

Isaiah 27:1-13
Return to Eden!
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I. God Restores the Garden.

- A. The original plan
- B. The ruined garden
 - 1. Serpent
 - 2. Sin
 - 3. Thorns
- C. The Lord does it
 - 1. Slaying Leviathan
 - 2. Keeping and watering the garden
 - 3. Subduing thorns
- D. Israel bears fruit
 - 1. Man to be a fruitful steward.
 - 2. Man fell
 - 3. Israel planted as a choice vine.
 - 4. Israel failed
 - 5. Yet, salvation is of the Jews
 - 6. "I am the vine, you are the branches"
 - 7. Old Testament shadows
 - 8. New Testament substance

II. God has dealt differently with man.

- A. God's dealing with angels
- B. God's dealings with man
 - 1. Measure by measure
 - 2. By exile
 - 3. Full fruit of atonement