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THE GOD OF OUR SALVATION

#### **ISAIAH CHAPTERS 49:1-26**

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# THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE: "The Servant Messiah"

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

Part 3

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Introduction to the Text: Isaiah 49:8-21

#### Paul writes to them who are in Rome

Romans 15:4

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

Psalm 40 says of the Messiah, "Behold in the volume of the Book it is written of Me." It's in Hebrews 10 because it's in Psalm 40

The New Testament is in Old Testament Concealed. The Old Testament is in the New Testament Revealed.

#### John 5:37-40

And the Father Himself, who sent Me, has testified of Me (O.T.). You have neither heard His voice at any time, nor seen His form. **38** But you do not have His word (O.T.) abiding in you, because whom He sent, Him you do not believe. **39** You search the Scriptures, (O.T.) for in them you think you have eternal life; and these are they which testify of Me. **40** But you are not willing to come to Me that you may have life.

# The Servant Messiah

| 1.) He performs all of God's will      | vs. 1-2 |
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| 2.) He serves all who acknowledge Him  | vs. 3-4 |
| 3.) He re-gathers His people from afar | vs. 5-7 |

### 4.) He recovers the earth from its curse

8 Thus says the Lord: "In an acceptable time I have heard You, and in the day of salvation I have helped You; (how?) I will preserve You (Messiah) and give You as a covenant to the people{,}

### Wait a Minute – Is There a Second Covenant for Israel?

# We hear more of the same from Jeremiah and again, the prophecy goes beyond the Babylonian Restoration.

#### Jeremiah 31:1-6

"At the same time," says the Lord, "I will be the God of all the families of Israel, and they shall be My people." :2 Thus says the Lord: "The people who survived the sword Found grace in the wilderness - - Israel, when I went to give him rest." 3 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. 6 For there shall be a day When the watchmen will cry on Mount Ephraim, "Arise, and let us go up to Zion, To the Lord our God.' ":7 For thus says the Lord: "Sing with gladness for Jacob, And shout among the chief of the nations; Proclaim, give praise, and say, 'O Lord, save Your people, The remnant of Israel!' 8 Behold, I will bring them from the north country, And gather them from the ends of the earth, (this is bigger than the Babylonian restoration) Among them the blind and the lame, The woman with child And the one who labors with child, together; A great throng shall return there. 9 They shall come with weeping, And with supplications I will lead them. I will cause them to walk by the rivers of waters. In a straight way in which they shall not stumble; For I am a Father to Israel, And Ephraim is My firstborn. 10 "Hear the word of the Lord, O nations, And declare it in the isles afar off, and say, '(( He who scattered Israel will gather him, )) And keep him as a shepherd does his flock.' **11** For the Lord has redeemed Jacob, And ransomed him from the hand of one stronger than he. 12 Therefore they shall come and sing in the height of Zion, Streaming to the goodness of the Lord - - For wheat and new wine and oil, For the young of the flock and the herd; Their souls shall be (in the future) like a well-watered garden, And they shall sorrow no more at all.

#### Jeremiah 31:31-33

"Behold, the days are coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant (2nd.) with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah - **32** not according to the covenant

that I made with their fathers in the day that I took them by the hand to lead them out of the land of Egypt, My covenant (1st.) which they broke, though I was a husband to them, says the Lord. 33 But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put My law in their minds, and write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people.

### The Restoration Mission of Israel's Messiah and the Same being the Salvation of the Gentiles.

In full agreement with Isaiah and Jeremiah, The prophet Ezekiel goes way beyond the Babylonian Restoration as well.

Let's turn to Ezekiel 36 and read it

We are living today in the "I will do this" and the "Then" of v.25, v.31, v.36,

#### Today, Israel is a recognized nation – it's a matter of fact. Israel is Israel and the Jews have been returning to her even since before 1890's. Israel is back in the Promised Land, exactly as God said she would be, in unbelief!

#### Romans 11:1,11

:1 I say then, has God cast away His people? Certainly not! :11 I say then, have they stumbled that they should fall? Certainly not!

#### Romans 11:25-27

For I do not desire, brethren, that you should be ignorant of this mystery, lest you should be wise in your own opinion, that blindness in part has happened to Israel until the fullness of the Gentiles has come in. **26** And so all Israel will be saved, as it is written: "The Deliverer will come out of Zion, and He will turn away ungodliness from Jacob; **27** For this is My covenant with them, when I take away their sins."

#### 2 Corinthians 3:14-16

But their minds were blinded. For until this day the same veil remains un-lifted in the reading of the Old Testament, because the veil is taken away in Christ. 15 But even to this day, when Moses is read, a veil lies on their heart. 16 Nevertheless when one turns to the Lord, the veil is taken away.

8b to restore the earth, (post 2nd. Coming & the millennial age) to cause them to inherit the desolate heritages;
 9 that You may say to the prisoners, "Go forth,' to those who are in darkness, "Show yourselves.' 'They shall feed along the roads, and their pastures shall be on all desolate heights.

