

July 10/Day 191

- Continuing with this poetic prophecy, Isaiah sings a song.

Isaiah 5

Verses 1-7

- What happens to a vineyard when its hedge is removed?
- What is the application for us?

Verse 8

- Woe is an expression of grief or regret. It also points to God's judgments.
- See how many woes you notice here, and why they are woes.

Verses 9-12

- What is this woe about?

Verse 13

- What caused the people to go into exile?

Verses 14-19

- What is this woe about?

Verse 20

- What about this woe?

Verse 21

- How about this one?

Verse 22

- And this one?

Verses 23-24

- Why would the hedge of protection be on them and their woes consume them, according to verse 24?
- What is the application for us?

Verse 25

- What did God do when His anger burned against His people?

Verse 26

- What will be lifted up in a distant nation?
- A standard is a flag, so what does this mean in this context?

Verses 27-30

Isaiah 6

Verses 1-2

- What is the time reference in this passage?
- What did Isaiah see in his vision?

Verse 3

- The LORD of Hosts is Jehovah Sabaoth. It is the name that means He is Commander over the armies of heaven.

Verse 4

- What happened when God spoke?

Verse 5

- How did hearing from holy God humble the prophet?

Verses 6-7

- What had Isaiah said about his lips in the previous passage?
- What would the burning coal have done to Isaiah's lips? Think about this in a medical sense, what does the burning do?

Verse 8

- Who do you think the "Us" is in this verse?

Verse 9

- What did God commission Isaiah to do?

- What would happen when he did?

Verses 10-11

- How long was Isaiah to prophesy?

Verses 12-13

Isaiah 7

Verses 1-2

- What is the time reference in this passage?
- What happened in this passage that we saw in Kings and Chronicles?
- What are we told about how the house of David (king of Israel) felt about this?

Verses 3-9

- Do you get excited when you see this book coincide with what we've already read?
- Who did God tell Isaiah to go see?
- Who had planned evil against Israel?
- What was going to happen to Ephraim in 65 years?
- Re-read the last phrase in this passage.

Verses 10-16

- What event is prophesied by Isaiah here?
- What will the child's name be called? This name means "God with us".
- What does verse 15 say in regard to what we call the "age of accountability"?
- What is the time reference in the last verse? This is how timelines are made.

Verse 17

- What does Isaiah tell Ahaz will happen?

Verses 18-19

- Based on context, how would you answer the question, "in what day"?

Verse 20

- “Shave with a razor” is figurative. How does a razor shave? This razor will be “hired” from other nations. So, what does this mean?

Verses 21-22

- Notice there will be people left in the land.
- What will they eat and why?

Verses 23-25

- What will happen to the vineyards? Why? Think back.

Isaiah 8

Verses 1-4

- What did God say to write on a tablet? What is booty? What is prey? So, what does this mean?
- Isaiah’s wife is called a prophetess. It is said she is called this either because he was a prophet and she was his wife, or she may also have had the prophet gift. We certainly see in the New Testament, Philip’s daughters had the gift of prophecy.
- Notice the name she names the son. It means what he wrote on the tablet.
- Look at the timing in verse 4. How long does it take for a newborn to be old enough to say “my father” or “my mother”? This will give us an idea of the timing.

Verses 5-6

- What were the waters they rejected like?

Verse 7

- Now in which waters will they find abundance? Where are these waters?

Verse 8

- Again, figurative language... in what way would these waters sweep in and flood Judah?

Verses 9-12

- What were the people not to say? Not to fear?
- Why? Who sent this judgment? Who is in control?

Verses 13-14

- A sanctuary is a safe place, a place of refuge.
- Who is the stone to strike and the rock to stumble over? 1 Peter 2:8 says. "A STONE OF STUMBLING AND A ROCK OF OFFENSE"; for they stumble because they are disobedient to the word, and to this doom they were also appointed."

Verses 15-22

- Who should the people consult?
- What does verse 20 say in regard to speaking according to God's word?
- What do you think it means to have "no dawn"?

See you tomorrow.