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# This Just Got Serious



# What God Has Not Promised

- Healing from every illness
- Protection from suffering
- Material prosperity

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- He will always be with us
- The Holy Spirit is moving us toward who God created us to be
- He forgives our sins
- To partner with us to fulfill the mission
- Jesus promises to come back, to restore the earth.
- Resurrection and eternal life

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Micah 7:8-9 (NIV)

<sup>10</sup> Then my enemy will see it and will be covered with shame, she who said to me, "Where is the LORD your God?" My eyes will see her downfall; even now she will be trampled underfoot like mire in the streets.

Micah 7:10 (NIV)

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Micah 7:14-15 (NIV)







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<sup>18</sup> Who is a God like you, who pardons sin and forgives the transgression of the remnant of his inheritance? You do not stay angry forever but delight to show mercy.<sup>19</sup> You will again have compassion on us; you will tread our sins underfoot and hurl all our iniquities into the depths of the sea. <sup>20</sup> You will be faithful to Jacob, and show love to Abraham, as you pledged on oath to our ancestors in days long ago.

Micah 7:18-20 (NIV)

<sup>2</sup> “But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, though you are small among the clans of Judah, out of you will come for me **one who will be ruler over Israel**, whose origins are from of old, from ancient times.”

Micah 5:2 (NIV)