

Sermon notes...

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“COME AND SEE MY GLORY!”

ISAIAH 66:15-24

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INTRODUCTION — ISAIAH IS ABOUT WORSHIP...

A. GLORY AND WOE

1. ORIGINAL CONTENTIONS (1:1-9)
2. SUCH DO NOT SEE OR SERVE GOD'S GLORY (66:5-6, 14)
3. RESPONSE OF WOE IS RIGHT (CH. 6)
4. THE REALITY OF HELL IS HELD FORTH 66:24

B. GLORY AND WORSHIP

1. FALSE WORSHIP CONDEMNED (1:10-17; 66:17)
2. FOLLY OF IDOLS EXPOSED (2:8; 42:8; 57:13 / 45:22)
3. FAITHFUL ONES TREMBLE AT GOD'S WORD (66:2,)

C. GLORY AND WORD OF HOPE

1. EARLY WORDS OF HOPE 1:18-19, 27
2. A SIGN WILL BE SET 66:19
3. SURVIVORS SENT OUT 66:19
4. SAINTS DECLARE THE GOSPEL 66:19

CLOSING WORDS...

- #1. HEAR
- #2. HEED
- #3. HOPE

 AMEN 

ALEX MOTYER (IVP COMMENTARY, P. 544)

“THERE IS A GRANDEUR ABOUT ISAIAH NOT FOUND ELSEWHERE EVEN IN THE MOST MAJESTIC OF THE REST OF SCRIPTURE, A MAJESTY FULL OF GLORY AND OF SOLEMNITY, PLAIN ALIKE IN THE REVELATION VOUCHSAFED TO HIM AND THE LANGUAGE IN WHICH HE WAS INSPIRED TO EXPRESS IT. **BUT** WITH THE GRANDEUR WENT A STERN RESOLUTENESS, THAT IF THE GLORY DOES NOT WIN US TO THE LIFE OF OBEDIENCE, IF VISIONS OF THE COMING KING, THE SIN-BEARING SERVANT AND THE LIBERATING ANOINTED CONQUEROR WILL NOT SUFFICE, THEN MAYBE THE UNMISTAKABLY HORRIBLE REWARDS OF DISOBEDIENCE WILL DRIVE OUR WAYWARD HEARTS TO TREMBLE AT THE WORD OF THE LORD.”

ISAIAH 1:18-20...

“COME NOW, 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 BECOME LIKE WOOL. 19 IF YOU ARE WILLING AND OBEDIENT, YOU SHALL EAT THE GOOD OF THE LAND; 20 BUT IF YOU REFUSE AND REBEL, YOU SHALL BE EATEN BY THE SWORD; FOR THE MOUTH OF THE LORD HAS SPOKEN.”