THE BOOK OF ISAIAH

THE GOD OF OUR SALVATION

ISAIAH CHAPTER 2

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

GOVERNMENT - GOD'S WAY

Discovering the Salvation of the Lord Through The Grace of God

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Introduction to the Text;

Isaiah 2

What comes to mind when you think of such things like, government, politics, presidents, kings & authority?

The God of the Bible is all for Government, He invented it. He's for Politics and for Laws – But He's not for bad government or for bad politics or bad laws.

(if you don't understand that, you could easily become guilty of throwing the baby out with the bath water)

When Abraham was puzzled by what God was about to do to the sexually perverted cities of Sodom and Gomorrah, Abraham asked...

Genesis 18:25

Far be it from You LORD (it's not your nature God) to do such a thing as this, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous should be as the wicked; far be it from You! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?"

We move now from Chapter 1 and the dark and sad indictment that God leveled against Judah, to Chapter 2 and the future glories that The United Nation of Israel will eventually enjoy under the government-politic, the rule & reign of the Messianic Kingdom of God on earth.

GOVERNMENT - GOD'S WAY

Isaiah Chapter 2:1-22

Isaiah 2:1-2

1 The word that Isaiah the son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem. 2 Now it shall come to pass in The Latter Days. That the mountain of the LORD'S house Shall be established on the top of the mountains, And shall be exalted above the hills; And all nations shall flow to it.

"The Latter Days"

This is The Second Coming of Jesus Christ

There's an Amazing Prophecy Here

"In the last days, I will be focusing on the south of the nation, mainly Jerusalem at the time of the end of man's attempt to govern himself. I will return to implement My government on earth as it was intended to be"

Application:

Israel = "The Latter Days" – That is at the Time of End
- Jerusalem would be center-stage to the world.

Jesus Christ of Nazareth Must Physically Return Or...

Isaiah 62:1

For Zion's sake I will not hold My peace, And for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, Until her righteousness goes forth as brightness, And her salvation as a lamp that burns.

This is a Reference to the Coming of the Messiah to Israel and the Establishment of the Government of God = The Millennial Kingdom.

Isaiah 63:1

Who is this **coming FROM Edom**, **FROM Bozrah**, with his garments stained crimson? Who is this, robed in splendor, striding forward in the greatness of His strength? "It is I, speaking in righteousness, mighty to save."

Bozrah botsrah, bots-raw'; in the feminine gender meaning "the enclosure, a sheepfold.

Micah 2:12-13

"I will surely assemble all of you, O Jacob, (Israel & Judah) I will surely gather the remnant of Israel; (the survivors) I will put them together like **sheep of the fold**, Like a flock in the midst of their pasture; They shall make a loud noise because of so many people. **13** The one who breaks open will come up before them; They will break out, Pass through the gate, And go out by it; Their king will pass before them, With the LORD at their head."

Matthew 24:27

For as the lightning comes from the EAST and flashes to the WEST, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be.

The Literal Second Coming of Jesus Christ

Zechariah 12:9-10

It shall be in that day that I will seek to destroy all the nations that come against Jerusalem. :10 "And I will pour on the house of David and on the inhabitants of Jerusalem the Spirit of grace and supplication; then they will look on Me whom they pierced. Yes, they will mourn for Him as one mourns for his only son, and grieve for Him as one grieves for a firstborn.

!!! From Bozrah He Rides !!!

Here, we have a picture of the Lord Jesus, coming from a place called **Edom** and **Bozrah**, **Isaiah 63** - but notice that his robes are already stained with blood. When John sees him returning in **Revelation 19**, Jesus has already fulfilled a portion of **Isaiah 63**

Matthew 24:29-30

"Immediately **after** the tribulation (*the seven years*) of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken. **30 Then** the sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, and **then** all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and **they** (*the world*) **will** see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

Revelation 19:12-14

His eyes are like blazing fire, and on his head are many crowns. He has a name written on him that no one knows but he himself. :13 He is dressed in a robe dipped in blood, and his name is the Word of God. :14 The armies of heaven (the church) were following him, riding on white horses and dressed in fine linen, white and clean.

Isaiah 63:3-4

3 "I have trodden the winepress alone, And from the nations - no one was with Me. For I have trodden them in My anger, And trampled them in My fury; Their blood is sprinkled upon My garments, And I have stained all My robes.
4 For the day of (My) vengeance is in My heart,

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Is a day that is filled with terror, violence and awesome fear

From Jerusalem Jesus will Establish the Government of God on Earth

Isaiah 2:2c And all nations shall flow to it.

Revelation 1:4-6a

Grace to you and peace from Him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven Spirits who are before His throne, 5 and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn from the dead, and the ruler over the kings of the earth. To Him who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood, 6 and has made us kings and priests

Isaiah 60:3

The Gentiles shall come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising. (who are these kings during the reign of Jesus on earth?)

Revelation 2:25-27

(*Thyatira*) hold fast what you have till I come. 26 And he who overcomes, and keeps My works until the end, to him I will give power over the nations - - 27 "He shall rule them with a rod of iron; They shall be dashed to pieces like the potter's vessels' - - as I also have received from My Father;

Revelation 3:21

To him (Laodiceans) who overcomes I will grant to sit with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down with My Father on His throne.

Revelation 20:6b

but they (those redeemed) shall be **priests** of God and of Christ, and shall **reign** with Him a thousand years.

Revelation 21:24

And the nations of those who are saved shall walk in **its** light, (the new city of Jerusalem) and **the kings of the**earth bring their glory and honor into it.

1 Peter 2:9

But you are a **chosen generation**, a **royal priesthood**, a **holy nation**, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness **into His marvelous light**;

Isaiah 2:3-5

3 Many people shall come and say, "Come, and let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, To the house of the God of Jacob; He will teach us His ways, And we shall walk in His paths." For out of Zion shall go forth the Law, And the Word of the LORD from Jerusalem. 4 He shall judge between the nations, And rebuke many people; They shall beat their swords into plowshares, And their spears into pruning hooks; Nation

>>>>> This Is The Opening Act of <<<<< The Promised - Millennial Reign of Messiah/Christ

The next biblical **church related event** is the **rapture** of the church.

After that event comes the **7 year tribulation** period. At the end of the tribulation period, **the Second Coming** of Christ takes place. Once Jesus Christ returns, He will establish the Throne of David and commence the Millennial Reign for 1,000 years on earth.

Why Should We Care About These Things?

>>>> The Cross, The Christ, The Call <<<<

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