

A Study of the Prophets

OT Survey Lesson 120--Isaiah 10:33-12:6

Introduction: In this section Isaiah gives a vivid picture of the coming King and his character. The citizens of His kingdom are people from all nations, who join together in praising God for His salvation.

Lesson aim: To show that the kingdom of peace is fulfilled in the church of Christ.

The Messiah and his kingdom--Isaiah 10:33-11:16

1. What is God pictured as doing in 10:33-34? Who are these "trees" that God is chopping down with His axe?
2. What did Isaiah say would spring up from the root or stem of Jesse? What would rest upon Him?
3. The spirit of Christ would be a "spirit of _____ and _____, the spirit of _____ and _____ and the spirit of _____ and the _____ of the Lord" (11:2)
4. What does Isaiah tell us about the judgments of the Messiah? (11:3-4)
5. What qualities would the Messiah wear like a belt? (v. 5)
6. What are the animals pictured as doing in the the kingdom of the Messiah? (v. 6-8) What message does this suggest? (v. 9) Why?
7. In the day of peace described earlier, who did Isaiah say would resort to the root of Jesse? (v. 10) How did Paul say this prophecy was fulfilled? (Rom. 15:9-12)
8. What would the Lord do to the remnant of His people? (v. 11-12) Would the kingdom of Israel be divided? (v. 13) What would Israel do to their enemies? (v. 14)

9. What is God pictured as doing to clear a path for His people to return to Him? (v. 15-16) Thought question: How do you think this gathering of God's people is fulfilled? (See Jn. 11:49-53)

A song of praise for salvation--Isaiah 12:1-6

1. For what, in the day of the Messiah, will God's people praise him? (v. 1)
2. Who would God's people say is their strength and salvation? (v. 2)
3. Israel would draw water from the springs of _____ (v. 3).
4. What four things would God's people say? (v. 4)
5. What three things does Isaiah urge God's people to do? (v. 5-6) Why?