

Micah 7 Trust in the Lord

Wednesday

7/28/2021

I. the Ruin of Israel

v 1 - 7

- v 1 Dearth (*n.* scarcity, barrenness) **Isaiah 17:6**
- v 2 Deceit **Romans 3:10-12**
- v 3 Depravity (*n.* corruption) Psalms 14:3; **Proverbs 4:14-16, 6:14 & 18**
- v 4 Degeneration (*n.* loss of good qualities) Isaiah 10:16-17, **Hebrews 6:5-8**
- v 5 Distrust **Jeremiah 9:4**
- v 6 Dishonour Luke 12:51-53, **Proverbs 30:11 & 17, Leviticus 20:9**
- v 7 Devotion (~ remnant) **Psalms 27:14, Isaiah 40:31**

II. the Reproach of Israel

v 8 - 13

(*n.* shame, disgrace, infamy)

- v 8 the Pattern of Reproach **Proverbs 24:16-17**
- v 9 the Purpose of Reproach *I sinned...he pleads my cause...and brings forth*
- v 10 the Punishment of the Reproachers doct: **Revelation 17:1**
- v 11 the Rebuilding in Reproach hist: Neh 2 doct: Amos 9:11, **Psalm 51:18-19**
- v 12 the Regathering after Reproach **Isaiah 43:5**
- v 13 the Present Reality - *desolate* hist: 1948 doct: **Ezekiel 39:12**

III. the Restoration of Israel

v 14 - 20

- v 14 the Power - *Feed* (1611MR: *Rule*) *thy rod* = God's word, **Jeremiah 1:11**
- v 15 the Precedence - the Exodus from Egypt = God's Wonders
- v 16 the Perplexity - the Wicked are confounded and silenced **Job 5:12-16**
- v 17 the Penalty - is permanent **Isaiah 65:25, Revelation 20:10**
- v 18-20 the Pardon - by ***the LORD our God*** (v 17)
 - He Forgives** - **Isaiah 43:25, Jeremiah 50:20, 1 John 1:9**
 - He Forgets** - **Psalm 103:12** (Isaiah 38:17 ~ James 1:17)
 - He's Faithful** - *thou wilt perform* **Luke 1:72, Philippians 1:6**