule this people which is in
jerusalem so if you've seen god's
condemnation
of the northern tribes therefore here in
the south
take heed
because this condemnation is coming to
you in fact it will be more intense upon
you
so micah here in verse 2 of chapter 1 he
says
here
all you people
hearken
o earth
and earth in the hebrew is eretz
it can mean the whole globe it can mean
the whole earth but it can also mean the
land
and here in micah this is how we
should interpret it here all you people
you covenant people
you people in the north and the south
listen
hearken o promised land the people in in
this land
and all that therein is
and let the lord god be witness against
you
the lord from his holy temple so so you
covenant people the reason he is witness
against you and not the rest of the
world is because you have a covenant
with him and you have broken it you have
defiled the covenant therefore let's
open the covenant let's read the
covenant and be humble
allow the lord to be a witness against
you
because of what's written in the
covenant
now
here we we studied psalms and we'll

return to psalms god willing after we
finish isaiah
but in we cover chapter 50 again it's in
the archive but here in verse 7 he says
similar hear o my people
and i will speak o israel
and i will testify against you
i am god even your god so god's
testimony is against his covenant people
because of what's written in the
covenant
and i should have um verified i'm
assuming that i'm coming through clearly
but uh
scripture is not clear on screen thank
you for that let me see if i can just
make it a little bit bigger
thank you for that
and i'm assuming that um
the sound volume is good so i'm just
going to continue here thank you very
much
now
yeah so in psalm 50
we see that the controversy
is between god and his people so let's
not look at the world right now let's
keep this
conflict confined between god and his
covenant community back to micah and
just to make this clear now let's read
this he says for behold
the lord jehovah
comes forth out of his place so
something has provoked him to leave his
place
and come down will come down and tread
upon the high places of the earth and
again this is eretz it doesn't mean that
god is going all over the earth
to tread upon the high places
it means he's focused on his
relationship with his people
his people have provoked him to anger

and he's coming down to the land that he
gave to them to crush the high places
on this land and when we say
um
when we say oh thanks very much got good
sound here from royal anne thank you
very much
god bless you thank you
now
so the focus let's keep the focus it's
on the covenant community he's going to
tread upon the high places of the earth
we'll get a bit of clarity of what this
means the high places but suffice it to
say right now these are the places of
idolatry
that these covenant people have turned
their back on god they've given
themselves over to idolatry and god is
going to crush these centers of
idolatrous worship
uh verse 4
and the mountains shall be molten under
him and the valleys shall be cleft as
wax before the fire and as the waters
that are poured down a steep place and
again these mountains and these valleys
are focused on the promised land not the
whole earth
the land that was given to the covenant
people and all of this
is the fulfillment of torah
moses is the original prophet and he
lays down the prophecy and all of the
other prophets after him amplify
put in high definition
what moser laid down so we can go back
to torah in deuteronomy 32 to see these
mountains and valleys
in in view deuteronomy 32 and verse 19
and when the lord saw it
he abhorred them aboard who the whole
world
know

the covenant people of israel
when he saw their transgression he
abhorred them
because of the provoking of his sons and
of his daughters and he said
i will hide my face from them
i will see
what their end shall be and i say you
know today we're in free fall america uh
pulling the rest of the western world
with it is in freefall
and and god is not helping us
god is okay
they they've chosen this we have brought
this upon ourselves we get the
leadership we deserve and just here in
canada we've just had an election and so
now we have uh the socialist government
back again with justin trudeau we get
the leadership we deserve
south of the border in america they had
to get rid of donald trump at all costs
cannot have a patriot somebody who
actually loves america was doing
everything he could to make america win
oh no no no cannot have that he's such
an authoritarian and so we get the
leadership we deserve they have now a
man
in power that is selling america out as
fast as possible who is clearly beholden
to the chinese communist party who's
given america away
the 85 billion dollar gift of the most
sophisticated uh military equipment
and assets to the taliban and
establishing the taliban as a legitimate
government uh there's no decision the
open border
there's no decision that i won't even
say this man it's the administration the
man is clearly not cognitively capable
of this but he is a corrupt politician
and has been for 47 48 years

