

Sunday Sermon | Calvary Chapel Waterford  
Isaiah 53 Sermon Outline Pastor Tom Zimbelman

***Theme: The Suffering Servant***

***Introduction***

- ***God reveals salvation through the Servant who comes in the flesh***
- ***Jesus is fully God and fully man according to Scripture***
- ***Isaiah unveils the Servant who accomplishes what sinners cannot***

***1. The Exalted and Disfigured Servant Isaiah 52:13–15***

- ***The Servant succeeds wisely in God's redemptive mission***
- ***He is exalted in glory yet disfigured through suffering***
- ***His blood sprinkles and cleanses many nations***

***2. The Rejected Man of Sorrows Isaiah 53:1–3***

- ***The message is proclaimed but largely unbelieved***
- ***The Servant comes humbly from spiritual barrenness***
- ***He is despised, rejected, and not esteemed***

***3. The Sinless One Who Bears Sin Isaiah 53:4–6***

- ***The Servant bears griefs and carries sorrows***
- ***He suffers not for His sins but for ours***
- ***The Lord lays on Him the iniquity of us all***

***4. The Silent Lamb Who Dies Innocent Isaiah 53:7–9***

- ***He submits silently to injustice and oppression***
- ***He is cut off from the land of the living***
- ***He dies with the wicked yet is buried with the rich***

• ***5. The Risen Servant Who Justifies Many Isaiah 53:10–12***

- ***The Servant becomes a sin offering by God's design***
- ***Death is defeated as He sees His offspring and prolongs His days***
- ***He justifies many by bearing their iniquities***

## Scripture Cross References

### Isaiah 53

**Philippians 2:6–8:** “Who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men. And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross.”

**John 12:41:** “These things Isaiah said when he saw His glory and spoke of Him.”

**John 12:37:** “But although He had done so many signs before them, they did not believe in Him.”

**Isaiah 11:1:** “There shall come forth a Rod from the stem of Jesse, And a Branch shall grow out of his roots.”

**2 Corinthians 5:21:** “For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.”

**Hebrews 9:14:** “How much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?”

**John 8:58:** “Most assuredly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I AM.”