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1. Play by the rules in your relationships.

2. Make kindness the <u>trademark</u> of your relationships.

3. Don't take yourself too <u>seriously</u>.

MICAH

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KEY THEMES

The theme of Micah is judgment and forgiveness.

MICAH 6:8

"He has showed you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you? To act justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with your God."

KEY VERSE

SYNOPSIS:

Micah writes to bring God's "lawsuit" against his people. He points out significant corruption including idolatry, seizure of property, failure of civil leadership, religious leadership, corrupt business practices and violence. Many of God's people were corrupted by their refusal to embrace God's purpose. However, there would be a remnant who would carry out God's plan to bless the world. The Lord, the Judge who scatters his people for their transgressions and sins, is also the Shepherd-King who in covenant faithfulness gathers, protects and forgives them.