

## D'AVELL BITES

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BY MS MELISSA THAM Micah was a prophet who lived in the days of Isaiah and Hosea.

He prophesied concerning Samaria and Jerusalem on the sins of the people, namely oppression and unfair treatment of the poor by the rich, powerful rulers and leaders, corrupt practices, idolatry, and false prophecy.

God was grieved by the sins of the people, and Micah warned that judgement would come upon them for their transgressions.

Yet in Micah 6:4-5, we see God's grace and mercy as He reminds the people of His goodness and faithfulness in delivering His people out of slavery in Egypt, calling them to repent.

The sins of the people during Micah's time are no different from the sins of people today.

However, in Micah 6:8, God tells us what He requires of us: "walk humbly with your God".

God desires for us to have a contrite heart and a personal walk with Him.

He is not interested in the outward appearance of religious service, activities, good works, traditions or rituals.

Instead, God looks at the heart.

## REFLECTION

How does Micah 6:8 relate to your life now?

Are you preoccupied with church activities or community work and leading a picture-perfect Christian life but are far from God?

Are you distracted by the hustle and bustle of daily life at home, school, workplace or church?

God longs for us to have a close and personal relationship with Him.

Ask God to reveal the spiritual blind spots that are hindering you from cultivating a deeper walk with God and come before Him in repentance.