but i wouldn't say the man
the administration and the powers that
be behind him that are pulling his
strings they hate you if you're american
they hate america
nothing personal they hate the ideology
of freedom
and they're just they're out to destroy
it and sell out america so america's in
free fall and god is i'm gonna hide my
face let's see
they chose they don't know they do not
want me
so let's see what their end shall be and
that goes for america goes for canada
goes for the free world
nations the descendants of ephraim
for they are a very corrupt
generation
children in whom is no faith and if you
look at this global pandemic
if you study how the gentile nations are
responding to this pandemic
compared to the ephraimite and judah
nation of judah
there's no faith
the the people should be looking to
these people who know the god of the
bible and saying let's do what they're
doing
instead you have a nation like india
that is not running headlong into these
pharmaceutical
companies to say hey save us
instead they're saying no we care about
our people
and we will prescribe for them
ivermectin
and we'll make sure that they're treated
well
compared to israel the nation of judah
today uh that says we're whole we
believe in pfizer
our faith is in pfizer and we're going

to inoculate the whole nation to the extent that we can they have some orthodox jews that are not playing along but the rest everybody the most vaccinated nation not one dose not two doses not but but three doses and it's not working it looked like it was working for a little while now israel the most vaccinated nation on the planet also has the most cases of covid on the planet so now they're talking about injecting a fourth dose into their nation so we look to a nation like india that has basically zero cases of covid now because they said we don't want pfizer or moderna or jnj we've got ivermectin it's like seven dollars for a whole treatment plan we're going to give that to our people and now they have zero cases of covid compared to israel which has the most cases the most death the most hospitalizations and they're in three injections deep talking about a fourth dose these are children in whom there is no faith you don't hear the mention of god you don't hear them there's no prayer there's no call for fasting nothing like that just oh fizer come and save us god's gonna see what their end shall be verse 21 of deuteronomy they have moved me to jealousy with that which is not god they're turning to uh these idols as their saviors and and they're my people they're they're they're they're being unfaithful to me i'm their adulterous they're being unfaithful to me i'm their god and they've moved me to jealous angry with that which is not god they have provoked me to anger with their vanities and i will move them to

jealousy

with those which are not a people so
these are my covenant people
they're provoking me to anger they're
provoking me to jealousy okay i'm going
to leave them alone

let's see what their end shall be and
i'm going to provoke them
to jealousy

with a people that are not a people
they're not part of the covenant but i'm
going to work with them and they're
going to be my tools because they don't
want me to work with the covenant people
don't want me to work with them i'll
provoke the covenant community to anger
with a foolish nation

and

so here we go 85 billion not million 85
billion gift the taliban these uh
primitive 7th century warriors
now have the most sophisticated military
equipment on the planet it's like a gift
well god has raised that that's not
that's not

joel biden president biden doing this
it's not even his evil administration
it is god orchestrating this
planting the seeds

to see what their end shall be when they
don't want to call on god
and and not just the end of america but
the end of judah the end of the nation
they're in the middle east
now their enemies

are so sophisticated and they have one
desire well maybe two one is to crush
america the great satan the other is to
completely eliminate judah

for a fire is kindled in my anger
it's being kindled

and shall burn unto the lowest of half
the lowest hell so when we think of the
images of

the
twin towers
and and the hole that that burned into
the ground
god is saying that was just the opening
act
that more more to come more to come and
this fire is going to be so intense it
will burn to the lowest hell
and shall consume the earth with her
increase
and set on fire the foundations of the
mountains and again the earth eretz
meaning the land the covenant land that
god has given to his people and set on
fire the foundations of the mountains
i will keep mischiefs upon them god said
i will do this i will do this i will do
this so as we're watching the news and
we're seeing these developments
they're not just random
if we understand torah if we understand
the will of god if we understand the
relationship of the covenant and the
blessings and cursings of the covenant
we can now understand why the world is
turning
the way it's turning i will keep
mischiefs upon them i will spend my
arrows upon them so that god is not
taking his arrows and throwing them at
gentiles he's saying this quiver of
arrows every single one of them is going
to be shot at the covenant people
because they've provoked me to anger
and the mountains shall be molten under
him and the valley shall be clefts so
this is going back now sorry to micah so
that's coming from deuteronomy back to
michael 1 4 the mountain shall be molten
under him and the valleys shall be cleft
as wax before the fire and as the waters
that are poured down a steep place so we
understand now that this

