

The Book of MICAH

LIKE wax before fire, so shall the hills be
When the Lord treads on the high places of the earth!
Sinful Samaria shall become a heap,
For He will give a just reward for all your works!

MICAH 1

¹The word of the Lord that came to Micah of Moresheth,
In the days of Jotham, Ahaz and Hezekiah,
Judah's kings,
Which he saw concerning Samaria and Jerusalem.

²Hear, all you peoples!

Listen, O earth and all that is in it!
From His holy temple, let the Lord be a witness against you.

³For the Lord is coming out of His place;
He will come down

And tread on the high places of the earth.

⁴The mountains will melt under Him,
And the valleys will crack like wax before the fire,

Like waters poured down a steep place.

⁵All this is for the transgression of Jacob,
And for the sins of the house of Israel.

“What is the transgression of Jacob?
Is not Samaria?

What are the high places of Judah? Are they not Jerusalem?”

⁶Therefore I will make Samaria a heap of ruins in the field,

Places for planting a vineyard;

I will pour down her stones into the valley,
And I will uncover her foundations.

⁷“All her carved images shall be beaten to pieces,

And all her wealth from her harlotry shall be burnt with fire.

And I will lay all her idols desolate,
For she gathered it from the pay of a harlot,
And to the pay of a harlot they shall return.”
Therefore I will wail and howl;

I will go stripped and naked;

⁸I will make a wailing like the jackals,

And a mourning like the owls,

⁹For her wounds are incurable.

It has come to Judah;

It has come to the gate of My people,
To Jerusalem.

¹⁰Tell it not in Gath, weep not at all;
In the house of Beth-le-aphrah, roll yourself in the dust,

¹¹Pass by in naked shame, you inhabitant of Shaphir;

The inhabitant of Zaanan does not go out.

Beth-ezel mourns;

Its place to stand is taken away from you.

¹²For the inhabitant of Maroth waited for good anxiously,

But disaster came down from the Lord
To the gate of Jerusalem.

¹³O you inhabitants of Lachish,

Harness the chariot to the swift steeds.

(She was the beginning of sin to the daughter of Zion),

For the transgressions of Israel were found in you.

¹⁴Therefore you shall give presents to Moresheth-gath;

The houses of Achzib shall be a lie to the kings of Israel.

¹⁵O inhabitant of Mareshah, I will bring an heir to you;

The glory of Israel shall come to Adullam.

¹⁶Make yourself bald and cut off your hair,
Because of your precious children;

Enlarge your baldness like an eagle,
For they shall go from you into captivity.

CWDS Bible Quotes

1. *Be a vibrant witness to the earth because God will be a vivacious witness against you.*
2. *If the earth cannot withstand the presence of the Lord, men should not resist His grace.*
3. *Honor the presence that melt mountains and split valleys; split with your sins, move away from them and let your heart melt before Him now.*
4. *Accept the blood of the slain Lamb to cure you of sins or you will accept the judgment of God that will make your wounds incurable.*
5. *When you multiply your sins before your enemy, your shame will be paraded before them.*
6. *If you are captive to sin in your liberty you will be taken by sin into bondage.*

PRAYER POINTS

- King of all kings, arise in Your mighty love and stir the hearts of Your people to respond with urgency to the groaning of the earth. Amen.
- Let the grace of the living God sweep the earth and melt the resistance in the heart of man to the gospel, in the name of Jesus.
- Heal me O Lord and I shall be healed; save me O Lord and I shall be saved. I bow before You in shame and seek Your forgiveness. Amen.
- Merciful Father, forgive me of presumptuous sins. I refuse to rage against You by parading my sins instead of being remorseful. Amen.
- Let the blood of Jesus Christ cleanse me of every sin; I refuse to be captive to sin and in bondage to the devil. Amen.

DEVISE evil; is this what you do?
The Lord shall devise evil against you!
You command the prophets not to prophesy,
And false prophets have been your desire.
But I will gather the sheep into the fold;
Then shall the breaker come.
When they break out and pass through the gate,
The Lord shall lead them on!

