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GOING DEEPER AT HOME

JULY 25: MICAH

We all want to be successful, that we are doing a good job at something. If you farm, you want more than just an okay crop. If you are an athlete, you want to do more than just win a couple of games, you want to win the championship. We want to do more than just squeak by with acceptable. But if we aren't careful this need to be successful makes its way into our relationship with God, to the point where we begin to think we are doing a good job when we are missing it completely. Micah reveals that God determines what a successful relationship with Him looks like, not me.

SCRIPTURE:

Micah

GOING DEEPER QUESTIONS:

1. What is something you have been successful at? As you think about that, how does this success make you feel? Why is success dangerous for our relationship with God?
2. What is something from the message that stood out to you, was new to you or challenged you?
3. Respond to the statement "God determines what a successful relationship with Him looks like, not me." Is this true? Why or why not?
4. Micah's name means "Who is like God?" This is a question Micah poses and answers repeatedly throughout the book. Why is it important that we know who God is in comparison to other gods?
5. Why is it important that God put an end to the corruption taking place in Israel where the rich are taking advantage of the poor? Why is it so easy for us to take advantage of others?
6. What is your typical response to injustice? Why is that?
7. Read Micah 6:8. Of the three actions God calls for, which is the easiest & which is the hardest for you? Why is that?
8. How is the the Holy Spirit inviting you to respond? What step(s) of obedience can you start taking today?