

1. Have you ever said “yes” to something before knowing all the details? How did it turn out?
2. Read Matthew 9:35-38.
 - a. What do these verses reveal about Jesus’ heart for the lost and our role in reaching them?
3. Read Isaiah 6:1-4.
 - a. Who is Uzziah? How did his death affect the people of Judah? When you view the bleak outlook of our world today, what reminders of God’s sovereignty bring you hope?
 - b. What are the seraphim? What do the seraphim’s actions teach us about God’s holiness?
4. Read Isaiah 6:5.
 - a. Why does Isaiah respond with “Woe to me! I am ruined!” instead of excitement at seeing God? Why do you think Isaiah specifically mentions his “unclean lips”?
 - b. What part of your identity (skills, gifts, achievements) are you most tempted to take pride in? How does God’s holiness contrasted with our sinfulness put that in perspective?
5. Read Isaiah 6:6-7.
 - a. How is the seraph touching a coal to Isaiah’s lips a precursor to what Jesus does for us?
6. Read Isaiah 6:8.
 - a. Why should “Send me!” be the natural response from someone who is aware of the sinfulness in their life and also aware of God’s grace in their life?
 - b. Why do we often instead respond by saying, “Why me?” or “Not me!”?
 - c. In addition to overseas missions, what are some everyday ways we can “live sent”?
7. Read John 20:21.
 - a. How exactly was Jesus sent and how should we replicate that as his disciples?
8. Read Romans 10:14-15.
 - a. How does Paul build a case for the necessity of living sent here?
9. Looking ahead, what commitment (big or small) could you make today to prove your obedience to Jesus that says, “Here am I. Send me”?

Next Week: Mark 8:34-38



GOD SAID



I HEARD



I WILL