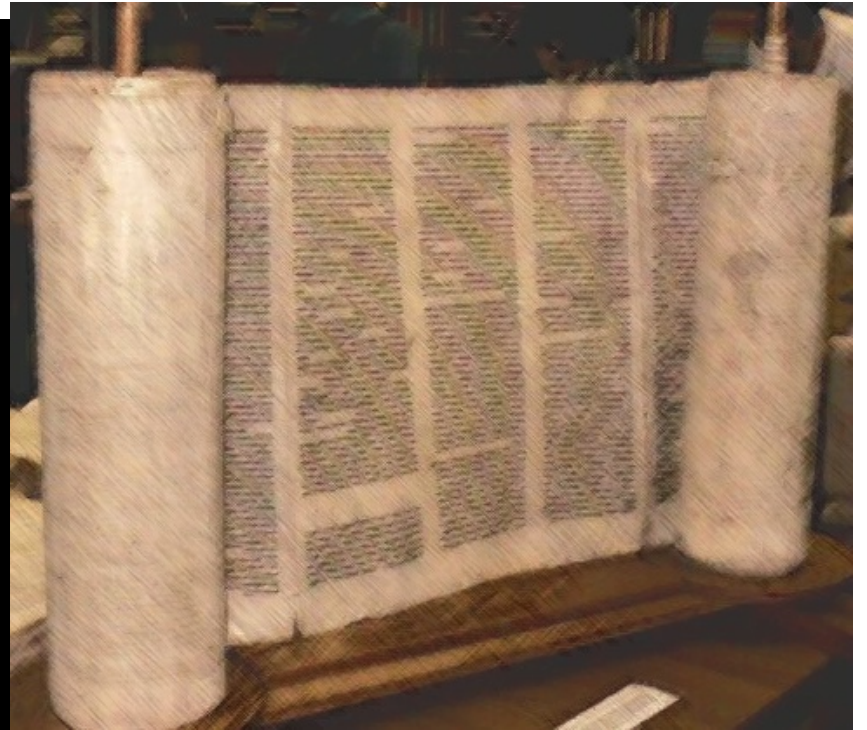


Overview of

The Book of Isaiah

The Salvation of God



Introduction to Isaiah

- Isaiah, the son of Amoz (1:1)
- Regarding Judah and Jerusalem (1:1)
- During reigns of Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz, and Hezekiah (1:1)
- Roughly 740-680 BC
- Commissioned in the year of Uzziah's death (ch. 6)
- One of the "Latter" Nebi'im
- Most Messianic and most quoted by the NT

Outline of Isaiah

- Part 1: Chapters 1-35
 - Coming Judgment
- Part 2: Chapters 36-39
 - Historical Interlude
 - (2 Kin 18-20, and 2 Chron 32)
- Part 3: Chapters 40-66
 - Restoration

Authenticity of Isaiah

- Because of the distinctives of each section, liberal scholarship assumes three authors (Isaiah, Deutero-Isaiah, and Trito-Isaiah)
- NT writers considered it the work of one author. (e.g., Jesus quoted 29:13 in Mt 15:8-9, and 61:1 in Mt 11:5, Lk 4:16-21)

Outline of Isaiah 1-35

- 1-6 Condemnation, Consummation, and Commission
- 7-12 Coming of Messiah
- 13-23 Condemnation of Nations (Oracles and Burdens)
- 24-27 Coming Tribulation and Triumph
- 28-33 Condemnation (Woes) and Consummation
- 34-35 Condemnation and Consummation

Outline of Isaiah 36-39

- 36-39 Chronicle of Mercy (For Hezekiah)
 - (2 Kin 18-20, and 2 Chron 32)

Outline of Isaiah 40-66

- 40-48 A Sovereign Redeemer
- 49-57 A Servant Redeemer
- 58-66 A Ruling Redeemer

Isaiah 1-6

Condemnation, Consummation, Commission

- 1:18-20 Forgiveness is possible, but obedience is required (Mosaic conditions)
- 2:2-3 God's rule will be established
- 5:20-23 Illustrative woes
- 6:1-13 Isaiah's commission and the awesome holiness of God
 - One of two most definitive passages regarding God's character (also Rev 4)

