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“ THE PROMISE KEEPER ”

Discovering the Salvation of the Lord Jesus Christ in the Prophecies of Isaiah

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Introduction to the Text;

Isaiah 27:1-13

1 IN THAT DAY the **LORD** with His severe sword, great and strong, Will punish Leviathan the fleeing serpent, Leviathan that twisted serpent; And He will slay the reptile that is in the sea.

2 IN THAT DAY sing to her,

“A vineyard of red wine!

3 I, the LORD, keep it, I water it every moment; Lest any hurt it, I keep it night and day.

4 Fury is not in Me. Who would set briers and thorns Against Me in battle? I would go through them, I would burn them together. 5 Or let him take hold of My strength, That he may make peace with Me; And he shall make peace with Me.”

6 Those who come He shall cause to take root in Jacob; **Israel** shall blossom and bud, And fill the face of the world with fruit. **7** Has He struck **Israel** as He struck those who struck him? Or has He been slain according to the slaughter of those who were slain by Him? **8** In measure, by sending it away, You contended with it. He removes it by His rough wind **IN THAT DAY** of the east wind.

9 Therefore by this the iniquity of Jacob will be covered; And this is all the fruit of taking away his sin: When he makes all the stones of the altar Like chalkstones that are beaten to dust, Wooden images and incense altars shall not stand. **10** Yet the fortified city will be desolate, The habitation forsaken and left like a wilderness; There the calf will feed, and there it will lie down And consume its branches. **11** When its boughs are withered, they will be broken off; The women come and set them on fire. For it is a people of no understanding; Therefore He who made them will not have mercy on

them, And He who formed them will show them no favor. **12** And it shall come to pass in that day That the **LORD** will thresh, From the channel of the River to the Brook of **Egypt**; And you will be gathered one by one, O you children of **Israel**.

13 So it shall be **IN THAT DAY**: The great trumpet will be blown; They will come, who are about to perish in the land of **Assyria**, And they who are outcasts in the land of **Egypt**, And shall worship the **LORD** in the holy mount at **Jerusalem**.

Several weeks ago, someone stopped me in the foyer after a message and asked, *“Why do you, why does this church care about Israel and the Jewish people?”*

First of all;

God cares about the Jewish people and the Land of Israel.

Second;

Israel is God’ s earthy home.

Third:

Israel appears / named some 2,600 times in the Bible.

Fourth:

Israel has to be in existence for Jesus Christ to return in His Second Coming just like Israel had to be intact at His First Coming to Bethlehem.

Notice with me in Verse 13...

So it shall be **IN THAT DAY**: The great trumpet will be blown; They will come, who are about to perish in the land of **Assyria**, And they who are outcasts in the land of **Egypt**,

Has anyone ever heard of a country called **Egypt** ?

Has anyone ever heard of a country called **Assyria** ?

(so as **real** and as factual as these are –
Israel is even more so)

In fact, the name “**Israel**” is mentioned nearly 2,600 times in the Bible.
More than any other country or nation in human history.

The Name “Israel” means

He who prevails with God, or he who contends with God.
(one who resists and submits = Jacob)

(some people have said that they can prove the existence of God with one word – “Israel”)

Israel Is-real

God’s dealing with His beloved – Israel is
an example for us, the church today.

Israel’s calling, history, trials, and End Times regathering is an expose` on the Person, Nature and Character of the LORD God of the Bible.

Romans 15:4

For whatever things were written before (O.T.) were written for our learning, that we (the church) through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have hope.

This “hope” is confidence in God to keep His promises !

But how do we make His promises our own today ?

- #1 by recognizing that you’re on solid ground when it comes to leaning upon His promises. = the Old Testament saints did it. The disciples did it. The Apostles did it - - best of all, Jesus did it while here on earth.
- #2 by laying hold of the reality of His word, the scriptures and making them your stronghold. Making His word your preoccupation / meditation.

Psalm 119:11-16 NLT

I have hidden your word in my heart, that **I might not sin** against you. **12 I praise You**, O LORD; teach me your decrees. **13 I have recited** aloud all the regulations you have given us. **14 I have rejoiced** in your laws as much as in riches. **15 I will study** your commandments and reflect on your ways. **16 I will delight** in your decrees and not forget your word.

