

# Micah Ch 5

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## Micah 5:1-2

1 “Now muster yourselves in troops, daughter of troops; They have laid siege against us; With a rod they will smite the judge of Israel on the cheek.

2 “But as for you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, *Too* little to be among the clans of Judah, From you One will go forth for Me to be ruler in Israel. His goings forth are from long ago, From the days of eternity.”

# **The work of the coming Messiah**

- 1. Christ will end Israel's alienation and separation from God.**
  - a. He will reconcile the people.**
  - b. He will reunite and restore the nation.**
- 2. Christ will shepherd His people and give them security.**
  - a. His ministry will be in the strength and majesty of God Himself.**
  - b. His greatness and rule will spread all over the world.**

# **The work of the coming Messiah**

- 3. Christ will be the source of peace.**
- 4. Christ will deliver His people from their enemies.**
  - a. He will enable them to defeat the Assyrians (rep. all enemies).**
  - b. He will enable them to rule the land of their enemies.**

# **The work of the coming Messiah**

**5. Christ will make true believers (the remnant) a blessing to many people. They will be like dew and share the water of life with the world.**

**6. Christ will make true believers (the remnant) triumphant over all people.**

**a. They will be like a lion - Dominate all of the other nations (animals) of the world.**

**b. They will be victorious over all their enemies. All enemies will be destroyed.**

# **The work of the coming Messiah**

**7. Christ will purge and purify His people. (In that day)**

**a. He will destroy their military power and fortress cities. They placed their trust in these instead of God.**

**b. He will destroy their false worship.**

**i. Their witchcraft**

**ii. Their idolatry – the work of their own hands in which they trusted.**

**iii. Their Asherah poles.**

**iv. Their temples and the cities in which they stand.**

**8. Christ will execute judgment upon all who disobey Him.**

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## Micah 5:3

**3** Therefore He will give them *up* until the time When she who is in labor has borne a child. Then the remainder of His brethren Will return to the sons of Israel.



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## Micah 5:4-5

4 And He will arise and shepherd *His flock* In the strength of the Lord, In the majesty of the name of the Lord His God. And they will remain, Because at that time He will be great To the ends of the earth.

5 This One will be *our* peace. When the Assyrian invades our land, When he tramples on our citadels, Then we will raise against him Seven shepherds and eight leaders of men.

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## Micah 5:6

6 They will shepherd the land of Assyria with the sword, The land of Nimrod at its entrances; And He will deliver *us* from the Assyrian When he attacks our land And when he tramples our territory.

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## Micah 5:7-9

7 Then the remnant of Jacob Will be among many peoples Like dew from the Lord, Like showers on vegetation Which do not wait for man Or delay for the sons of men.

8 The remnant of Jacob Will be among the nations, Among many peoples Like a lion among the beasts of the forest, Like a young lion among flocks of sheep, Which, if he passes through, Tramples down and tears, And there is none to rescue.

9 Your hand will be lifted up against your adversaries, And all your enemies will be cut off.

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## Micah 5:10-11

**10** “It will be in that day,” declares the Lord, “That I will cut off your horses from among you And destroy your chariots.

**11** “I will also cut off the cities of your land And tear down all your fortifications.

# Micah 5:12

12 “I will cut off sorceries  
from your hand, And you  
will have fortune-tellers no  
more.

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## Micah 5:13-14

13 “I will cut off your carved images **And**  
**your sacred pillars from among you, So that**  
**you will no longer bow down To the work of**  
**your hands.**

14 “I will root out your **Asherim from among**  
**you And destroy your cities.**

## Micah 5:15

15 “And I will execute  
vengeance in anger and  
wrath On the nations which  
have not obeyed.”