

God Is Forgiving

Who is a God like you,
who pardons sin and forgives the
transgression
of the remnant of his inheritance?
You do not stay angry forever
but delight to show mercy.
You will again have compassion on us;
you will tread our sins underfoot
and hurl all our iniquities into the
depths of the sea.
You will be true to Jacob,
and show mercy to Abraham,
as you pledged on oath to our fathers
in days long ago.

This is the message we have heard
from him and declare to you: God is
light; in him there is no darkness at all.
If we claim to have fellowship with him
yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do
not live by the truth. But if we walk in the
light, as he is in the light, we have
fellowship with one another, and the
blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us
from all sin.

If we claim to be without sin, we
deceive ourselves and the truth is not in
us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful
and just and will forgive us our sins and
purify us from all unrighteousness. If we
claim we have not sinned, we make him
out to be a liar and his word has no
place in our lives.

Micah 7:18-20; 1 John 1:5-10