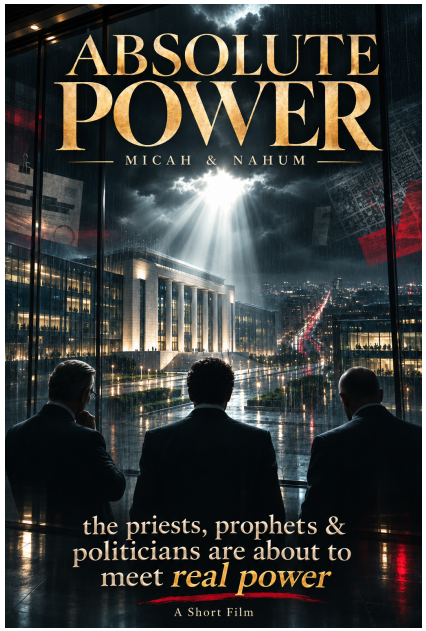


Micah
+
Nahum
Absolute Power

showtime
[Minor Prophets)
November 15, 2026

1. WHEN POWER BECOMES OUR GOD, CORRUPTION FOLLOWS

2. THERE IS ONLY ONE POWER THAT CANNOT BE CORRUPTED

3. THE PROBLEM ISN'T JUST THE POWER IN THEIR HANDS; IT'S THE PRIDE IN OUR HEARTS

Questions for the Community

1. Are we paying attention? Just like passengers often ignore the safety instructions on an airplane, we can sometimes ignore God's warnings. Why do you think it's easy to overlook what God is telling us, especially when life seems to be going well?

2. Where do we place our trust? The people in Micah and Nahum's time placed their confidence in political power, wealth, and human institutions. What are some things people today tend to trust more than God? How can we recognize when we're doing the same?

3. Can power corrupt us too? We often associate corruption with politicians or powerful leaders, but we all have some level of influence. In what areas of your life (family, work, relationships, or church) do you have influence, and how can you make sure you're using it in a way that honors God?

4. Is religious activity enough? In Micah 6:6–8, God challenges the idea that religious sacrifices can replace a life of obedience. Why is it sometimes easier to participate in religious activities than to genuinely change the way we live and treat others?

5. What does God really require of us? Micah 6:8 calls us to act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with God. Which of these three is the most challenging for you personally, and what is one practical way you could grow in that area this week?

6. What needs to change in me? It's easy to recognize corruption, pride, and injustice in others while overlooking our own struggles. What is one attitude, habit, or behavior that God may be challenging you to surrender or change as a result of this message?