

"...prophesied about the grace that was to be yours...they searched and inquired carefully, inquiring what person or time the Spirit of Christ in them was indicating when he predicted the sufferings of Christ and the subsequent glories. It was revealed to them that they were not serving themselves but you..." – 1 Peter 1:10-12

"By the waters of Babylon, there we sat down and wept, when we remembered Zion. On the willows there we hung our lyres. For there our captors required of us songs, and our tormentors, mirth, saying, 'Sing us one of the songs of Zion.' How shall we sing the Lord's song in a foreign land?" – Psalm 137:1-4

"The Hebrew term includes more than the English word. It embraces putting into effect all of God's purposes." – D.A. Carson

"Everyone is now in the business of relentless self-promotion as never before in human history...and always, our leading product is us." – Os Guinness

"Already the element of suffering in the servant's experience, which finds fuller and fuller expression till it achieves dominance in the fourth song (52:13-53:12) is gently suggested in verse 4."

- Geoffrey Grogan