Isaiah 7-12

Coming of Messiah

- 7:10-16 Deliverance by son of a virgin
- 8:13-15 The Rock of stumbling (Mt 16, 1 Pet 2)
- 9:6-7 A Child shall rule
- 11:1-12 The Rod of Jesse (and the 7 spirits, Rev 1)

Isaiah 13-23

Condemnation of Nations (Oracles and Burdens)

- 13 Judgment on Babylon
- 14:13-16 Judgment on Babylon, or Satan?
- 14:24- 23:18 Judgment on Assyria, Philistia, Moab, Damascus, Ethiopia, Egypt, Babylon, and Tyre

Isaiah 24-27

Coming Tribulation and Triumph

- 24:1-6 God judges the earth
- 25:6-9 God will restore the earth from *this mountain*
- 26-27 Judgment on nations, restoration of Israel

Isaiah 28-33

Condemnation (Woes) and Consummation

- 28:11-13 God's word ignored
- 28:16 The Cornerstone
- 30:18 God's grace and justice
- 31:1-3 God, not nations, is trustworthy

Isaiah 34-35

Condemnation and Consummation

- 34:1-2 Judgment on all nations
- 35:10 Restoration in Zion

Isaiah 36-39

A Chronicle of Mercy (for Hezekiah)

- (2 Kin 18-20, and 2 Chron 32)
- 36-37 God delivers Judah from Assyria
- 38 God delivers Hezekiah from death
- 39 God delays judgment

Isaiah 40-48

A Sovereign Redeemer

- 40 One of the greatest chapters on God's sovereignty
- 42:1-9 The chosen Servant
- 43:1, 15, 21; 44:6 The Holy One of Israel
- 44:22, 24-28 The Forgiver and Creator
- 45:1-7, 18, 23; 46:8-11 The Sovereign One
- 48:12, 16 The Trinity

Isaiah 49-57

A Servant Redeemer

- 49:2-6 The Servant
- 50:1, 6 The suffering Servant
- 53 The Suffering Servant
- 55:6-11 God's call, greatness, and word
- 57 Peace for the righteous, judgment for the wicked

Isaiah 58-66

A Ruling Redeemer

- 58 An acceptable kind of fast
- 59:1-15 Unacceptable behaviors and their consequences
- 59:16-21 Forgiveness and restoration
- 60:21 God's purpose in forgiving (glory)
- 61:1-2 The sign of Messiah (Lk 4:18-19)
- 63:1-6 The Judge comes
- 64-66 Mercy for the righteous, eternal judgment for the wicked

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Theology of Isaiah

- **11 Categories of Theology**
 - Bibliology
 - Theology Proper
 - Christology
 - Pneumatology
 - Angelology
 - Anthropology
 - Hamartiology
 - Soteriology
 - Israelology
 - Ecclesiology
 - Eschatology

Theology of Isaiah

- Bibliology
 - The sufficiency of Scripture – 55:10-11
- Theology Proper
 - The identity of God – 6:1-4
 - The sovereignty of God – 40, 55:8-9
 - The Trinity – 44:6, 48:12,16
 - The Purpose of God – Is 60:21
- Christology
 - The virgin birth foreshadowed– 7:10-16
 - Messiah will be Son of David – 11:1-2
 - Messiah is Son of God
 - Messiah is God– 44:6, 48:12,16
- Pneumatology
 - He will be with Messiah 11:2
 - He is a Person – 40:13

Theology of Isaiah

- Angelology
 - Some in the presence of God – 6:1-4
 - Fall of Satan? – 14
- Anthropology / Hamartiology
 - The depravity of man – 53:6, 64:6
- Soteriology
 - Two purposes for Messiah's death – 49:5-6
 - Substitutionary atonement, propitiation, forgiveness by grace – 53
- Israelology
 - Israel would stumble over Messiah – 8:13-15 (Mt 16, 1 Pet 2)
 - A remnant would be restored – 35:10, 59:16-21
- Ecclesiology
 - The cornerstone foreshadowed – 8:13-15, 28:16 (Mt 16, Eph 2:20, 1 Pet 2)

Theology of Isaiah

- Eschatology
 - Two comings foreshadowed – 61:1-2
 - The Messiah would be King – 11
 - The Messiah would be Sacrifice – 53
 - The Spirit will be poured out on Israel in restoration – 32:15
 - Mount Zion will be His center of operations – 24:23, 25:6-10
 - Eternal blessing and eternal punishment – 66:22-24

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So What?