

SBCC Daily On-Line Bible Study

Allow God to draw near to you as you go deeper in His Word.

Spend some time in prayer as you prepare to apply the Spirit's teaching to your daily life

January 22, 2023 - Distress and Help in Jerusalem - [Isaiah 32:1-35:10](#)

Open It

1. What dramatic difference between "before" and "after" have you observed due to a natural disaster?
2. What examples can you cite of a fool being called noble or a scoundrel being highly respected?
3. What circumstances tend to cause people to become complacent or lazy?

Explore It

4. What would characterize the reign of the king that Isaiah foretold? ([32:1-4](#))
5. In God's eyes, what are the differences between the foolish and the noble? ([32:5-8](#))
6. What warning did Isaiah have for the women of Jerusalem who had become complacent? ([32:9-13](#))
7. How long did Isaiah predict the punishment would continue? ([32:14-20](#))
8. What judgment did God declare for His destroyer, Assyria? ([33:1](#))
9. What prayer did Isaiah utter for God's faithful? ([33:2](#))
10. What does the "key" of the fear of the Lord unlock for the believer? ([33:5-6](#))
11. What sad state did Isaiah predict for both the land and the people in the face of God's judgment? ([33:7-9](#))
12. How did Isaiah predict that the experiences of the sinner and the righteous person would differ? ([33:10-19](#))
13. What are some of the physical and spiritual characteristics of the Jerusalem of the future? ([33:17-24](#))
14. What are some of the roles that will be taken on by the Lord as Messiah-King? ([33:21-22](#))
15. What sobering news did Isaiah announce to all people and nations? ([34:1-2](#))

16. What are some of the images Isaiah used to describe the extent of the slaughter to come? ([34:3-7](#))
17. On whose behalf did the Lord plan retribution? ([34:8](#))
18. What are some of the ways Isaiah chose to express the desolation that would follow God's judgments? ([34:9-15](#))
19. What physical transformations of the land provide pictures of God's redemptive work? ([35:1-2](#))
20. What message did Isaiah have for believers who might have begun to falter in their hope? ([35:3-4](#))
21. What are some of the miraculous signs which will be common in the Kingdom of God? ([35:5-7](#))
22. What did Isaiah tell us about the "highway" in the Kingdom of God? ([35:8-10](#))

Get It

23. What are the different effects of God's wrath and God's grace?
24. What is God's ultimate solution for the sin that separates us from Him?
25. Why did Isaiah say that the nations who carried out God's punishment against His people should not feel secure in their own power?
26. What examples can be found in Isaiah's prophecies of the earth itself benefiting or suffering because of our sin?
27. What value is there in Isaiah's prophecies containing great words of hope and encouragement?

Apply It

28. With what promise of God can you encourage a believer who is becoming weak or fearful due to difficult circumstances?
29. What Scripture can you study and perhaps commit to memory to help you avoid becoming a "fool" by God's definition?