MICAH 2

¹Woe to those who devise iniquity in their heads
 And who work evil on their beds!
 At morning light they practice it,
 Because it is in the power of their hand.
²They covet fields and take them by violence,
 Also houses, and seize them.
 They oppress a man and his house,
 A man and his inheritance.
³Therefore, thus says the Lord:
 "Behold, against this family I am devising disaster,
 From which you cannot remove your necks;
 Neither shall you walk in pride, for this is an evil time.
⁴In the day one shall take up a proverb against you,
 And lament with a bitter lamentation, saying:
 "We are utterly destroyed!
 He has changed the heritage of my people;
 O how has He removed it from me!
 Turning away, He has divided our fields."
⁵Therefore you have no one to determine boundaries by lot,
 In the congregation of the Lord.
⁶"Prophesy not," you say to those who prophesy,
 So they shall not prophesy to you;
 They shall not return insult to insult.
⁷You who are named the house of Jacob:
 Is the Spirit of the Lord restricted?
 Are these His doings?
 Does My words do good to him who walks uprightly?
⁸"Lately My people have risen up as an enemy
 To steal the robe with the garment
 From those who trust you as they pass by,
 Like men returned from war.
⁹"You cast out the women of My people
 From their pleasant houses;
 From their children
 You have taken away My glory forever.
¹⁰"Arise and depart, for this is not your rest;
 Because it is defiled, it shall destroy,
 Yes, with total destruction.
For this is what you do.
¹¹"If a man walks in a false spirit
 And speak a lie, saying,
 'I will prophesy to you in the spirit of strong
 drink and wine,'
 He would be the prophet of this people.
¹²"I will surely assemble all of you, O Jacob,

I will surely gather the remnant of Israel;
 I will put them together like sheep in Bozrah,
 Like the flocks in the midst of their pasture;
 They shall make a loud noise because of their many people.
¹³"The one who breaks open will come up before them;
 They will break out, pass through the gate.
 And go out by it;
 Their king will pass before them,
 With the Lord at their head."

CWDS Bible Quotes

1. *When you plan evil you procure shame, you practice evil you procure disaster, you oppress man, God answers you.*
2. *Remove your hand from evil to remove your neck from disaster; harden your neck against God and it will become too inflexible to be withdrawn from His wrath.*
3. *You may shut down the voice of the prophet, but you cannot shut down the impact of the word; it is loaded with the potential to fulfil.*
4. *The word is not your enemy if you are not an enemy of the word; it will do good if you hear and heed it.*
5. *It is better to be an enemy of sin than an enemy of God; it is futile to fight God.*
6. *The Lord Himself will lead His people from triumph to triumph to final and eternal triumphant rest.*

PRAYER POINTS

- Holy Spirit, I invite You to take full control of my heart and my life; let no evil thought find the place to germinate in my heart, in the name of Jesus.
- By the power of the Holy Spirit, I break every evil tie with sin and come with tenderness of heart to Your throne O Lord. Amen.
- O God my Father, extend Your right arm from heaven above and let Your word released in the earth by Your Son and Your prophets pierce the hearts of men on its way to divine fulfillment. Amen.
- O how I love Your word O God; it is the delight of my heart and the joy of my soul.
- Let wisdom arise in the hearts of everyone who opposes Your word and make You their enemy. By the power, grace and the loving-kindness of the living God, we command them to stand down and live, in the name of Jesus. Amen.
- Lead me to rest O God; order my victories and lead me to rest. Amen.

WILL you not know judgment?
Will you love evil and the good spurn?
Will the Lord hear you when you cry,
Or must His face from you be turned?
Will you judge and teach for money?
Will you say the Lord is here?
Shall no evil come upon you,
Or will you become ruin heaps everywhere?

MICAH 3

¹And I said, "Hear, now, O heads of Jacob
 And you rulers of the house of Israel:
 Is it not for you to know justice?"