John 15:7-8

If you abide in Me, (sit, stand, walk) and My words abide in you (obey), you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you. **8** By this My Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit; so you will be My disciples.

The Result on a Daily Basis...

Hebrews 6:17-19 NLT

God also bound himself with an oath, so that those who received the promise could be perfectly sure that he would never change his mind. **18** So God has given both his promise and his oath. These two things are unchangeable because it is impossible for God to lie. Therefore, we who have fled to him for refuge can have great confidence as we hold to the hope that lies before us. **19** This hope is a strong and trustworthy anchor for our souls. **It leads us through the curtain into God's inner sanctuary. = absolute acceptance**

THE PROMISE KEEPER

The LORD is The Promise Keeper Who is Faithful to...

1.) He promised to defend the Jewish people v. 1

IN THAT DAY the LORD with His **severe sword**, great and strong, Will (#1) punish Leviathan the fleeing serpent, Leviathan that twisted serpent; And He will (#2) slay the **reptile** that is in the sea.

reptile heb. tanniyn, tan-noon'; or tanniym, tan-neem'
a sea or land monster, a dragon that resides in the sea that shows itself upon the land. A dragon, serpent, one that brings terror.

The word "Dragon" appears 13 times in the book of Revelation.

Revelation 12:9

So the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, called the Devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world; he was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.

Revelation 20:2

He laid hold of the dragon, that serpent of old, who is the Devil and Satan, and bound him for a thousand years;

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“A vineyard of red wine!

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4 *Fury is not in Me. Who would set briars and thorns Against Me in battle? I would go through them, I would burn them together.* **5** *Or let him take hold of My strength, That he may make peace with Me; And he shall make peace with Me.”*

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3.) He promised to bless the earth by Israel vv. 6-13

6 **THOSE WHO COME** He shall cause to take root in Jacob; **Israel** shall blossom and bud, And fill the face of the world with fruit.

Those Who Come...

Isaiah 43:3-6

For I *am* the LORD your God, The Holy One of **Israel**, your Savior; I gave Egypt for your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in your place. **:4** Since you were precious in My sight, You have been honored, And I have loved you; Therefore I will give men for you, And people for your life. **:5** Fear not, for I *am* with you; **I will bring your descendants from the east, And gather you from the west; :6** I will say to the **north**, “Give them up!” And to the **south**, “Do not keep them back!”
Bring My sons from afar, And My daughters from the ends of the earth -

Amos 9:14-15

I will bring back the captives of My people Israel; They shall build the waste cities and inhabit *them*; They shall plant vineyards and drink wine from them; They shall also make gardens and eat fruit from them. **:15** I will plant them in their land, And no longer shall they be pulled up From the land I have given them,” Says the LORD your God.

Zechariah 12:2-3

Behold, I will make **Jerusalem** a cup of trembling unto all the people (*nations*) round about, when they (*nations*) shall be in the siege both against **Judah** and against **Jerusalem**. **3** And in that day will I make **Jerusalem** a burdensome stone for all people (*nations*): all that burden themselves with **it** shall be cut in pieces, though all the people (*nations*) of the earth be gathered together against **it**.

Joel 3:1-3a

“For behold, in those days and at that time, When I bring back the captives of Judah and Jerusalem, **2** I will also gather all nations, And bring them down to the Valley of Jehoshaphat; And I will enter into judgment with them there On account of My people, My heritage Israel, Whom they have scattered among the nations; They have also divided up My land. **3a** They have cast lots for My people,

Jeremiah 31:3-5

The LORD has appeared of old to me, saying: "Yes, I have loved you with an everlasting love; Therefore with lovingkindness I have drawn you. 4 Again I will build you, and you shall be rebuilt, O virgin of Israel! You shall again be adorned with your tambourines, And shall go forth in the dances of those who rejoice. 5 You shall yet plant vines on the mountains of Samaria; The planters shall plant and eat them as ordinary food.

Verse 7-8

A Parenthetical Insert Here

7 Has He struck **Israel** as He struck those who struck him? (no) Or has He been slain according to the slaughter of those who were slain by Him? (no) 8 In measure, by sending it away, You contended with it. He removes it by His rough wind **IN THAT DAY** of the east wind.

