

# Sermon notes...

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## “BEHOLD THE KING IN HIS BEAUTY”

ISAIAH 33:17-22

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### INTRODUCTION

#### A. PAGAN THREAT & POOR TRUST VS. POWER OF GOD

1. ASSYRIANS DESTROYED (33:1)
2. APPEAL FOR GRACE (33:2)
3. ALL GOD'S PLUNDER (33:3-4)
4. ALMIGHTY, EXALTED TO SAVE (33:5-6)
5. ANGST OF ENVOYS (33:7)
6. ABSENT ENEMIES (33:8-9)
7. ACTION, AS GOD ARISES (33:10-12)

#### B. THE KING IN HIS BEAUTY

1. WHO IS THIS KING? (33:17, 21-22)
2. WHERE ARE THE THREATS? (33: 17-18-19)
3. WHAT IS ZION LIKE? (33:20)
4. HOW MAY WE DWELL WITH HIM? (33:2,13-16)

### APPLICATIONS

#1. WE WILL FACE TREACHERY AND HAVE TROUBLE

#2. THE FEAR OF THE LORD IS OUR TREASURE

**17** Your eyes will behold the king in his beauty;  
they will see a land that stretches afar.

**18** Your heart will muse on the terror:

“Where is he who counted, where is he who weighed the tribute?  
Where is he who counted the towers?”

**19** You will see no more the insolent people,  
the people of an obscure speech that you cannot comprehend,  
stammering in a tongue that you cannot understand.

**20** Behold Zion, the city of our appointed feasts!

Your eyes will see Jerusalem,  
an untroubled habitation, an immovable tent,  
whose stakes will never be plucked up,  
nor will any of its cords be broken.

**21** But there the Lord in majesty will be for us  
a place of broad rivers and streams,  
where no galley with oars can go,  
nor majestic ship can pass.

**22** For the Lord is our judge; the Lord is our lawgiver;  
the Lord is our king; he will save us.

✠ AMEN ✠