

THE SORROW OF JESUS

ISAIAH 53:1-6

Isaiah 53:1-9

21 Who has believed our report? And to whom has **the arm of the LORD** been revealed? **2** For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, and as a root out of dry ground. He has **no form or comeliness**; and when we see Him, there is **no beauty** that we should desire Him. **3** He is **despised and rejected by men**, a **man of sorrows** and **acquainted with grief**. And we hid, as it were, our faces from Him; He was **despised**, and we did not esteem Him.

Isaiah 53:1-9

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 **wounded for our transgressions**, He was **bruised for our iniquities**; the **chastisement for our peace** was **upon Him**, and **by His stripes we are healed**. **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**.

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7 He was **oppressed** and He was **afflicted**, yet **He opened not His mouth**; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before its shearers is silent, so **He opened not His mouth.** **8** He was taken from prison and from judgment, and who will declare His generation? For He **was cut off** from the land of the living; for the **transgressions of my people He was stricken.** **9** And **they made His grave with the wicked** — but **with the rich at His death, because He had done no violence, nor was any deceit in His mouth.**

Man of Sorrows

Isaiah 53:3

- **Isaiah 52:13-53:12** a **Servant Song**
- **Prophecy of the suffering of Jesus**
- **Acts 8:30-39**
- **1 Peter 2:21-25**

1 Peter 2:18-25

18 Slaves, be submissive to your masters **with all fear**, not only to the good and gentle, but also to the **harsh**. **19** For this is **commendable, if because of conscience toward God one endures grief, suffering wrongfully**. **20** For what credit is it if, when you are beaten for your faults, you take it patiently? But when you **do good and suffer, if you take it patiently**, this is commendable before God. **21** For to this you were called,

1 Peter 2:21-25

because **Christ** also **suffered** for **you**, **leaving you** an **example**, that **you should follow** His **steps**: **22** “*Who **committed no sin, nor was deceit found in His mouth***” **23** who, when He was **reviled, did not revile** in return; when He **suffered, He did not threaten**, but committed Himself to Him who judges righteously; **24** who **Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree**, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness — by whose stripes you were healed. **25** For **you** were like **sheep going astray**, but **have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls**.

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- **Mark 3:5**
- **Grief + Anger = Appropriate Response**
- **Because of the hardness of their hearts**
Luke 6:11
- **Hardness of heart again Matt. 12:22-45**
- **Hardness of heart again Matt. 16:1-4**
- **Mark 8:12** *He sighed deeply in His spirit*

Three Times Jesus Weeps

- **John 11:35**
- **Luke 19:41-44**
- **Hebrews 5:7-9**

John 11:32-36

32 Then, when Mary came where Jesus was, and saw Him, she fell down at His feet, saying to Him, “Lord, if You had been here, my brother would not have died.” **33** Therefore, when Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her weeping, He groaned in the spirit and was troubled. **34** And He said, “Where have you laid him?” They said to Him, “Lord, come and see.” **35 Jesus wept.** **36** Then the Jews said, “See how He loved him!”

John 11:35

- He loved Lazarus v.3
- He delayed coming in order to raise him from the dead
- Though He knew He would raise Lazarus, He wept
- We can weep for loved ones even though we know they will rise again
- 1 Thessalonians 4:13
- Jesus suffers with us Luke 18:7

Luke 19:41-44

41 Now as He drew near, He saw the city and **wept over** it, **42** saying, “If you had known, even you, especially in this your day, the things that make for your peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes. **43** For days will come upon you when your enemies will build an embankment around you, surround you and close you in on every side, **44** and **level you, and your children within you, to the ground**; and they will not leave in you one stone upon another, because you **did not know** the time of your visitation.”

