

The Book of Micah:

“Sin, Judgment, and Hope - A Look At The Gospel”

(All References Are From The English Standard Version, (ESV) Unless Otherwise Noted)

Chapter 2:1-5 - “Covetousness Isn’t Covert To God”

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Micah 2:1-5:

[1] *Woe to those who devise wickedness and work evil on their beds! When the morning dawns, they perform it, because it is in the power of their hand.*

[2] *They covet fields and seize them, and houses, and take them away; they oppress a man and his house, a man and his inheritance.*

[3] *Therefore thus says the LORD: behold, against this family I am devising disaster, from which you cannot remove your necks, and you shall not walk haughtily, for it will be a time of disaster.*

[4] *In that day they shall take up a taunt song against you and moan bitterly, and say, “We are utterly ruined; He changes the portion of my people; how He removes it from me! To an apostate He allots our fields.”*

[5] *Therefore you will have none to cast the line by lot in the assembly of the LORD.*

Exodus 20:17

You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's.

1 Timothy 6:10

For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evils. It is through this craving that some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pangs.

1 Timothy 6:6

But godliness with contentment is great gain.

Hebrews 12:6

For the Lord disciplines the one He loves, and chastises every son whom He receives.

Luke 12:15

Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.