

WHAT DOES GOD REQUIRE?
Micah 6:1-2, 6-8

Requirement – an unforgiving word

- Trial (vs. 1-2)
- Testimony (vs. 3-7)
God – What have I done?
People – What do you want?
- Truth (v. 8)
Do justice
Love kindness
Walk humbly with God
- Time and Trust (7:7)
2 Peter 2:9 "...the Lord knows how to rescue the godly from temptation, and to keep the unrighteous under punishment for the day of judgment..."

Romans 8:3-4

³For what the Law could not do, weak as it was through the flesh, God *did*: sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and *as an offering* for sin, He condemned sin in the flesh, ⁴so that the requirement of the Law might be fulfilled in us, who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.

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¹Hear now what the Lord is saying, "Arise, plead your case before the mountains, and let the hills hear your voice.

²"Listen, you mountains, to the indictment of the Lord, and you enduring foundations of the earth, because the Lord has a case against His people; even with Israel He will dispute.

⁶With what shall I come to the Lord *and* bow myself before the God on high? Shall I come to Him with burnt offerings, with yearling calves?

⁷Does the Lord take delight in thousands of rams, in ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I present my firstborn *for* my rebellious acts, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

⁸He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

Micah 7, 18

⁷But as for me, I will watch expectantly for the LORD;
I will wait for the God of my salvation.
My God will hear me.

¹⁸Who is a God like You, who pardons iniquity and passes over the rebellious act of the remnant of His possession? He does not retain His anger forever, because He delights in unchanging love.