2^cYou who hate the good and love evil;
 Who strip the skin from My people,
 And the flesh from their bones;
 3^cWho also eat the flesh of My people,
 And flay their skin from them also;
 Who break their bones,
 And chop them in pieces like meat for the pot,
 Like flesh for the cauldron.”
 4^cThen they will cry to the Lord,
 But He will not hear them.
 He will even hide His face from them at that
 time,
 Because they have been evil in their deeds.
 5^cThus says the Lord concerning the prophets
 who make my people err,
 Who chant, “Peace.”
 While they chew with their teeth,
 And who prepare war against him
 Who puts nothing into their mouths;
 6^cTherefore you shall have night without vision,
 And you shall have darkness without divination;
 The sun shall go down on the prophets,
 And the day shall be dark for them.
 7^c“And the seers shall be ashamed,
 The diviners shall be confounded;
 Indeed, they shall all cover their lips then,
 For there is no answer from God.”
 8^cBut truly I am full of power by the Spirit of
 the Lord,
 And of justice and might,
 To declare to Jacob his transgressions,
 And to Israel his sin.
 9^cNow hear this,
 You heads of the house of Jacob
 And rulers of the house of Israel,
 Who abhor justice and pervert all equity,
 10^cWho build up Zion with bloodshed
 And Jerusalem with iniquity:
 The heads judge for a bribe,
 11^cHer priests teach for pay,
 And her prophets prophesy for money.
 Yet they lean on the Lord and say,
 “Is not the Lord among us?
 No harm can come upon us.”
 12^cTherefore because of you,
 Zion shall be plowed like a field,
 Jerusalem shall become heaps of ruins,
 And the mountain of the temple,
 Like the bare hills of the forest.

CWDS Bible Quotes

1. *To hate God is to love evil; to love God is to hate evil and love good.*
2. *It is best to have God turning His face towards You for good, than to have Him turning His face from you for good, and hiding His face from your prayers.*
3. *You cannot understand the word until you understand the spirit behind the word; not everyone speaking peace to you is with or for you.*
4. *God will judge leaders and call them into account for their injustice to the people.*
5. *You know you are answering to God when You cry*

and get no answer from God.

6. *Money may be your reward but must never be your motive for teaching and prophesying, or you will be called to account for bribery and bloodshed.*
7. *Your position can never protect You against God, only your righteousness.*
8. *It is an indictment to be charged with the word and with leadership, yet to have a nation destroyed instead of saved because of you.*

PRAYER POINTS

- Holy Spirit, give me the heart of the Father; agitate me to repulsion and revulsion against every evil thing I see or hear in the name of Jesus, and agitate me to warmth and love for every act of good and righteousness. Amen.
- My Father and my God, help me to bear fruits that delight You and attracts You to me always, in the name of Jesus.
- Let the fear of the living God fall upon our leaders now; let them lead in righteousness, in the name of Jesus.
- Father, let everything in my life that blocks my prayers be removed now by the blood of Jesus; let my heavens be opened to me. Amen.
- By the power in the blood of Jesus, let the spirit of mammon and false motives be driven away from the church of the living God. Amen.
- Omnipotent God, let the blood of Jesus Christ my Lord speak for me on earth, and let my righteousness speak for me before Your throne, Amen.

**COME, let us go up to His mountain
 For the Lord to teach us His ways;
 There shall all the nations be gathered,
 And we will walk in the Lord's name always;
 To the top of the mountain where God's
 house is,
 Exalted above all mountains and hills,
 Then on to break down all nations and
 gather
 The substance for the Lord; they are His!**

MICAH 4

1^cNow in the latter days, it shall come to pass,
 That the mountains of the Lord's house
 Shall be established on the top of the mountains,
 And shall be exalted above the hills,
 And peoples shall flow to it.
 2^cMany nations shall come and say,
 “Come, let us go up to the mountain of the
 Lord,
 To the house of the God of Jacob;
 He will teach us His ways,
 And we shall walk in His paths.
 For the law shall go forth out of Zion,
 And the word of the Lord from Jerusalem.
 3^cHe shall judge between many peoples,
 And rebuke strong nations that are far off.
 They shall beat their swords into plowshares,
 And their spears into pruning hooks;
 Nation shall not lift up sword against nation,
 Neither shall they learn war anymore.

⁴But everyone shall sit under his vine and under his fig tree,
And no one shall make them afraid;
For the mouth of the Lord of hosts has spoken.

⁵For all people walk each in the name of his god,
But we will walk in the name of the Lord our God forever and evermore.