is exclusively speaking of the covenant
people of israel and even micah even
explains that in the next verse why why
is all this happening micah for the
transgression of jacob is all of this
this is why
it's not to do with the whole earth
it's to do with the transgression of
jacob for the transgression of jacob is
all this and for the sins of the house
of israel
what is
the transgression of jacob this almost
sounds like malachi how have we uh been
unfaithful to you
what is the transgression of jacob
is it not samaria
and what are the high places of judah
are they not jerusalem so we've got the
kingdom in the north and the the
headquarters or the principal city
of the
this is of the northern tribes is
samaria and the principal city of the
southern tribes is jerusalem so we know
anciently so this is just before the
assyrians come in and destroy israel the
north take them captive spread them out
so there's no more
israel
the northern tribes in the middle east
they've been spread all over
jerusalem we know jerusalem
and miraculously in 1948 all the jews
were put back there so so the nation of
judah
they gave themselves the name israel
but biblically they are the nation of
judah and they really represent the the
southern tribes
the nations of the north in terms of
prophetic fulfillment as i mentioned
these prophecies have a dual nature
there's an immediate application but

there's also an application
just before an ultimate application just
before the return of christ in terms of
these northern tribes then
what would we say of samaria
well
the most powerful
christian nation well christian i think
the 44th president made it really
abundantly clear when he said very
clearly to the whole nation we are no
longer a christian nation
and did everything he could to stamp out
christianity out of the nation's fabric
and this current administration 46 now
are continuing that process
but america
truly was built upon
the ethic
of the value of the individual created
in god's image
that was the covenant understanding of
the human being
that's how america was built
and the other nations
enjoying this sort of a western hegemony
also were built upon this understanding
of the the biblical judeo-christian
ethic
so if today we would say well what is
the transgression of jacob
is it not washington we would go to the
headquarters of america which is really
the the head of the free world
and say
what is the transgression of jacob isn't
it washington
so goes washington so goes the nation so
goes america so goes the free world what
is the transgression of jacob is it not
washington and you look at the
corruption and the idolatry and the evil
the policies that are coming out of
washington

this is the transgression of jacob and
then the whole world is just the western
world is just following along
and what are the high places the the
places of idolatry of judah are they not
jerusalem why don't we just go
go right now to jerusalem
the the the city that god has chosen
well that we're celebrating this feast
of tabernacles the arrival of our lord
and his rule from jerusalem let's go
there now and see what's taking place
and we'll see lots of idolatry so we've
got washington and jerusalem that are in
the the crosshairs
of god
now
these high places
of samaria and judah
this is a historical fact here in second
kings 17 and verse 9 and the children of
israel did secretly those things that
were not right against the lord their
god
and they built them high places in all
their cities they did this
they built these idolatrous altars
for sex worship
the covenant people did this
to worship
and jehovah together they're not they're
not abandoning jehovah all together
they're they're syncretizing
and that's why we have to be so careful
in the church are we syncretizing are we
keeping our of our worship of god pure
he says they built them high places in
all their cities this this was like just
common practice everybody agrees we have
to have these altars to idols
from the tower of the watchmen to the
fence to city
and they set them up images and groves
in every high hill

and under every green tree and as we
read that between the lines we should be
seeing temple prostitution we should be
seeing all sorts of uh sexual deviancy
in the worship of ba'al while they
worship jehovah that's what they did
that's their culture
back to micah verse six
therefore
i will make samaria as a heap of the
field
and again today in terms of a modern
application we could say washington
and we can see open border the country
doesn't exist anymore
countries have borders this country has
no border it doesn't exist anymore it's
part of the global well he that he
campaigned the president campaigned
build back better
which is not an american slogan that's
from the world economic forum that's
globalism but he made it clear i'm a
globalist and we just said we don't care
we just have to get rid of donald trump
we hate him he's the devil we've never
seen such an evil man he's the worst
thing that ever happened get rid of him
and we will welcome in a communist
asset
and we don't care
as long as we can get rid of the
patriotism because patriotism is evil
america is evil we just want to get rid
of america okay
let's see how it will turn out
so
i will make washington
as a heap of the field so the taliban
have 85 billion dollars in assets now
they can rally the islamic world and
organize
the border is wide open the economy is
collapsing

