



An Insignificant Village

1 Corinthians 1:27-31

From the series titled: *Bethlehem: The Advent of Hope*

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I. An Insignificant Village

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- Little Bethlehem's Big Future ([Genesis 49:10](#); [Micah 5:2](#))
- Bethlehem in the Days of Jesus

II. From Insignificant to Seismic!

- The Rumbblings Begin
- Our Insignificant Village
- God Specializes in the Insignificant ([1 Corinthians 1:27-31](#))
- God is Doing Significant Things in Our Insignificant Village
- God Will Continue to do Significant Things

Bethlehem reminds us that God can use us... He can use unassuming people and insignificant villages to change the world.