

Series: Isaiah 40-66
Lesson: Isaiah 43-45 -The God Who Knows...
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The God Who Knows the Way and Sends a Deliverer

Theme: The God of hope and history sends a servant.

Isaiah 43:1-7 - Reassurance in Stereo

1. This passage is one of the 11 salvation oracles in Isa 40-55.
2. God does over 20 things for Israel in this passage. Which do you find most reassuring?

Isaiah 43:8-15 - You are My Witnesses

1. In this trial the prophet accuses Israel of being blind and deaf.
2. What words and phrases in this passage point to monotheism?

Isaiah 43:16-21 - I Am Doing a New Thing

1. What is the new thing God is doing?

Isaiah 43:22-28 - You Did Not Call Upon Me

1. In Babylonian captivity Israel offered sacrifices, but not to their God. All Israel offered to God was their sin.
2. Israel is unfaithful, but God remains faithful.

Isaiah 44:1-8 - Water on the Thirsty Land

1. This is another salvation oracle. The two components that make it a salvation oracle are,
 - a. Fear not
 - b. Promise of redemption

Isaiah 44:9-20 - Build your own Idol

1. God makes Israel while the Babylonians make gods.
2. What do you learn about these idols?

Isaiah 44:21-45:8 - The Lord has Done It!

1. Make a list of what God has done in this passage

Isaiah 45:9-19 - Israel Complains About God's Plans

1. Israel complains about God's decision to send them into exile
2. God can do what he chooses.

Isaiah 45:20-25 - Every Knee Shall Bow

1. This trial image pits God against the idols.
2. How does Paul use this passage (Phil. 2:10)?

3. What words give you assurance in this passage?