⁶"In that day," says the Lord,
"I will assemble the lame,
I will gather the outcast and those whom I have afflicted;

⁷"I will make the lame a remnant,
And the outcast a strong nation;
So the Lord will reign over them in Mount Zion
From now on, even forever.

⁸"And you, O tower of the flock,
The stronghold of the daughter of Zion,
To you shall the former dominion return,
The kingdom of the daughter of Jerusalem."

⁹Why now do you cry aloud?
Is there no king in your midst?
Has your counselor perished?
For pangs have seized you like a woman in labor.

¹⁰Be in pain and labor to bring forth,
Like a travailing woman, O daughter of Zion.
For now you shall go forth from the city, You shall dwell in the field,
And to Babylon you shall go.
There you shall be delivered;
There the Lord will redeem you
From the hand of your enemies.

¹¹Now also many nations have gathered against you,
Who say, "Let her be defiled,
And let our eye look upon Zion."

¹²But they do not know the thoughts of the Lord,
Nor do they understand His counsel;
For He will gather them like sheaves to the threshing floor.

¹³"Arise and thresh, O daughter of Zion;
For I will make your horn into iron,
I will make your hoofs bronze;
You shall beat in pieces many peoples;
I will consecrate their grain to the Lord,
And their substance to the Lord of the whole earth."

CWDS Bible Quotes

1. *There is no mountain like the mountain of the house of the Lord; it is exalted, established and magnetic.*
2. *The traction of the house of the Lord will be the attraction of all nations of the earth, and the laws of the God of Jacob will be their desire.*
3. *Animosity, antagonism, suspicion, war games, weapons of war and defense will become redundant when the Prince of peace reigns; nations will deploy their resources in production instead.*
4. *When the Lord is your forever God and His name your strong tower, then commit yourself to walk*

in His name forever.

5. *Let your heart be fixed and your mind steadfast in the midst of a delirious nation; say, "As for me and my house we will serve the Lord." or "We will walk in the name of our God."*
6. *Enduing pain and hardship will become enduring hope of the outcast, afflicted, and lame who will be gathered for restoration and strength.*
7. *Your pain is not in vain, it is travailing labor that will bring forth and reproduce hope.*
8. *They set their hearts against the Lord to their detriment, because they do not know the thoughts of the Lord nor understand His counsel.*
9. *When the people of the Lord arise and subdue nations, their wealth and resources will be consecrated to the Lord as holy and will find its way into His storehouses.*

PRAYER POINTS

- King of kings and Lord of lords, let Your house be attractive to people everywhere; let them flow into it, in the name of Jesus.
- Father God, place the desire for Your word in the hearts of people everywhere; let them come seeking it before it goes seeking them. Amen.
- Prince of peace, let peace reign over the nations. Let every spirit stirring up antagonism among strong nations and craving for mass destruction, die now, in the name of Jesus.
- Father God, You are my forever God; Your word is my resort. I will walk in the name of the Lord.
- My King and my God, my commitment is to be steadfast, unmovable and constantly abounding in Your love and in Your work. Amen.
- Holy Spirit, the Comforter, comfort the afflicted in the body of Christ and on the mission field; comfort those who are being persecuted for their faith. Amen.
- Most High God, place nations in the hearts of believers, to subdue them to You, in the name of Jesus.

**BETHLEHEM, a small town,
But from you a Ruler shall come;
He shall feed in the Lord's strength,
And shall be great for all time and beyond.
And Your witchcraft shall be cut off,
All graven images destroyed,
For when the woman shall travail and bring forth,
He shall feed the people of the Lord!**

MICAH 5

¹"Daughter of the troops, gather in your troops;

Against us he has laid siege;
They shall smite the Judge of Israel
With a rod on His cheek.

²"But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah,
Though you are very small
Among the thousands of Judah,
Out of you shall come the tall.
He shall come forth to Me,
The One who shall be Ruler in Israel,
Who existed from ancient days,
From everlasting."

³Therefore He shall give them up,
Until the time that she who travails, gives

birth;
Then the remnant of His brethren shall return to the house of Israel.

