

V. HIS **VICTORIOUS** REWARD (53:12)

“9 Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name, 10 that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, 11 and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.”

Philippians 2:9-11

“Then Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.” And they divided His garments and cast lots.”

Luke 23:34

“Who is he who condemns? It is Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us.”

Romans 8:34

“Therefore He is also able to save to the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.”

Hebrews 7:25

CONCLUSION: Have you received Jesus as your Savior?

“Come now, and let us reason together,” Says the LORD, “Though your sins are like scarlet, They shall be as white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, They shall be as wool.”

Isaiah 1:18

CHRISTMAS WITH ISAIAH

The Sacrifice Of The Savior

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INTRODUCTION

A. The book of Isaiah was written by the prophet Isaiah (1:1) over seven hundred years before the first coming of Jesus, the Savior. It represents a summary of the entire Bible.

B. Isaiah is called the “Fifth Gospel” because the New Testament use of the word “gospel”, which means good news, is rooted in Isaiah’s use of it.

“O Zion, You who bring good tidings, Get up into the high mountain; O Jerusalem, You who bring good tidings, Lift up your voice with strength, Lift it up, be not afraid; Say to the cities of Judah, “Behold your God!”

Isaiah 40:9

“Are the feet of him who brings good news, Who proclaims peace, Who brings glad tidings of good things, Who proclaims salvation, Who says to Zion, “Your God reigns!”

Isaiah 52:9

Against the backdrop of God’s judgment, Isaiah proclaims the good news of the Savior. This promise was fulfilled through “a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.” (Luke 2:10-11).

This four part series features the following messages:

Dec 8	The Sign Of The Savior
Dec 15	The Character Of The Savior
TODAY	The Sacrifice Of The Savior
Dec 29	The Mission Of The Savior

C. TEXT: Isaiah 53:1-12 (Pew Bible/Pg 722/Old Test.)

THE SACRIFICE OF THE SAVIOR

I. HIS **VIRGIN** BIRTH (53:1-2)

“10 He was in the world, and the world was made through Him, and the world did not know Him.

11 He came to His own, and His own did not receive Him.

12 But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name:

13 who were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God.

14 And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.” John 1:10-14

II. HIS **VICARIOUS** SUFFERINGS (53:3-7)

“who Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness—by whose stripes you were healed.”

I Peter 2:24

“Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.” Romans 5:1

“For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.”

II Corinthians 5:21

III. HIS **VIOLENT** DEATH (53:8-9)

“And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, And you shall bruise His heel.” Genesis 3:15

26 Then he released Barabbas to them; and when he had scourged Jesus, he delivered Him to be crucified.
27 Then the soldiers of the governor took Jesus into the Praetorium and gathered the whole garrison around Him.

28 And they stripped Him and put a scarlet robe on Him.

29 When they had twisted a crown of thorns, they put it on His head, and a reed in His right hand. And they bowed the knee before Him and mocked Him, saying, “Hail, King of the Jews!”

30 Then they spat on Him, and took the reed and struck Him on the head.

31 And when they had mocked Him, they took the robe off Him, put His own clothes on Him, and led Him away to be crucified.

32 Now as they came out, they found a man of Cyrene, Simon by name. Him they compelled to bear His cross.

33 And when they had come to a place called Golgotha, that is to say, Place of a Skull,

34 they gave Him sour wine mingled with gall to drink. But when He had tasted it, He would not drink.

35 Then they crucified Him, and divided His garments, casting lots, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet: “They divided My garments among them, And for My clothing they cast lots.” Matthew 27:26-35

IV. HIS **VANQUISHING** RESURRECTION (53:10-11)

“55 O Death, where is your sting? O Hades, where is your victory?”

56 The sting of death is sin, and the strength of sin is the law.

57 But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

58 Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.” I Corinthians 15:55-58