every every decision is to destroy
america and it's happening it's all in
motion america is in free fall
and as america goes so goes the western
world how can canada we can we protect
ourselves canada has enjoyed relative
peace because of our neighbor to the
south
so we are pre-exiled
china is very ambitious i should say the
chinese communist party has global
ambitions as communists always do and
always have and they've been very
patient the islamists have global
ambitions
it's only the western world that has
lost any sense of pride
and and and and expansion
and and abandoned all values
therefore i will make samaria as a heap
of the field and as plantings of a
vineyard in order in other words before
you see any sort of harvest uh this
would be
just in the preparation stage when you
really see nothing
well you're going to see nothing it's
going to be completely wiped out
there'll be no fruit it'll be like we
haven't even started yet
and i will pour down the stones thereof
into the valley and i will discover or
uncover the foundations thereof so
everything's going to be exposed and
there'll be no defense
and all the graven images thereof shall
be beaten to pieces
this is the deuteronomic wrath
this is the deuteronomic curse
that we have brought upon ourselves and
this is this is what's happening
all the graven images thereof shall be
beaten to pieces
and so we think we're so clever we're so

smart where there's wonderful atheists
and we can just slaughter the unborn and
do whatever we want and we're so great
okay
take your idolatry
and be subject to the covenant curses
and all the graven images thereof shall
be beaten to pieces
and all the hires thereof shall be
burned with the fire and all the idols
thereof will i lay desolate and this is
like this is tomorrow's news today right
this is a
advanced notice
so as these things begin to happen
as people begin to lose their minds
because they were not expecting this
evolution told them that man is only
getting better and better and better and
stronger and more sophisticated and then
we go straight back into the dark ages
as they are caught off guard and plunged
into depression
because we are realists
we deal with reality
when these things start happening all
around us we do not lose our cool we
remain calm cool and collected which is
another way of saying we remain faithful
we remain joyful
because we understand this is not the
end of the story and that's something
that mike is going to make clear
this is part of the story this is an
essential part of the story but as with
moses so with micah this is just a part
of the story this is a stepping stone to
the ultimate fulfillment of god's
faithfulness to his covenant
but we're not going to be surprised when
we see this our city is burned with fire
and all the idols thereof will i lay
desolate that's what's happened
we've turned away from god our cities

are burning with fire crime is out of
control lawlessness abounds and we've
brought this upon ourselves because we
want nothing to do with god
for she gathered it
of the higher of a harlot
and they shall return to the higher of a
harlot let me see if i can explain this
all of this
uh activity the wealth the the
aggrandizement
the glory
that israel or ephraim
has gathered
she
turned away from god
and gathered this with her idolatry
and the sexual practices the temple
prostitution that goes with this
idolatry that they had to have in every
city and they had to build these altars
in every high place
that's how she acquired all of this
and god says okay if you're going to
turn to idolatry
then all of this legitimately belongs to
the idolatrous
so i'm going to take it from you and
give it back to the original um
worshippers of baal
so we should expect to then
that if if we see the taliban and isis
and the like
who are worshiping ba'al
if we see all of our wealth
given to them well well it's their god
we we've chosen to worship this god and
god is saying okay if
if this god is the god you worship
shouldn't all of the wealth then be
returned to the worshippers of this god
that's really the sense that mike has
given us here
therefore micah says

i will wail and howl
when micah fully grasps
what is going to come upon his people he
is beside himself with grief he is
overwhelmed with grief
and and again so should we be so there's
a layer of grief but underneath that
grief there's faithfulness
and there's joy in the lord even below
the grief but but here uh as it hits
micah what is going to take place
he says therefore i will wail and howl
i will go stripped and naked
i will make a wailing like the dragons
and mourning as the owls and isaiah
had a very very similar reaction in
chapter 21 you'll remember verse three
therefore
are my loins filled with pain when he
grasped what was coming upon his people
therefore are my loins filled with pain
pangs have taken hold upon me as the
pangs of a woman that travail so as a
woman is in birth
laboring to give birth
that kind of labor pain is what has
suddenly come upon him
i was bowed down at the hearing of it i
was dismayed at the seeing of it so he
received this vision it blew him away
and he also says in chapter 22 and verse
4 therefore said i look away from me
i will weep bitterly
labor not to comfort me
because of the spoiling of the daughter
of my people and i should mention when
micah was
prophesying this was or he began his
ministry at the height of israel's power
it or israel's glory
the the king i think was king ombre i'm
not sure don't quote me on the king but
they had escaped an
earlier attempt from assyria the economy

