

The Silk Road

A path for God's love

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Roadmaking in a wilderness

A voice of one calling:
“In the wilderness prepare
the way for the LORD;
make straight in the desert
a highway for our God.

⁴ Every valley shall be raised up,
every mountain and hill made low;
the rough ground shall become level,
the rugged places a plain.

⁵ And the glory of the LORD will be revealed,
and all people will see it together.
For the mouth of the LORD has spoken.”

Isaiah 40:3-5 NIV

The seat of trouble & a path to life



R & I - Where there is no road - SRPs

“Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God...” KJV

Goal: a joyous liberation celebration by the victorious King – Rev. 7:9

Way makers – John the Baptist – Apostles – **Good News** workers

From the **Garden of Eden** to the **City of God**

Thru – “**Gates** of Hell” Mt 16:18

Gospel unlocks Mt 16:19

“The **graveyard** of empires” “**graveyard** of the **Gospel**”?

Graveside Gospel

*"make straight in the desert, a highway for our God.
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Leveling the proud so they can see



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Lifting up the low

Scripture moves mountains



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Rugged places become plain... over time



*“And the glory of the LORD **will be revealed**, and **all people will see it together**.
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All people will see it IF we do it together!

“love your enemies” I TOO once was an enemy of God! Rom 5:10

“fall in love with the problem/challenge” “I wonder why they do that, say that, think that?”

- 1. Pray:** workers, trails & paths to be found & worshippers in SRP languages
- 2. Give:** time, energy, funds
- 3. Send/receive:** Great sending Church! Send well, receive well, listen & learn
- 4. Welcome:** those whom God brought to us – most difficult areas
- 5. Go:** Trail makers – apostolic calling workers of ALL types in God’s team

“...let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven”

Mt 5:16 NIV

*“The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Messiah, and he will reign for
ever and ever.”* Rev 11:15 NIV