

# **Prepare for the Servant - II**

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### **A. A Call to Righteousness (Isaiah 52:1-12)**

#### **1. The request (52:1)**

**Psalm 29:11, Isaiah 61:3**

#### **2. The requirements (52:2-8)**

##### **a. Reject sin (vv2-5)**

**1. Separate from worldly influence & repent (v 2)**

**2. See sin God's way (vv 3-5)**

##### **b. Receive God (vv 6-8)**

**1. In His name (v 6)**

**2. By His messenger (vv 7-8)**

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**A. A Call to Righteousness (Isaiah 52:1-12) - continued**

**3. The results (52:9-12)**

**a. Praise (v 9)**

**b. Deliverance (v 10)**

**c. A holy life and position (v 11)**

**d. Protection (v 12)**

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## **Isaiah 52**

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### **B. A Call to Understand God's Servant Christ**

**(Isaiah 52:13-15)**

**1. His Godly preeminence (52:13)**

**2. His human persecution (52:14)**

**Psalm 22:6**

**3. His “startling” purpose (52:15)**

# **Christ, The Suffering Servant**

## **Isaiah 53**

**The sufferings of Christ on the cross paid the penalty for our sins.**

# **I. Two Questions of Faith (Isaiah 53:1)**

**Isaiah 53:1**

**Who hath believed our report? and to whom is the arm of  
the LORD revealed?**

**A. A question of belief**

**B. A question of understanding**

## **II. The Suffering of the Savior (Isaiah 53:2-9)**

### **A. His setting (53:2)**

#### **Isaiah 53:2**

**For he shall grow up before him as a tender plant, and as a root out of a dry ground: he hath no form nor comeliness; and when we shall see him, there is no beauty that we should desire him.**

## **II. The Suffering of the Savior (Isaiah 53:2-9)**

### **B. His separation from men (53:3)**

#### **Isaiah 53:3**

**He is despised and rejected of men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief: and we hid as it were our faces from him; he was despised, and we esteemed him not.**

### **C. His separation from God (53:4)**

#### **Isaiah 53:4**

**Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.**

## **II. The Suffering of the Savior (Isaiah 53:2-9)**

### **D. His sacrifice for sin (53:5-6)**

#### **Isaiah 53:5-6**

**5 But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.**

**6 All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the LORD hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.**

## **II. The Suffering of the Savior (Isaiah 53:2-9)**

### **D. His sacrifice for sin (53:5-6)**

#### **1. For God's judgment**

**2 Corinthians 5:21**

**For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.**

#### **2. For God's peace**

**Romans 5:10**

**For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by his life.**

**Ephesians 2:14**

**For he is our peace, who hath made both one, and hath broken down the middle wall of partition between us;**

## **II. The Suffering of the Savior (Isaiah 53:2-9)**

### **E. His silence (53:7)**

#### **Isaiah 53:7**

**He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth: he is brought as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before her shearers is dumb, so he openeth not his mouth.**

#### **1 Peter 2:23**

**Who, when he was reviled, reviled not again; when he suffered, he threatened not; but committed himself to him that judgeth righteously:**

## **II. The Suffering of the Savior (Isaiah 53:2-9)**

### **F. His sinlessness (53:8-9)**

#### **Isaiah 53:8-9**

**8 He was taken from prison and from judgment: and who shall declare his generation? for he was cut off out of the land of the living: for the transgression of my people was he stricken.**

**9 And he made his grave with the wicked, and with the rich in his death; because he had done no violence, neither was any deceit in his mouth.**

# **III. The Satisfaction of the Savior**

## **(Isaiah 53:10-12)**

### **Isaiah 53:10**

**Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise him; he hath put him to grief: when thou shalt make his soul an offering for sin, he shall see his seed, he shall prolong his days, and the pleasure of the LORD shall prosper in his hand.**

#### **A. The plan of God fulfilled (53:10a)**

**1 Peter 1:20**

**Who verily was foreordained before the foundation of the world, but was manifest in these last times for you,**

#### **B. The payment for sin made (53:10b)**

**1 John 4:10**

**Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.**

# **III. The Satisfaction of the Savior**

## **(Isaiah 53:10-12)**

### **C. The progeny of Christ justified (53:11)**

#### **Isaiah 53:11**

**He shall see of the travail of his soul, and shall be satisfied:  
by his knowledge shall my righteous servant justify many;  
for he shall bear their iniquities.**

### **III. The Satisfaction of the Savior (Isaiah 53:10-12)**

#### **D. The prize of Christ rewarded (53:12)**

##### **Isaiah 53:12**

**Therefore will I divide him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he hath poured out his soul unto death: and he was numbered with the transgressors; and he bare the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.**

**Who Is Christ To You?**