was very strong so it would be like
micah
prophesying during the trump
administration
when trump had delivered the strongest
economy the world had ever seen every
america was back
big manufacturers were moving back and
it's like in the midst of all of that
and and president trump big ego that he
has sort of beating himself on the chest
and celebrating these successes it would
be like micah standing up to him and
saying you're cursed
your nation is cursed
why because you've turned away from god
so you can do what you're doing while
you're still
worshiping idols
so all of this wealth that you are
generating it's going to go to the
original idol worshipers it would be
like that so then so then that
administration is gone the new admission
administration comes in and we begin to
see the fulfilling now of micah's
prophecies during a time of incredible
economic expansion
so micah is prophesying
during incredible economic expansion and
and like isaiah as he sees what's coming
he is just overtaken with grief isaiah
says look away from me i will weep
bitterly
labor not to comfort me because of the
spoiling of the daughter of my people
and again
these this this reaction is during a
time of prosperity
everyone is rejoicing and mike is saying
that's yesterday's news
what is coming is so severe
and we in the west it's very hard for us
to imagine

uh living like a third world country
but that's where we're heading
that's where we're heading and worse
because we've turned our back on the god
of the bible micah says for her wound is
incurable there's nothing that can help
her now she's in free fall
for it is come unto judah so he started
off speaking about samaria now he's
saying this has come to judah he has
come unto the gate of my people even to
jerusalem so mike is a jew he was
prophesying about samaria but now he's
saying it's even come to the gate of my
people even to jerusalem
and
he says the wound is incurable isaiah
said in in the opening part of his
scroll
why should you be stricken anymore why
are you doing this why do you have to
suffer like this
why can't the suffering be over
yet you will revolt more and more you're
just a rebellious people he says the
whole head is sick and the whole heart
faint and that head is the leadership
so micah points to samaria
and to jerusalem so samaria so goes
samaria so goes to the northern tribes
so goes jerusalem so goes the southern
tribes
and so today we could say as goes
washington so goes america so goes the
free world
as goes jerusalem so goes the whole
tribe of judah
he says
back to micah verse 10 all of this
calamity
declare ye it not at gath
weep you not at all in the house of afra
roll thyself in the dust and it's funny
that afro means dust in the house of

dust
afra
roll yourself in the dust which is an
act of great warning so again if you
think of the likes of 9 11 which is the
most extreme we've experienced in the
west but that's just an opening act it's
that kind of
complete depression
and complete sense of loss
that one would just in the middle east
they just roll themselves in the dust
when there's that complete sense of loss
but he says here don't declare it at gas
and this is sort of a proverb really
going back to david where he said here
in second samuel 1 and verse 20 tell it
not in gath
publish it not in the streets of ascalon
why
lest the daughters of the philistines or
the palestinians today lest they rejoice
lest the daughters of the uncircumcised
triumph so in other words
you know death to america
and and eliminate the jews from the
river to the sea palestine must be free
meaning we have to eliminate all the
jews that's the palestinian agenda
that's the islamic agenda and then it
would be like us
understanding the scriptures
saying
america will die
the whole western world is going to be
destroyed
and judah will be destroyed
at in in epic proportions in
unprecedented ways that the likes of
which has never been seen and once we
grasp this can we just keep it between
us
don't tell the muhammadans
because of the muhammadans here what is