⁴And He shall stand and feed His flock
In the strength of the Lord,
In the majesty of the name of the Lord His God;
And they shall abide,
For now He shall be great, to the ends of the earth,

⁵And this One shall be the peace.
When into our land
The Assyrians shall come,
And when he treads in our palaces,
Then against him shall we raise
Seven shepherds and eight princely men.
⁶Who shall make the land of Assyria waste
with the sword,
And the land of Nimrod at its entrances;
And thus shall he deliver us from the Assyrians

When he comes into our lands
And when he treads within our borders.

⁷Then the remnant of Jacob
Shall be in the midst of many peoples,
Like dew from the Lord,
Like showers on the grass of the field,
That tarry for no man,
Nor wait for the sons of men.

⁸And the remnant of Jacob shall be among the Gentiles

In the midst of many peoples,
Like a lion among the beasts of the forest,
Like a young lion among flocks of sheep,
Who if he passes through
Both treads down and tears in pieces,
And none can deliver.

⁹Your hand shall be lifted against your adversaries, and all your enemies shall be cut off.

¹⁰“And it shall come to pass in that day,” says the Lord,

“That I will cut off your horses from your midst, and your chariots I will destroy.

¹¹“And I will cut off your cities,
And all your strongholds I will throw down.

¹²I will cut off witchcraft from your hand;
You shall have no soothsayers.

¹³I will also cut off your carved images
And your standing images from your midst;
You shall no more worship the work of your hands after this.

¹⁴“I will pluck your wooden images from your midst;

So shall I destroy your cities.

¹⁵And I will execute My vengeance in anger and fury

On the nations that have not heard.”

CWDS Bible Quotes

- The wisdom that declares and then performs cannot be argued with or argued away when that which was declared is fulfilled and that which is fulfilled was declared.*
- Out of the many who were born in Bethlehem, and the few among them who were smitten on the*

cheek, only One pre-existed time and only One will outlast time.

- Your insignificance is marvelously reversed when the Lord gets into the picture.*
- Pursue the will of God for Your life and the place of your birth will gain widespread reputation because You were born there.*
- Long before manifestation we take a prophetic picture of Jesus as the Ruler, the Prince of Peace, and the Good Shepherd who will feed the flock of the Lord.*
- Your presence is dew to your surroundings and showers to the nations when the presence of the Lord is in You.*
- Be a nation that hears and put away witchcraft, idolatry and sorceries from among you or be a designate for the vengeance, anger and fury of the Lord.*

PRAYER POINTS

- My Father my God, I stand in awe of Your words and Your ways; You have said it and You have done it; You do everything You say. Amen.
- Jesus, You are from everlasting to everlasting; everything spoken about You in the prophets was fulfilled and I have all confidence that everything You have spoken will be fulfilled. Amen.
- Father, I invite You to possess my life. I will take the ride with You on the path of fulfilment and greatness, in the name of Jesus. Amen.
- I declare that I will give significance to my birth place and to the institutions I am connected with, because I was there. Amen.
- Let every spirit of idolatry and witchcraft be purged away from this nation by the precious blood of Jesus. Amen.
- Good Shepherd, I invite You to come and feed me today and every day of my life. Amen

**DO justice, love mercy and humbly walk;
Present this to God rather than the calves.**

A thousand burnt offerings, though you bring,

**With ten thousands of rivers of oil to Him,
Yet do you hoard treasures of wickedness?**

Are your rich men full of violence?

**Know the Lord shall make you desolate,
For He requires justice, mercy and a humble heart!**

MICAH 6

¹Hear now what the Lord says:

²“Arise, plead your case before the mountains.
And let the hills hear your voice.

Hear, O mountains, the Lord’s complaint,
You strong foundations of the earth;

For the Lord has a complaint against His people, and He will contend with Israel.

³“O My people, what have I done to You?

And how have I wearied you? Testify against Me.

⁴“I brought you out of the land of Egypt,
I redeemed you from the house of bondage;
And I sent before you Moses, Aaron and Miriam.

⁵“O My people, remember now what Balak

king of Moab counseled,
And what Balaam the son of Beor answered
him,
From Shittim to Gilgal. Think, therefore,
That you may know the righteousness of the
Lord.”

⁶With what shall I come before the Lord,
And bow myself before the Most High God?
Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings?
With calves a year old?

