

## MICAH: A STORY OF TRUTH

Use the following Growth Group discussion questions to deepen your relationship with God, his Word and others.

**Growth Group Leaders:** It is not necessary to use all the questions. Select or ask questions you like or that best fit your Growth Group.

### **BREAK IT OUT:**

1. What PRICE have you paid for telling the truth? Was it worth the cost?
2. What SURPRISED you or made you THINK in the story of Micah?

### **TALK IT OUT:**

3. Why do we tend to surround ourselves with YES people versus compassionate honest counselors?
4. How can we be more RECEPTIVE to compassionate honest counselors?
5. How can we WIN the struggle to just go along with what everyone else is saying?
6. How should we RESPOND when someone tells us what we want to hear, but we know it is not the truth?
7. How do we try to DECEIVE God? Why doesn't it work?
8. How hard is it to maintain PEACEFUL relationships with people whose lives are set against God? Should we?

### **WORK IT OUT:**

9. Do you have GOOD advisors in your life? Are they free to speak and are you listening?
10. Do you need ADVICE now? How can your growth group help you?

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The Supporting Cast

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The story of Micah (1 Kings 22) is full of interesting turns and even a fair dose of comedy, all with the most practical of applications. One such application is in regard to our willingness to hear truth. We all face many decisions throughout our week, but often we choose our path regardless of truthful input. In addition, we often carry a blurred view of truth (*sometimes unknowingly*). Here are a few great applications for us seen in the lives of King Ahab and the prophet Micah.

1. **Have you ever sought Godly counsel, after you have already made your decision** - (1 Kings 22:1-6)? Watch out for "yes-people".
2. **Micah was right where you would expect him to be** - (1 Kings 22:7-19, 23-28)! Who are you pushing away, when they are actually great counselors?
3. **Denying truth does not make it go away** - (1 Kings 22:29-36). Be as you are, unhidden, undisguised before God's truth.

### **APPLICATION**

Where does God's truth have its best avenue in your life?  
Will you embrace it?

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