Wednesday, December 21, 2016 Bible Study:

<u>"Jesus, The Breaker" – Micah 2:13</u>

Bible Study Audio

Reading – Micah 2:12, 13

Reference Material:

- Biblical Titles for Jesus
- Jesus, the Breaker
- > Conclusions:

IT IS BETTER TO BE BROKEN THAN TO BE CRUSHED!!!! God wants us to be broken, because of our sin and disobedience; but He wants us to realize *we are not to be crushed*. The scripture makes it clear that Jesus Christ is the only One who can bring salvation to us. Christians must burst the bars of salvation and of the world, the chains and bonds of evil passions and habits, force themselves to the narrow way, *"do violence to themselves"* (2 Tim. 2:3), endure hardship, as good soldiers of Jesus Christ. The title of our Lord, *The Breaker True*, and the saying *"they break through"* together express the same as the New Testament does in regard to our being *"partakers of the sufferings of Christ"* (Romans 8:17; 2 Timothy 2:11, 12; 1 Peter 4:1). Jesus Christ was willing to be broken for us to make straight our pathway of salvation. We are here *so briefly*, and while we are here, He wants us to be properly related to Him. So, we are responsible to put aside the control of our old sinful nature, and be properly related to our Lord Jesus Christ.