

## Hey Judah!

Micah, Nahum and Habakkuk were God's representatives to the nation of Judah. Micah speaks to the common people--the farmers, the villagers. Nahum speaks to the collective of Judah; all of the people--kings, leaders and commoners. Habakkuk speaks to the prophet--this prophet wrestles with some things and this is really a dialogue between the prophet Habakkuk and his God.

## Test Your Smarts

- Objectives:** Fun competition between kids and their parents  
Gain knowledge about God's love and plans for the people of Judah and for us.  
Have fun with your family.
- Number of Players:** At least one parent and 1 or more kids
- Length:** 30 minutes - 1 hour
- Set up:** Set up an area around your dining table or living room where everyone can face each other. Give everyone a pair of spoons that they can bang together to signal when they want to answer the question. Also, give everyone a Bible in case they need to look up the answers. Designate one person as the show host. They will be the score keeper, timer keeper and the host who asks the questions. One parent will play against everyone else who will be one team. So, it's Dad or Mom against everyone else.
- Rules:** You could do this game in two parts--one night listen to the teaching as a family to refresh yourselves on the story (or read Micah 1:1-5, 2:2-3, 11, 3:5-7, 12, 4:1-3, 5:2-5, 6:6-8, 7:14-20; Nahum 1:1-8, 2:3, 9-10, 3:1-3, 12-13; Habakkuk 1:1-6, 12-13, 2:1-4, 3:2, 16-18)--then, on another night, play the game. The Host will begin by explaining the rules. A question will be asked and anyone can answer the question including Mom/Dad. To indicate they want to answer the question they should bang their spoons together. Then they have 10 seconds to answer the question. If they answer correctly, they receive 5 points. If they don't answer correctly or they don't answer within the 10 seconds, the host will buzz them and then any of the other contestants may indicate they want to answer by banging their spoons together. If no one answers, the host will tell the answer and Dad/Mom will lose 1 point. You can use your bibles to look up answers--however, you should do this before you bang your spoons as once you do that, you only have 10 seconds to answer. After all of the questions are asked, total the points of each player to determine who the winner is.

(only the person designated as host should look at the next pages with the questions and answers)

	Question	Answer
1	Where was Micah from?	Moresheh (Mic 1:1)
2	During which king's reign did Micah prophesy?	Jotham, Ahaz & Hezekiah (Mic 1:1)
3	What were the sins of the people?	coveting, violence (oppression) (Mic 2:2)
4	What scripture in Micah is similar to the a scripture in Isaiah 2?	Micah 4:3
5	What will come out of Bethlehem?	The One to be Ruler in Israel (Micah 5:2)
6	What does the Lord require of you?	To do justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly with God (Mic 6:8)
7	What would God give to Jacob and Abraham?	Truth to Jacob and Mercy to Abraham (Mic 7:20)
8	Where was Nahum from?	Elkoshite (Nahum 1:1)
9	Name the characteristics of God.	see (Nahum 1:2-8)
10	Describe the people's destruction.	see (Nahum 2:3, 9-10)
11	What would be taken from the people?	Silver and gold, desirable treasure (Nahum 2:9)
13	How would the walls of the city fall?	like ripened fruit shaken from the tree (Nahum 3:12)

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13	What sarcastic description was given of the people?	you people are women (Nahum 3:13)
14	What would happen to the gates of the city?	burn with fire (Nahum 3:13)
15	What dilemma did Habakkuk face?	why is there violence and God does not save? (Hab 1:2-4)
16	How does God answer the prophet Habakkuk?	I will work a work in your days (Hab 1:50)
17	Who would God raise up against Judah?	Chaldeans (Hab 1:6)
18	What kind of nation were the Chaldeans?	bitter and hasty (Hab 1:6)
19	How long is God's life?	Everlasting (Hab 1:12)
20	How did the Lord answer Habakkuk in Hab 2:2-3	Habakkuk 2:2-3
21	What is wrong with the soul of the proud?	it is not upright (Hab 2:4)
22	How shall the just live?	By faith (Hab 2:4)
23	What did Habakkuk request of God?	revive Your work, in wrath remember mercy (Hab 3:2)
24	How did Habakkuk pledge to respond in the midst of all the tragedy?	I will rejoice (Hab 3:18)

**Discussion:** Congratulate each other on a great game! What new things did you learn about God or about yourself and your family? How do you think each of these prophets felt about their service to God...about the message they had to deliver? What would you do if God asked you to tell someone something difficult? How can you respond to God in a genuine way?



# FAMILY STUDY

**Prayer:** Close in prayer thanking God for His provision and for all that you have learned and the fun you had with your family.