

ISAIAH –Lesson 37

Learn: In that day it shall be said to Jerusalem, fear thou not: and to Zion, let not thine hands be slack. The LORD thy God in the midst of thee is mighty; he will save, he will rejoice over thee with joy; he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing.
Zephaniah 3:16,17

Read: Isaiah 32:1-20

Isaiah 32 and 33 speak of the reign of The King. Chapter 32 is the explanation of that reign.

1. How is the reign of The King described in the following verses?

Psalm 2:1-12

Psalm 24:7-10

Isaiah 11:1, 4-5

2. What characterizes the leadership of this King? v 1

Also see Isaiah 9:7; 11:4-5

3. What will be available to everyone in this kingdom? v 2

4. From what we have seen so far in this lesson, who might this “man” be that provides for all the people?

Why?

5. How will people respond to the reign of The King? vv 3, 4

6. What will not be allowed in the Kingdom? v 5

A “vile person” – Hebrew: nabal = fool. A person is a fool because of his lack of moral understanding and character.

The word “churl” is only used here. Some give it the meaning of “scoundrel” or “rogue” – possibly connected to Hebrew indicating deception or how he deceives to take advantage of others.

7. The word “nabal” is actually the name of a man in the Bible. What do you learn about him and that word “churl” in I Samuel 25:1-38?

8. Until the time of the Kingdom, what will people be like? v 6

9. What are the plans of the wicked? v 7

The word “liberal” as used in verse 8 is “noble.” What he does is the opposite to the wicked of verses 6, 7.

10. What is the problem with the women of the land? v 9

Also see Amos 4:1; 6:1

11. How will these women be impacted because of their attitude?

v 10

v 11

v 12

v 13

12. What had the people been trusting in? v 14

What would happen to those things?

13. Verses 15-20 speak of the coming of peace.

What is needed to change things so that we will have peace? v 15a

14. Why is the pouring out of the Spirit needed?--

In the material creation— v15; Genesis 1:2; Psalm 33:6

In the animal world—Psalm 104:24-30

In humanity—Genesis 2:7; Job 33:4; 34:14, 15; James 2:26

In human abilities—Exodus 35:30-31; Judges 14:5,6; 15:14

In human behavior---I Samuel 10:6

In the Messiah---Isaiah 11:2; 61:1

In spiritual birth---Ezekiel 36:27; 39:29; Zechariah 12:10

15. What will righteousness bring? vv16, 17

Also see Romans 14:17.

16. Compare how the people live in the land of Israel today, with how they will live in the Kingdom? v 18

Life in Israel today (current reality) v.s. Life of Israel in the kingdom (v 18)

17. Use Isaiah 26:5; 29:4 to help you explain v 19.

18. What does the Lord promise will come after his judgment of verse 19? v 20

Also see Isaiah 30:23.

19. What verses can you find that show that though the Lord punishes His people Israel for their rebellion against Him, that at the last He will restore them to their land, and bless them forever.