Luke 19:41-44

- **Jesus weeps for Jerusalem**
- **Weeps** for lost opportunity to be saved
- **Foretells** destruction of **Jerusalem**
- **Stronger word for weeping**
- **Stronger reason to be sorrowful**
- **We should mourn for sins**
- **Ours Matt. 5:4**
- **Others 2 Cor. 5:11-14**

Hebrews 5:7-9

5 Christ did not glorify Himself to become High Priest...**7** who, in the days of His flesh, when He **had offered up prayers and supplications, with vehement cries and tears to Him** who was able to save Him from death, and **was heard because of His godly fear, 8** though **He was Son**, yet **He learned obedience by the things which He suffered.**
9 And **having been perfected, He became the author of eternal salvation to all who obey Him**

Hebrews 5:7-9

- Stronger verb “**to cry out**”
- With adjective “**strong**” added to it
- The **prayer** at **Gethsemane**
- **Jesus was not a coward**
- **He knew He would bear our sins (take OUR punishment for OUR sins) Isaiah 53:6**
- **Mark 14:32-35**

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32 Then they came to a place which was named Gethsemane; and He said to His disciples, “Sit here while I pray.” **33** And He took Peter, James, and John with Him, and He began to **be troubled** and **deeply distressed**. **34** Then He said to them, “My soul is **exceedingly sorrowful, even to death**. Stay here and watch.”

35 He went a little farther, and fell on the ground, and prayed that if it were possible, the hour might pass from Him. **36** And He said, “**Abba, Father, all things are possible for You. Take this cup away from Me; nevertheless, not what I will, but what You will.**”

Hebrews 5:7-9

- *This cup* involved **more than** physical death **Isaiah 51:17** the cup of the LORD's fury; **Revelation 14:10** *cup of His indignation*

Revelation 14:9-11

9 Then a third angel followed them, saying with a loud voice, “If anyone worships the beast and his image, and receives his mark on **his forehead** or on **his hand**, **10** he himself **shall also drink** of **the wine of the wrath of God**, which is poured out full strength into **the cup of His indignation**. He shall be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb. **11** And the smoke of their torment ascends forever and ever; and they have no rest day or night, who worship the beast and his image, and whoever receives the mark of his name.”

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Matthew 22:20-23

20 Then the mother of Zebedee's sons came to Him with her sons, kneeling down and asking something from Him. **21** And He said to her, "What do you wish?" She said to Him, "Grant that **my two sons** may **sit, one on Your right hand** and the **other on Your left, in Your kingdom.**"

22 But Jesus told them, "You have no idea what you are getting yourselves into. **Are you ready to drink the cup that I am to drink,** and the baptism I am to be baptized?" (PJV)

Matthew 22:20-23

22 They told Him, “**We are able.**”

23 So Jesus said to them, “**You will indeed drink the cup that I am to drink, and the baptism I am baptized you will be baptized; but to sit on My right hand and on My left is not Mine to give, but it is for those for whom it is prepared by My Father.**” (PJV)

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- **On the cross, Jesus endured what we must endure** **in everlasting fire** **Matt.25:41**

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Acts 8:32-39

32 The place in the Scripture which he read was this: “He was led as a sheep to the slaughter; and as a lamb before its shearer is silent, so **He opened not His mouth.** **33** In His humiliation **His justice was taken away**, and who will declare His generation? For **His life is taken from the earth.**”

34 So the eunuch answered Philip and said, “I ask you, of whom does the prophet say this, of himself or of some other man?” **35** Then Philip opened his mouth, and **beginning at this Scripture, preached Jesus** to him.

Acts 8:30-39

36 Now as they went down the road, they came to **some water**. And the eunuch said, “See, here is **water**. What hinders **me** from **being baptized**?”

37 Then Philip said, “**If you believe with all your heart**, you may.” And he answered and **said**, “**I believe** that **Jesus Christ is the Son of God**.” **38** So he commanded the chariot to stand still. And **both Philip** and **the eunuch went down into the water**, and **he baptized him**. **39** Now when they came up out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord caught Philip away, so that **the eunuch** saw him no more; and he **went on his way rejoicing**.

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- **Rev. 21:4** no more weeping, no more **sorrow**

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