determined against judah and what is
determined against america they're going
to throw a party and they're going to
rejoice over this intense calamitous
unprecedented uh
tribulation and suffer so let's just
keep it between us and try to do this in
a way that they don't hear about this
that's really the sense here that mike
is giving
pass you away you inhabitant of sapphire
having your shame naked so this is one
of the villages there that was a very
glorious village again this is a time of
great prosperity but
your you're going to be naked
the inhabitant of zanen
came not forth in the morning of
bethesda
so it's like a neighboring village won't
even come forth to support the village
that's being that's beginning to suffer
this level of shame
he shall receive a view his standing or
a better word it would be he will take
away from you his support you're on your
own
for the inhabitant of meredith waited
carefully for good
so
we know that in fact micah was a
marathite
so they're waiting for good these are
jews they're waiting for good but evil
came down from the lord unto the gate of
jerusalem and you know when jeremiah was
prophesying and they would say the
temple of the lord the temple of the
lord the temple of the lord are these
and they almost felt a sense of immunity
from trouble because of the temple of
the lord and and now uh mike is making
it clear that's not going to save you in
fact jerusalem is in the crosshairs of

god's anger and his wrath
oh thou inhabitant of lakish
binds the chariot to the swift beast so
another village remember these people
have gone in they've taken over these
villages
and he's saying
get out of here as fast as you can find
your fastest horses and hitch them up
and run for your life
it's almost like matthew 24 you know
that uh biblical christ says that
whoever whoever is in judah
at this time
do not look back just run for your life
this is the time of trouble
she is the beginning
of the sin to the daughter of zion so
there's something that happened in this
lake-ish
and and instead of wiping out these
inhabitants as they go in to take over
they end up mixing with them and this
whole
worship begins to come into
the tribes of israel and the tribe of
judah in particular so this this town
was the beginning of the sin to the
daughter of zion for the transgressions
of israel were found in you
therefore
shall you give presence to maurisheth
gath
so there's some
um
neighboring gentile village and you're
going to give gifts to her and this
mareshath
in the hebrew
actually means betrothed so when a man's
daughter is betrothed they will he will
give gifts to the daughter to for a
happy marriage but here the marriage is
actually to gath

and so you're going to give presents
you're going to you're going to you're
going to instead of being married to god
go ahead now and be married to gath
be married to the philistines and then
give gifts in the process
the houses of accept and in the hebrew
exit means deceitful
uh so that this is a town and
mike is just kind of calling out i think
a little twist on the hebrew just to get
the name of the deception the houses of
xz shall be a lie to the kings of israel
and it's like today you hear the white
house saying
we're we're cooperating and
collaborating with the taliban to get
the americans out and oh we've given
them a list of all of the americans that
are there trying to escape and how to
identify them because we really trust
the taliban
it's this sort of foolishness that
they'll do anything but rely on god
the houses of exiv shall be a lie to the
kings of israel
yet so in all of this now
in all of this trouble
he says
yet will i bring an heir unto you
o inhabitant of morasha
he shall come unto adullam the glory of
israel so this is again another town
that he's going to come here the glory
of israel
and then the last verse of chapter one
he says
make you bald
a little hint of
good news in verse 15 but then that's it
just a hint
and then he says make you bald
and pull you
for your delicate children so the pole

is really like how you would share a
sheep for all of its hair
israel is going to lose her children
and these uh communists as they
implement these different um you know
vaccine passports if we're if we're
advocating for that that's just setting
up the infrastructure
for the mark of the beast
the vaccines clearly do not work we just
have to look at israel as a test bed
israel's really the most data
of these vaccines and the efficacy of
the vaccines is in israel and these
people keep data like they're very very
good
and so we can clearly see
the vaccines don't work and yet all over
the western world they're being enforced
and the whole concept of a passport is
being enforced even though these
vaccines are actually damaging people
it doesn't matter people like top top
people in the fda are resigning because
they're saying we don't want to be a
part of this the data is clear but
they're pushing ahead and wanting to do
this with children as well
so all we're doing
is we're actually enabling the we're
helping to pave the way and to put in
the infrastructure
for what ultimately will i believe
become the infrastructure that's needed
for the mark of the beast certainly it's
the infrastructure that's needed for a
global digital economy
but we need we need a reason to put this
in place and so they make everybody
fearful and get everybody to support
it's you know god's people
we're not the wisest bunch
we don't connect dots very quickly
and so you know we support political

