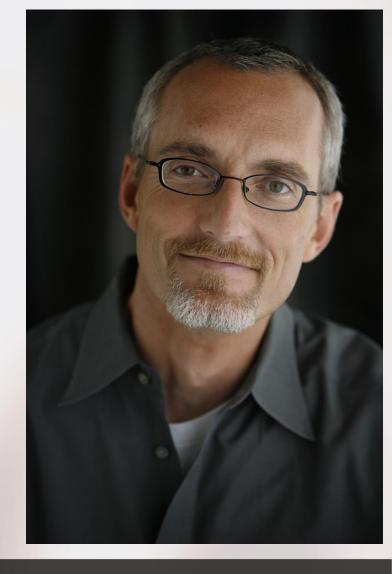
# BIBLICAL JUSTICE A STUDY IN THE BOOK OF MICAH

# "Champion"

# **MICAH 5:1-15**

"The Bible can't tell us what it's like to be black in America, or how to address systematic discrimination in housing or education. We need to listen to voices who study the issues and have had the experiences."



#### **Phil Vischer**

# Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person be quick to hear, slow to speak, slow to anger;

# **James 1:19**

"Essentially, CRT uses storytelling as an alternative truth. As the old adage goes, 'If the law is on your side, pound the law; if the facts are on your side, pound the facts; if neither is on your side, pound the table."



Voddie Baucham, Fault Lines

- 1. 1st sermon A Just God Will Come (Chapters 1-2)
  - A. Condemnation (Chapter 1)
  - B. Culmination (Chapter 2)
- 2. 2nd sermon A Restorative God Will Come (Chapters 3-5)
  - A. Accusation (Chapter 3)
  - B. Dominion (Chapter 4)
  - C. Champion (Chapter 5)
- 3. 3rd sermon A Repenting People Is Needed (Chapters 6-7)

# How Does Micah Address Justice?

#### **KEY POINT**: If you know <u>Jesus</u>, you will know <u>peace</u>.

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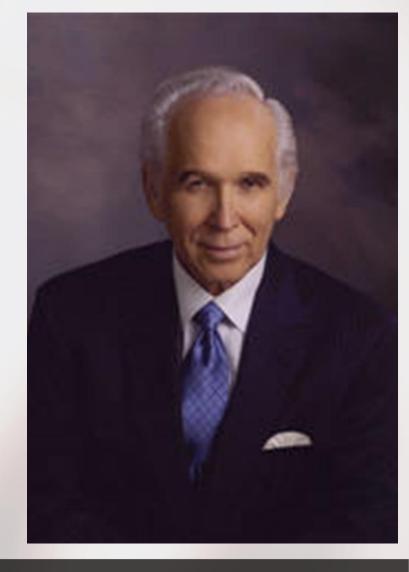
<sup>27</sup> My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. <sup>28</sup> I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand.<sup>29</sup> My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand.

# John 10:27-29

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant,

# Hebrews 13:20

"Those who live this joyous and serene communion with Christ are the men and women who know they are in God's hand. Nor will they ever make a move or entertain a thought that would take them out of his hand. To know that God's hand is upon me for...



W. Phillip Keller, A Shepherd Looks at the Good Shepherd and His Sheep

"...good is perhaps the most precious awareness a human being can savor in his earthly sojourn. To be acutely aware -'O my Shepherd, You are enfolding me in Your great strong hand!'-is to sense a sweet serenity that nothing can disturb. To realize the...



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**Ephesians 2:14** – For he himself is our peace, who has made us both one and has broken down in his flesh the dividing wall of hostility

# Isaiah 9:6 and Ephesians 2:14

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