

Micah

Chapter 2

The destruction of Israel is lamented—The Lord will gather the remnant of Israel.

3 Therefore thus saith the LORD; Behold, against this family do I devise an evil, from which ye shall not remove your necks; neither shall ye go haughtily: for this time is evil.

5 Therefore thou shalt have none that shall cast a cord by lot in the congregation of the LORD.

6 Prophecy ye not, *say they to them that prophesy*: they shall not prophesy to them, *that they shall not take shame*.

7 ¶O *thou that art* named the house of Jacob, is the spirit of the LORD straitened? *are these his doings*? do not my ^awords do good to him that walketh uprightly?

9 The women of my people have ye cast out from their pleasant houses; from their children have ye taken away my ^aglory for ever.

10 Arise ye, and depart; for this is not *your* ^arest: because it is polluted, it shall destroy *you*, even with a sore destruction.

11 If a man walking in the spirit and ^afalsehood do lie, *saying*, I will prophesy unto thee of wine and of strong drink; he shall even be the prophet of this people. [1]