correctness

which then enables socialism to come in
and we can't criticize it because that's
politically incorrect and then we get
behind these socialist movements
thinking that they care about us when
they absolutely care nothing about it
they want to destroy us but through
their rhetoric and nobody can challenge
the rhetoric because that would be
politically incorrect so then we end up
supporting these socialist movements
these socialist movements allow us to
create a government that's more and more
powerful the government becomes
increasingly powerful and increasingly
oppressive but that's because of us
because we were supporting these
socialist movements with their rhetoric
so now we have more powerful government
and as a result of that with this
pandemic

of a virus that originally

was

99.6 survivable

so if you got the original strain of
this virus

99.6 or more

would survive it

you know unless you had co-morbidities
in which case we could have quarantined
those people who have comorbidities but
if people just went about their life
this virus would run its course
as the bird flu mers

was it sars all these different viruses

they run their course

and then they peter out

that's what would have happened

as a result of this powerful these
powerful governments that we've enabled
they just keep this thing going and with
their whole vaccination rollout they're
the ones who are actually training the

virus to become more and more powerful
with these different variants but we've
enabled that
and now because of our fearfulness we
want vaccine passports everywhere and
suddenly we find ourselves in a world
where the entire economy is now digital
because we helped put that
infrastructure in place we supported it
we wanted it we demanded it and now it's
here
and now from there to a point where no
man can buy or sell
unless he received the mark of the beast
that's the easiest step of all that
would have been the hardest step but
because we go there gradually and
incrementally that's that's like
piece of cake now now no one can buy or
sell unless they receive the mark of the
beast
right now we're getting to the point
where no one can buy or sell unless
they're fully vaccinated which
originally meant one dose then i'm in
two doses then i'm in three doses now if
you're in israel it means four doses as
soon as just gonna mean you sign up to
the subscription program and the minute
you drop out you're no longer fully
vaccinated so although you helped enable
this thing you're now out in the cold
make you bald
and pull thee for your delicate children
so that's the other part of this
as we get behind this vaccine passport
as we get behind this whole vaccination
program
now because we've we've helped develop a
virus that is becoming more and more
virulent
now they have to come into our homes and
the un has made this clear
they will have to remove

children
from their homes in order to protect the
children
so we we we're the ones who wanted hey
we socialism we all these social
movements
america is horrible freedom is terrible
we must have socialism well with that
you get powerful government
and with powerful government you get the
ability of government officials to come
into your home and remove your children
and that's where we're heading
unfortunately
unfortunately and god's saying hey i'm
just going to watch and see what their
end is going to be
make you bald
and pull you for your delicate children
enlarge your baldness as the eagle
for they are gone into captivity from
you
and that is
the tomorrow's headlines
that's what we're going to be seeing
we are we are pre-exiled but it's coming
and our enemies hate us
and and they absolutely have control
i would say the chinese communist party
has clear control over both canadian and
american governments
australia new zealand uk
god says the root of this this evil is
the the love of money
you get behind to follow the money you
see people have sold us out top elite
politicians have sold us out for money
so this is uh again chapter two is gonna
be pretty heavy as well
but eventually we're gonna come to
chapter four
and i'll end here which is a very
familiar passage isaiah quotes this
we're not sure if isaiah is quoting

micah or micah is quoting isaiah or they both just received this inspiration independently but we see this prophecy in both and this is why micah is totally a feast of tabernacles message he says here in micah just jump ahead to chapter four because although micah is starting out pretty heavy he mica means who is like god who is like this covenant god who is totally faithful to his covenants all this bad news we're reading it's covenant bad news it's not random bad news it's covenant bad news and it's all leading ultimately to what we're celebrating this week here in micah chapter 4 and verse 1 but in the last days it shall come to pass that the mountain of the house of the lords after he levels all these other mountains in the in the promised land in the end days the mountain of the house of the lord shall be established in the top of the mountains it'll be the highest and it shall be exalted above the hills and peoples all these gentile peoples all over the world shall flow onto it and when they get there there's going to be a people established in covenant with him that are going to facilitate the worship of the true god this is the the wonderful uh prophecy of the book of micah we will go through it god willing day by day and because it's a short book it's a mini isaiah which is a mini bible we're going to get the whole biblical message god willing in the next six days

as we add the next six chapters to this
one thanks so much for joining god bless
you brethren have a wonderful first day
and may god accept your offering god
bless
you