

Theme:

The very meaning of Isaiah, 'Yahweh is Salvation' is the theme of his book. The word 'Salvation' occurs 26 times in this prophecy and only seven times in all the other prophets put together. Chapters 1 to 39 describes man's need for salvation and chapters 40 to 66 give God's gracious provision of it. That her wickedness would be punished is Isaiah's solemn warning to Israel. However, God, the God of salvation would provide a Saviour for both the Jews and the gentiles.

V. How the theme "Yahweh is salvation" developed in the book of Isaiah?

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SIX SUBJECTS IN THE BOOK OF ISAIAH

1. The election of the prophet.	2. The life of Jesus Christ.
3. The sufferings of the Saviour.	4. The glorious age of the millennium.
5. The gospel.	6. The different appearances of Jesus Christ.

1. THE ELECTION OF THE PROPHET:

The first chapter of the book describes how God's own people left Him and have gone after idols. (Isaiah 1:3)

VI. God said, Israel's condition is lower than the animal. Prove from chapter One.

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VII. Explain the condition of the People of Israel (1: 4-6)

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IN CHAPTER 6, WE READ OF ISAIAH'S VISION.

Isaiah had the vision in the year that king Uzziah died, who had reigned, for the most part, as prosperously and well as any of the kings of Judah, and reigned very long, above fifty years. About the time that he died, Isaiah saw this vision of God upon a throne; for when the breath of princes goes forth, and they return to their earth, this is our comfort, that the Lord shall reign for ever, (Ps 146:3,4,10). Israel's king dies, but Israel's God still lives. What the prophet here saw is revealed to us.

VIII. Describe the prophet's vision of the glorious God? (6:1-4)

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2. THE LIFE OF JESUS CHRIST:

IX. What are the prophecies made for Jesus in the following verses.

- A** 7:14.....
- B** 9:6
- C** 11:1
- D** 11:2
- E** 11:3,4
- F** 42:1-.....
- G** ch. 53.....
- H** 11:3-.....

3. THE SUFFERINGS OF JESUS:

X. Explain about the sufferings of Christ from Chapter 53

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4. MILLENNIUM:

XI. How will the millennium be like? (11:6-11 and 65:17-25)

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5. GOSPEL:

XII. What is the relevance of Isaiah 55:1-2? What New Testament teaching do we derive from it?

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6. THE TWO APPEARANCES OF OUR LORD:

XIII. What is meant by “the year of the favour of our Lord”?

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XIV. What is “the day of the vengeance of God”?

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