⁷Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of
rams, or rivers of oil in its ten thousands?
Shall I give my firstborn for my transgressions,
The fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

⁸He has shown you, O man, what is good;
And what does the Lord require of you,
But to do justly, to love mercy
And to walk humbly with your God?

⁹The Lord's voice cries to the city;

Wisdom shall see Your name:

“Hear the rod! Who has appointed it?

¹⁰“Are there yet the treasures of wickedness
In the house of the wicked;
And the short measure that is an abominable
thing?

¹¹Shall I count those with wicked measures
and with the bag of deceitful weights pure?

¹²For the rich men are full of violence,
Her inhabitants have spoken lies,
And their tongue is deceitful in their mouth.

¹³“Therefore I will also make you sick by smit-
ing you,

And make you desolate because of your sins.

¹⁴“You shall eat, but not be satisfied;

Hunger shall be in your midst.

Your casting down shall be before your eyes;
None shall deliver you!

You shall carry some away but shall not save
them;

And those whom you rescue, I will give to the
sword.

¹⁵“You shall not reap that which you sow.

You shall tread the olives, but the oil shall not
anoint you;

You shall make sweet wine, but shall not
drink wine.

¹⁶“For the statues of Omri are kept;
And you do all the works of Ahab's house;

And you walk in their counsels,

That I should make you a desolation,

And your inhabitants a hissing.

Therefore, you shall bear the reproach of My
people.”

CWDS Bible Quotes

1. Meditate on the goodness of the Lord and direct your love to Him or He will complain to the mountains and the foundations of the earth against you.
2. We have ten times as many reasons to be awed at the goodness of the Lord towards us than Israel did; they had Moses and Miriam, we have Jesus Christ and the cross.
3. Look beyond the provision to the hand that provided, look beyond the deliverance to the power

and love that delivered; look beyond the blessings to the heart that released it; then keep Your mind stayed on Him.

4. Be deliberate to remember and be determined not to forget the righteousness of God extended to You.
5. It is good to bring to the Lord what can be bought but God delights more in what is produced by the heart, justice, mercy and humility.
6. The Lord has a rod appointed against those who build treasures of wickedness and are dishonest in business deals, to cast them down and make them desolate suddenly.
7. You become an enemy to your own success when you follow wicked precedents and patterns; you become a friend to your own destruction when you walk in the counsel of the ungodly.

PRAYER POINTS

- Father, I stand in awe at Your goodness towards me every day. Amen. I have made a covenant with my heart, my limbs and my lips that I will celebrate You. Amen.
- For all Your goodness to me, for Your mercies renewed every morning, for Your angels assigned to my protection, for eternity You have placed in my heart, I cannot take my eyes from You O Lord my God.
- Most holy and righteous God, I bring to You sacrifices of righteousness and holiness and generous offerings flowing from the overflow of my love for You. Amen.
- Omnipresent God, I will never omit You from my daily life and my business transactions as You observe every aspect of my life, may I meet Your approval, in the name of Jesus. Amen.
- I look to You Jesus as the standard for my life; I refuse to be a friend or companion of those who hate the Lord. Amen.

**SEE me cast down, see me fall,
But know I shall arise!
See me sitting in the dark,
But the Lord shall be my light!
I will bear my indignation for my sins,
For it is but for a time.
For my confidence is not in man;
In God's righteousness I shall shine!**

MICAH 7

¹Woe is me; Woe!

For I am like those who gather summer fruits,
Like those who glean vintage grapes;

There is no cluster to eat,

Of the first-ripe fruit which My soul desires.

²The faithful man has perished from the earth,
And there is no one upright among men.

They all lie in wait for blood,

Every man hunts his brother with a net.

³That they may earnestly do evil with both
hands,

The prince asks for gift, the judge seeks a
bribe,

And the great man utters his evil desire;
So they scheme together.

⁴The best of them is like a brier;

The most upright is sharper than a thorn
hedge;

The day of your watchman and your punishment comes.

Now shall be their perplexity.

⁵Do not trust in a friend;

Do not put your confidence in a companion;

Guard the doors of your mouth

From her who lies in your bosom.

