

## SBCC Daily On-Line Bible Study

Read the selected passage and respond to the questions below.

Allow God to draw near to you as you go deeper in His Word.

Spend some time in prayer as you prepare to apply the Spirit's teaching to your daily life

### May 22, 2023 - The Trial of the Leaders - [Micah 3:1-5:15](#)

#### Open It

1. What volunteer social service project would best suit your talents and interests?
2. What is your idea of a peaceful setting?
3. Who, in your view, is one of the greatest leaders of our time?

#### Explore It

4. How did the unjust leaders treat the people? ([3:1-3](#))
5. How would the Lord deal with the leaders? ([3:4](#))
6. What was the judgment on the false prophets? ([3:5-7](#))
7. What was the judgment on Jerusalem? ([3:9-12](#))
8. How did Micah describe the characteristics of the kingdom? ([4:1-8](#))
9. What did the prophet predict would happen to Israel? ([4:9-10](#))
10. Who would go against God's people? ([4:11-13](#))
11. What happened to the ruler of Israel? ([5:1](#))
12. What were the ruler's origins? ([5:2](#))
13. What was the work of Israel's ruler? ([5:3-15](#))

## **Get It**

14. What examples of injustice and exploitation do you see around you?
15. How can Christians become involved in bringing justice to their community?
16. How would you characterize the leadership of your church?
17. If Micah were here today, how might he evaluate the church on matters of helping the disadvantaged and suffering people?
18. What is your view of the Christian's role in bringing about peace in society?
19. How can Christians have hope in persecution?
20. How would you describe the strength and power of the Lord?

## **Apply It**

21. This week what initiative can you take to do acts of mercy and justice on behalf of those in need?
22. What is one way your life-style could become more peacemaking?
23. How can you renew your hope in the Lord today?