

An Overview of Isaiah  
Week 5 Isaiah 34-35  
The End is Near...Part 2

*“For the Lord is enraged against all the nations,  
and furious against all their host; he has devoted  
them to destruction, has given them over to  
slaughter.”*

Isaiah 34:2

**Main Point:** There are two choices:  
judgment or salvation.

**Point:** God has a message to all who  
oppose Him: everlasting wrath is coming.

“Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my  
recompense with me, to repay everyone for  
what he has done.”

Revelation 22:12

1. To trust in the nations is to trust in  
the glory of humanity.
  - a. What does Hope Church trust  
in?
  - b. What do *you* trust in?
2. Does my life have the features of a  
dry and deserted desert?
  - a. Am I trusting humanity for  
what only God can give?
  - b. Where am I going to be filled  
up?

**Point:** God has a message to all who trust in Him: everlasting joy is coming!

“The wilderness and the dry land shall be glad; the desert shall rejoice and blossom like the crocus; it shall blossom abundantly and rejoice with joy and singing...”

Isaiah 35:1-2

*What happens when we trust God?*

1. Growth (35:1)
2. Joy (35:2)
3. God receives glory (35:2)
4. Weak are made strong (35:3)
5. Anxious are calmed (35:4)
6. Healings (35:5-6)
7. Parched land becomes springs of water (35:7)

God has not delivered us from our sins so that we can simply sit and enjoy the benefits of a relationship with Him. He has delivered us from our sins so that we can participate in His life and character now and show a hurting and dying world joy and salvation.

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Next week: Isaiah 36-39 A History Lesson