

The Suffering Servant—The Conquering King

(Isaiah 52:13-53:12, Preaching: Pastor Stephen Magee, June 13, 2021)

52:13-53:9 Ignored, Despised, Rejected, Dead, Buried

[13] Behold, my servant shall act wisely; he shall be high and lifted up, and shall be exalted.

[14] ... his appearance was so marred, beyond human semblance, ...

[15] so shall he sprinkle many nations. Kings shall shut their mouths because of him ...

[53:1] Who has believed what he has heard from us? ...

[2] ... he had no form or majesty that we should look at him, and no beauty ...

[3] He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief; ... and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not.

[4] Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.

[5] But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; ...

[6] All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

[7] ... like a lamb that is led to the slaughter ...

[8] ... cut off out of the land of the living ...

[9] And they made his grave with the wicked and with a rich man in his death ...

53:10-12 Alive, Aware, Satisfied, Prosperous, Victorious

[10] Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him; he has put him to grief;

when his soul makes an offering for guilt,

he shall see his offspring;

he shall prolong his days;

the will of the LORD shall prosper in his hand.

[11] Out of the anguish of his soul he shall see and be satisfied;

by his knowledge shall the righteous one, my servant, make many to be accounted righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities.

[12] Therefore I will divide him a portion with the many,

and he shall divide the spoil with the strong,

because he poured out his soul to death

and was numbered with the transgressors;

yet he bore the sin of many,

and makes intercession for the transgressors.

Key Verse: Isaiah 53:6 ... The LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

THE POINT: The work of Jesus as our substitute is central to his astounding victory.

Applying these verses:

- 1 The Biblical Jesus was a suffering servant.
- 2 The Biblical Jesus will be a conquering king.
- 3 We need this one and only Jesus of the Bible.
- 4 In everything that the real Jesus has done and will do, you are very much on his mind.

Old Testament Reading—Ecclesiastes 9:11-18 – Man does not know his time.

Gospel Reading—Matthew 10:26-39 – For My sake

New Testament Reading—Colossians 2 – Rooted and built up in Him

Isaiah 53:6 The LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all

1 He was despised and He was rejected:

Jesus, Jesus, the suffering slave.

The LORD has laid on Him

The iniquity of us all.

2 He is alive, and He is victorious:

Jesus, Jesus, the conquering king.

The LORD has laid on Him

The iniquity of us all.

3 He is the one, and He is the only:

Jesus, Jesus, the glorious Lamb

The LORD has laid on Him

The iniquity of us all.

4 He's interceding— forever He's praying:

Jesus, Jesus, remembering us.

The LORD has laid on Him

The iniquity of us all.