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1. Prophecies of Wickedness and Justice, and Signs of Immanuel and Messiah. Isaiah 1-35

- a. Justice will come for Judah (1-6), Assyria (7). Immanuel, Messiah also will come (7-12).
- b. Prophecies against nations (13-23), of tribulation (24). Praises for the Kingdom (25-27).
- c. Woes to nations (28-34), and blessings of the coming King (32) and Kingdom (35).

“The Lord spoke to me again: ‘Because this people has refused the waters of Shiloah that flow gently, and rejoice over Rezin and the son of Remaliah, therefore, behold, the Lord is bringing up against them the waters of the River, mighty and many, the king of Assyria and all his glory.’ ... ‘Be broken, you peoples, and be shattered; give ear, all you far countries; strap on your armor and be shattered; strap on your armor and be shattered. Take counsel together, but it will come to nothing; speak a word, but it will not stand, for God is with us [Immanuel].’ ... ‘For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the increase of his government and of peace there will be no end, on the throne of David and over his kingdom, to establish it and to uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time forth and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this,’” Isaiah 8:5-7a ... 9-10 ... 9:6-7

2. The Salvation of Hezekiah and Prophecy of Judah’s Fall to Babylonian Exile. Isaiah 36-39

- a. Assyria challenged God (36). Hezekiah was saved by God and Assyria destroyed (37).
- b. Hezekiah prayed for deliverance (37), and was saved from sickness and protected (38).
- c. Hezekiah showed his belongings to evil Babylon, and Isaiah prophesied the exile (39).

“Then Isaiah said to Hezekiah, ‘Hear the word of the Lord of hosts: Behold, the days are coming, when all that is in your house, and that which your fathers have stored up till this day, shall be carried to Babylon. Nothing shall be left, says the Lord. And some of your own sons, who will come from you, whom you will father, shall be taken away, and they shall be eunuchs in the palace of the king of Babylon,’” Isaiah 39:5-7

3. Isaiah’s Prophecies of Christ the Deliverer and Savior. Isaiah 40-66

- a. God brings comfort by His character (40), His greatness (41), and His Servant (42-44).
- b. God will use Cyrus (45), destroy Babylon (46-47) and free Judah from exile (48).
- c. The Messiah will deliver and atone Israel (49-56), and give blessings of God (57-66).

“All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the Lord has laid on him [the Savior] the iniquity of us all,” Isaiah 53:6 (See also Rom. 3.)

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