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# 5.) He guides His people through to the end

#### vs. 10-13

#### A Description of the Shepherd King

10 They shall neither hunger nor thirst, neither heat nor sun shall strike them; for He who has mercy on them - will lead them, even by the springs of water He will guide them.
11 I will make each of My mountains a road, and My highways shall be elevated.
12 Surely these shall come from afar; look! Those from the north and the west, and these from the land of Sinim (Sineses = Chinese)." 13 Sing, O heavens! Be joyful, O earth! And break out in singing, O mountains! For the Lord has comforted His people, and will have mercy on His afflicted.

Israel's long awaited Messiah will come only after the 7 year, Great Tribulation Period ends – but the Jews will begin to see at the Mid-Point of the Tribulation Period that Jesus is Messiah and from that time on, the whole house of Israel, the remnant will be saved.

#### Numbers 24:17c

"I see Him, but not now; I behold Him, but not near; a **Star** shall come out of Jacob; a **Scepter** shall rise out of Israel,

#### Malachi 4:2

But to you who fear My name The Sun of Righteousness shall arise With healing in **His** wings;

#### Psalm 2:4-8

He who sits in the heavens shall laugh; The Lord shall hold them in derision. **5** Then He shall speak to them in His wrath, And distress them in His deep displeasure: **6** "Yet I have set My King On My holy hill of Zion." **7** "I will declare the decree: The Lord has said to Me, 'You are My Son, Today I have begotten You. **8** Ask of Me, and I will give You The nations for Your inheritance, And the ends of the earth for Your possession.

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# 6.) He reveals His love for His people vs. 14-21

#### Israel's blindness will be healed

14 But Zion said, "The Lord has forsaken me, and my Lord has forgotten me."15 "Can a woman forget her nursing child, and not have compassion on the son of her womb? Surely they may forget, yet I will not forget you.

### Stay clear of those people who say "God has replaced

Israel with the Church". Who say "They broke the covenant with God and so God is under no obligation to the Jew."

#### Genesis 17:1-8

When Abram was ninety-nine years old, the Lord appeared to Abram and said to him, "I am Almighty God; walk before Me and be blameless. 2 And I will make My covenant between Me and you, and will multiply you exceedingly." 3 Then Abram fell on his face, and God talked with him, saying: 4 "As for Me, behold, My covenant is with you, and you shall be a father of many nations. 5 No longer shall your name be called Abram, but your name shall be Abraham; for I have made you a father of many nations. 6 I will make you exceedingly fruitful; and I will make nations of you, and kings shall come from you. 7 And I will establish My covenant between Me and you and your descendants after you in their generations, for an everlasting covenant, to be God to you and your descendants after you. 8 Also I give to you and your descendants after you the land in which you are a stranger, all the land of Canaan, as an everlasting possession; and I will be their God."

#### Psalm 105:7-11

He is the Lord our God; His judgments are in all the earth. 8 He remembers His covenant forever, the word which He commanded, for a thousand generations,
9 The covenant which He made with Abraham, and His oath to Isaac, 10 and confirmed it to Jacob for a statute, to Israel as an everlasting covenant, 11 saying, "To you I will give the land of Canaan as the allotment of your inheritance,"

### Replacement theology is an ancient, satanic doctrine

#### **Revelation 3:7-9**

"And to the angel of the church in Philadelphia write, "These things says He who is holy, He who is true, 'He who has the key of David, He who opens and no one shuts, and shuts and no one opens": **8** "I know your works. See, I have set before you an open door, and no one can shut it; for you have a little strength, have kept My word, and have not denied My name. **9** Indeed I will make those of **the synagogue of Satan**, who say they are Jews and are not, but lie

16 See, I have **inscribed** you on the palms of My hands; your walls are **continually** before Me. 17 Your sons shall make haste; your destroyers and those who laid you waste shall go away from you. 18 Lift up your eyes, look around and see; all these gather together and come to you. As I live," says the

Lord, "You shall surely clothe yourselves with them all as an ornament, and bind them on you as a bride does. **19** "For your waste and desolate places, and the land of your destruction, will even now be too small for the inhabitants; and those who swallowed you up will be far away. **20** The children you will have ( in the future, like today ), after you have lost the others, will say again in your ears, "The place is too small for me; Give me a place where I may dwell."

#### Memorandum: to the UN. From: The God of Heaven & Earth Genesis 15:18

On the same day the Lord made a covenant with Abram, saying: "To your descendants I have given this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the River Euphrates (Iraq)

21 Then you will say in your heart, "Who has begotten these for me, since I have lost my children and am desolate, a captive, and wandering to and fro? And who has brought these up? There I was, left alone; but these, where were they?' "

## The God of the Bible is the Salvation God, There is no other.

#### Peter writes to all those who are pilgrims

1 Peter 1:10-12

Of this salvation the prophets have inquired and searched carefully, who prophesied of the grace that would come to you, **11** searching what, or what manner of time, the Spirit of Christ who was in them was indicating when He testified beforehand the sufferings of Christ and the glories that would follow. **12** To them it was revealed that, not to themselves, but to us they were ministering the things which now have been reported to you through those who have preached the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven – things which angels desire to look into.

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