

OLD TESTAMENT BIBLICAL LITERACY

ISAIAH – Part Two

Lesson 40

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Background

- Class
- Isaiah
- 2004

The Call of Isaiah

- The Vision (Chapter 6):

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a throne, high and exalted, and the train of his robe filled the temple.

The Vision (Cont'd)

Above him were seraphs, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two wings they covered their feet, and with two wings they were flying. And they were calling to one another:

“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.”

At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke.

The Vision

- First Focus: Yahweh
- Second Focus: Seraphim
- Third Focus: Song
 - Song focus is: Yahweh, Hosts, Earth
- Fourth Focus: Surroundings

The Reaction

“Woe to me!” I cried. “I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty.” (6:5).

The Reaction

- First Focus: Self
- Second Focus: Others
- Third Focus: God
- True Moral Guilt

The Reaction

Then one of the seraphs flew to me with a coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. With it he touched my mouth and said, “See, this has touched your lips, your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for.”

The Reaction

- True Moral Guilt
- True Sacrifice
- True Atonement

The Commission

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying,
“Whom shall I send? And who will go for
us?” And I said, “Here am I. Send me!”

- With forgiveness, voice, purpose and direction.

The Results

- Isaiah 7:14
- Isaiah 9:1, 6-7

Points for Home

1. God Is Real
2. God Reigns In Majesty And Truth
3. We Should Behold Him
4. See God, Change Your Life
5. Atonement
6. Purpose