⁶The son dishonors his father,

Daughter rises against her mother,

Daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law;

A man's enemies are the men of his own household.

⁷Therefore I will look to the Lord;

I will wait for the God of my salvation;

My God will hear me.

⁸Do not rejoice over me, my enemy;

When I fall, I will arise;

When I sit in darkness,

The Lord will be a light to me.

⁹I will bear the indignation of the Lord,

Because I have sinned against Him,

Until He pleads my case,

And execute justice for me.

He will bring me forth to the light;

I will see His righteousness.

¹⁰Then she who is my enemy will see it,

And shame shall cover her who said to me,

"Where is the Lord your God?"

Now I will behold her with my eyes,

And she will be trampled down

Just like mud in the streets.

¹¹In the day when your walls are to be built,

In that day the decree shall go far and wide.

¹²In that day they shall come to you

From Assyria and from the fortified cities,

From the fortress to the River,

From mountain to mountain and sea to sea.

¹³Yet the land shall be desolate

Because of those who dwell in it,

And for the fruit of their deeds.

¹⁴Shepherd Your people, Lord, with Your staff,

The flocks of Your heritage,

Who dwell solitarily in a woodland,

In the midst of Carmel;

Let them feed in Bashan and Gilead

As in days of old.

¹⁵"As in the days when you came out of the

land of Egypt,

I will show them marvelous wonders."

¹⁶The nations shall see and be ashamed of all

their might;

They shall lay their hand on their mouth,

And their ears shall be deaf.

¹⁷They shall lick the dust like a serpent;

They shall crawl from their holes like snakes

of the earth.

They shall be afraid of the Lord our God, And

fear because of You.

¹⁸Who is a God like You,

Pardoning iniquity and passing over the trans-

gression of the remnant of His heritage?

He does not retain His anger forever,

Because in mercy He delights.

¹⁹He will turn again and have compassion on

us, and will subdue our iniquities.

You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.

²⁰You will give truth to Jacob and mercy to Abraham,

Which You have sworn to our fathers from days of old.

CWDS Bible Quotes

1. *When the faithful and upright can no longer be found among men you do not need to look long, or hard, or far to find judgment.*
2. *Friends, companions and family are poor resort of confidence to trust in, in the day of trouble from the Lord; look to the Lord; wait on Him.*
3. *Your pitfall shall not be your grave and your darkness shall not be your blindness if you acknowledge your sin and you accept the Lord's correction.*
4. *Staying connected does not mean you will never fall but guarantees your bounce; God's righteousness will spring forth to your rescue and defense.*
5. *Where your pitfall has been their glory, your rising up shall be their misery and their shame. Your enemy rejoices over you to their own detriment if you position Your heart to seek the Lord.*
6. *When you surrender to the Lord and you are restored, they will gather to you from mountain to mountain and from sea to sea.*
7. *The evil deed of a people is a herald calling out to the Lord for judgment and desolation.*
8. *If you are a sheep of the loving God you will know His voice and He will shepherd you with His staff.*
9. *Come from your hiding place and fear before the Lord of hosts; He is loving and forgiving, full of grace and delights in mercy.*
10. *If you surrender to the work of the cross you will see the sins you have sunken in lifted from you and sunken into the depths of the sea.*

PRAYER POINTS

- My Father and my God, let righteousness permeate this nation; let passion and desire for You that You cannot ignore rise in this nation, in the name of Jesus.
- Great and glorious God, let every righteous fiber in this nation vibrate to resist every evil influence of the devil. Amen.
- Good Father, my confidence is in You; my heart looks to You with great desire; I will wait on You. Amen.
- Father, I acknowledge my sins; I accept Your hard yet gentle corrections. Let this be my rest and the unrest of my enemies. Amen.
- Thank You Lord that You have rescued my soul from the dogs; You reached down and delivered me when I did not have the strength to stand on my own. Amen.
- Father, let the call of Your divine whistle be the herald that draws people to You from every nation, coast to coast, mountains to mountains and sea to sea. Amen.
- Loving and forgiving God, my tears overflow at Your goodness; I am forgiven and it means so much. Thank You Jesus that my sins are cast into the depths of the sea. Amen.