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Shadows of
the Savior

1 Corinthians 1:27-29

God selected a **small obscure**
location to be the birthplace
of the long-awaited messiah

The Bread of Life was born in
the **House of Bread** to forever
satisfy the internal brokenness
of every believer

micah 5:2



Out of
Bethlehem

micah was a man from a
small rural village- he was
a **common person** with a
message from God

micah 5:2

“Too little” = **insignificant**

(This would have been a
location that was considered
the least valuable)

To the overlooked city of
Bethlehem and the overlooked
Shepherd boy (**David**) comes the
overlooked Savior of the world

What we see as **insignificant**,
God sees as a tremendous **vessel**
able to be used for His glory

micah 5:2

“**Bethlehem**” = House of Bread

“**Ephrathah**” = Abundance or
fruitful

Ruth 1:22

God was using this unlikely
woman relocated to this unlikely
place to be the grandmother
to an unlikely **King** (David)
and through King David the
messiah comes to earth

micah 5:2

John 1:1-5, 14

Bethlehem reminds us that
God is not looking for the
strong, spectacular, or
self-sufficient- He's looking
for the **surrendered**