

MINOR PROPHETS III ANSWER KEY

TOTAL POINT POSSIBLE: 236

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THE BOOK OF MICAH

CHAPTER 1

1. the word of the Lord
2. Samaria, Jerusalem
3. all ye people
4. from His holy temple
5. will come down, and tread upon the high places of the earth
6. the mountains shall be molten, the valleys shall be cleft
7. for the transgression of Jacob is all this, and for the sins of the house of Israel
8. Samaria, Jerusalem
9. an heap of the field, the stones thereof into the valley, the foundations thereof, all the graven images thereof, all the hires thereof, all the idols thereof
10. return to the hire of an harlot
11. wail, howl, go stripped and naked
12. incurable
13. Judah, Jerusalem
14. roll themselves in the dust
15. evil
16. bind the chariot to the swift beast
17. a lie
18. a. make thee bald, b. poll thee for thy delicate children, c. enlarge thy baldness as the eagle
19. into captivity

CHAPTER 2

1. devise, work
2. they practiced evil
3. a. they covet fields and take them by violence, b. they covet houses and take them away, c. they oppress a man and his house, even a man and his heritage
4. an evil
5. necks
6. a parable
7. we be utterly spoiled
8. their fields
9. the casting of a cord by lot
10. prophesy not
11. a. is the spirit of the Lord straitened, b. are these his doings, c. do not my words do good to him that walketh uprightly
12. enemy
13. they pulled off the robe with the garment from them that pass by
14. they were being cast out from their pleasant houses
15. arise ye, and depart
16. a prophecy of wine and of strong drink
17. I will surely assemble, O Jacob, all of thee; I will surely gather the remnant of Israel

CHAPTER 3

1. judgment
2. good, loved
3. a. pluck off their skin from off them, b. pluck off their flesh from off their bones, c. eat the flesh of my people, d. flay their skin from off them, e. break their bones, f. chop them in pieces
4. they cry unto the Lord
5. he will not hear them; he will even hide his face from them
6. peace
7. a. night shall be unto you that ye shall not have a vision, b. it shall be dark unto you that ye shall not divine
8. the seers shall be ashamed, the diviners confounded, they shall all cover their lips
9. full of power, full of judgment, full of might
10. to declare unto Jacob his transgression, and to Israel his sin
11. judgment, all equity
12. blood, iniquity
13. reward
14. hire
15. money
16. is not the Lord among us
17. plow Zion as a field, make Jerusalem become heaps, make the mountain of the house as the high places of the forest

CHAPTER 4

1. in the last days
2. a. it shall be established in the top of the mountains, b. it shall be exalted above the hills, c. people shall flow unto it
3. come, and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord
4. the law, the word of the Lord
5. a. they shall beat their swords into plowshares, b. beat their spears into pruninghooks, c. nation shall not lift up a sword against nation, d. they shall not learn war any more, e. they shall sit every man under his vine and under his fig tree, f. none shall make them afraid, g. all people will walk in the name of the Lord
6. the Lord's (or God's)
7. for ever and ever
8. remnant
9. strong nation
10. the Lord
11. the first dominion or the kingdom
12. king, counselor
13. pain, labor
14. Babylon
15. from the hand of thine enemies
16. many
17. arise and thresh
18. a. God will make Israel's horn iron, b. He will make thy hooves brass, c. thou shalt beat in pieces many people, d. God will consecrate their gain unto himself, e. consecrate their substance unto himself

CHAPTER 5

1. gather thyself in troops
2. they shall smite the judge of Israel with a rod upon the cheek
3. Jesus Christ
4. Bethlehem
5. to be ruler in Israel

6. from everlasting
7. He gave them up
8. the remnant of his brethren shall return unto the children of Israel
9. stand, feed, the majesty of the name of the Lord, abide, great unto the ends of the earth, peace
10. seven shepherds, eight principal men
11. they shall waste the land of Assyria with the sword
12. the land of Nimrod
13. deliver
14. dew from the Lord, as the showers upon the grass, that tarrieth not for man, nor waiteth for the sons of men
15. a lion
16. lifted up upon thine adversaries
17. any nine of the following answers in any order are acceptable: cut off thy horses, destroy thy chariots, cut off the cities, throw down all thy strong holds, cut off witchcrafts, no more soothsayers, cut off graven images, standing images, pluck up thy groves, the work of thine hands, destroy thy cities

CHAPTER 6

1. what the Lord saith
2. contend thou before the mountains, and let the hills hear thy voice
3. controversy, plead
4. a. what have I done unto thee, b. wherein have I wearied thee
5. a. I brought thee up out of the land of Egypt, b. I redeemed thee out of the house of servants, c. I sent before thee Moses, Aaron and Miriam
6. burnt offerings, with calves of a year old
7. thousands of rams or ten thousands of rivers of oil
8. my firstborn - or, the fruit of my body
9. what is good
10. to do justly, to love mercy, to walk humbly with God
11. the Lord's
12. the man of wisdom
13. scant measure, wicked balances, deceitful weights
14. full of violence
15. lies, deceitful
16. of thy sins
17. a. thou shalt eat but not be satisfied, b. thou shalt take hold but shall not deliver, c. that which thou deliverest will I give up to the sword, d. thou shalt sow but shalt not reap, e. thou shalt tread the olives but shalt not anoint thee with oil, f. sweet wine but shalt not drink wine
18. the statutes of Omri
19. the works of the house of Ahab
20. desolation, hissing
21. reproach

CHAPTER 7

1. woe
2. no cluster to eat
3. he is perished out of the earth
4. no
5. a. they all lie in wait for blood, b. they hunt every man his brother with a net
6. evil
7. a reward
8. his mischievous desire
9. brier
10. sharper than a thorn hedge

11. trust ye not in a friend, put ye not confidence in a guide, keep the doors of thy mouth from her that lieth in thy bosom
12. dishonoreth, riseth up against, mother-in-law, the men of his own house
13. a. I will look unto the Lord, b. I will wait for the God of my salvation
14. rejoice not against me
15. shall arise, the Lord shall be his light
16. because I have sinned against him
17. he will plead my cause, he will execute judgment for me, he will bring me forth to the light
18. shame
19. thy walls are to be built, the decree shall be far removed, he shall come even to thee
20. because of them that dwell therein, for the fruit of their doings
21. with thy rod
22. a. be confounded, b. lay their hand upon their mouth, c. ears shall be deaf, d. lick the dust like a serpent, e. move out of their holes like worms of the earth, f. be afraid of the Lord, g. shall fear because of thee
23. a. pardoneth iniquity, b. passeth by the transgression of the remnant of his heritage, c. retaineth not his anger for ever, d. delighteth in mercy
24. a. turn again, b. have compassion upon us, c. subdue our iniquities, d. cast all their sins into the depths of the sea, e. perform the truth and mercy which thou hast sworn
25. there was no more sea