Verse 9

9 Therefore by this the iniquity of Jacob will be covered; And this is all the fruit of taking away his sin: When he (Jacob) makes all the stones of the altar Like chalkstones that are beaten to dust, Wooden images and incense altars shall not stand.

Psalm 130:7

O Israel, hope in the LORD; For with the LORD there is mercy, And with Him is abundant redemption. 8 And He shall redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

Verse 10-11

10 Yet the fortified city will be desolate, The habitation forsaken and left like a wilderness; There the calf will feed, and there it will lie down And consume its branches (drought). 11 When its boughs are withered, they will be broken off; The women come and set them on fire. For it is a people of no understanding; Therefore He who made them will not have mercy on them, And He who formed them will show them no favor.

Verse 12

12 And it shall come to pass **IN THAT DAY** That the **LORD** will thresh, From the channel of the River to the Brook of **Egypt**; And you will be gathered one by one, O you children of **Israel**.

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What is called " Zionism" or the "Zionist Movement" , is defined as The regathering of the Jewish people back into their ancient, promised homeland – this will eventually have its full completion when God gathers the whole house of Israel to Himself at the End of the Tribulation Period.

Isaiah 66:8

Who has heard such a thing? Who has seen such things? Shall the earth be made to give birth in one day? Or **shall a nation be born in a day?** For as soon as **Zion** was in labor, She gave birth to her children.

Deuteronomy 4:29-31

But from there you will seek the LORD your God, and you will find Him if you seek Him with all your heart and with all your soul. :30 When you are in distress, and all these things come upon you **in the latter days**, when you turn to the LORD your God and obey His voice :31 (for the LORD your God is a merciful God), He will not forsake you nor destroy you, nor forget the covenant of your fathers which He swore to them.

Verse 13a

13 So it shall be **IN THAT DAY**: The great trumpet will be blown;

Joel 2:15-16

Blow the trumpet in Zion; consecrate a fast; call a solemn assembly; 16 gather the people. Consecrate the congregation; assemble the elders; gather the children, even nursing infants. **Let the bridegroom leave his room, and the bride her chamber.**

Harkening back to Isaiah 26:20-21

Isaiah 26:20-21

Come, my people, enter your **chambers**, And shut your doors behind you; Hide yourself, as it were, for a little moment, Until the indignation is past. 21 **For behold, the LORD comes out of His place** To punish the inhabitants of the earth

Matthew 24:29-31

“Immediately after the tribulation 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, (see rev. 19) and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. 31 And He will send His angels with **a great sound of a trumpet**, and they will gather together His elect (the Jewish believers) from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other.

Jesus removes any doubt that someone might have...

Matthew 24:32-34

“Now learn this parable from the **fig tree**: When its branch has already become tender and puts forth leaves, you know that summer is near. **33** So you also, when you see all these things, know that it is near—at the doors! **34** Assuredly, I say to you, this generation will by no means pass away till all these things take place.

Verse 13b

THEY WILL COME, who are about to perish in the land of **Assyria**, And they who are outcasts in the land of **Egypt**, And shall worship the **LORD** In the holy mount (Zion) at **Jerusalem**.

**What religion is currently predominant in
Lebanon, Syria, Iran and Iraq - in what was the region of Assyria?
(Islam)**

**What religion is currently predominant in
Egypt - in what was the region of Egypt?
(Islam)**

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According to the Bible, The future Islam is nearing its end.

Isaiah 19:23-25

IN THAT DAY there will be a highway from Egypt to Assyria, (Islamic lands today) and the Assyrian will come into Egypt and the Egyptian into Assyria, and the Egyptians will serve with the Assyrians. **:24 IN THAT DAY** Israel will be one of three with Egypt and Assyria—a blessing in the midst of the land, **25** whom the LORD of hosts shall bless, saying, “**Blessed is Egypt My people, and Assyria the work of My hands, and Israel My inheritance.**”

Isaiah 45:21-22

Declare what is to be, present it — let them take counsel together. Who foretold this long ago, who declared it from the distant past? Was it not I, the LORD? And there is no God apart from me, a righteous God and Savior; there is none but me. **:22** “Turn to me and be saved, all you ends of the earth; for I am God, and there is no other.

!!! Come Upon Us Dear Holy Spirit - Come !!!

End of Study