

# Isaiah | Desolation and Deliverance

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## Isaiah 1

### The Book of Isaiah

Known as the “Fifth Gospel” and Romans of the OT

Most cited prophetic book in NT (1 out of 17 verses are quoted in NT)

### The Man Isaiah (v 1)

The meaning of Isaiah’s name: Yahweh is salvation

The Vision:

Prophet to Judah and Jerusalem (Zion) before exile to Babylon

Son of Amoz

Active during the reigns of four kings (739-686 BC)

Uzziah (2 Chronicles 26)

Jotham (2 Chronicles 27)

Ahaz (2 Chronicles 28)

Hezekiah (2 Chronicles 29-32)

## THE RETRIBUTION OF GOD

God is dealing with Israel as a judge presiding over a courtroom

### 1. The case against Judah (vv 1-2)

Judge

Witnesses

Prosecuting attorney

Charges

2. The condition of the nation (vv 2-15)

3. The cure for the problem (vv 16-20)

4. The corruption of the leaders (vv 21-23)

5. The coming judgment (vv 24-31)

## ***THE DELIVERANCE OF GOD***

God is dealing with Israel as a father would deal with a child

Emphasis on the state of the relationship

State of their heart:

State of their worship:

State of their future: restoration