- I. The Reason Jesus Died (6)
  - A. Our blind wanderings (6a) "All we like sheep have gone astray;" Incidental
  - B. Our rebellious hearts (6b) "...we have turned every one to his own way;" Intentional
  - C. Our inescapable depravity (6c) "...and the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all."
- II. The Way Jesus Died (7-9)
  - A. He suffered in silence (7) "He was oppressed, and He was afflicted, <u>yet He opened not his mouth;</u> like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is <u>silent</u>, so <u>He opened not His mouth."</u>
  - B. He suffered rejection (8) "By oppression and judgment He was taken away; and as for His generation, who considered that He was cut off out of the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people?"
  - C. He suffered injustice (9) "And they made His grave with the wicked and with a rich man in His death, although He had done no violence, and there was no deceit in His mouth."
- III. The Effect of Jesus Dying (10-11)
  - A. Sacrificial death (10) "Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush Him; He has put Him to grief; when His soul makes an offering for guilt, He shall see His offspring; He shall prolong His days; the will of the LORD shall prosper in His hand."
  - B. Perfect atonement (11) "Out of the anguish of His soul <u>He shall see and be satisfied</u>; by His knowledge <u>shall the righteous one, my servant, make many to be accounted righteous, and He shall bear their iniquities."</u>
- **IV.** The Treasure from Jesus Dying (12)
  - A. His inheritance for us (12a) "Therefore I will divide Him a portion with the many, and He shall divide the spoil with the strong..."
  - B. His identifying with us (12b) "...because He poured out His soul to death <u>and was numbered with</u> the transgressors;"
  - C. His intercession for us (12c) "...yet <u>He bore the sin of many</u>, and <u>makes intercession for the transgressors."</u>