

THE CHOSEN
To Be Called
Isaiah 6:1-8
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What is your purpose in life?

Clip #1: Mary as a little girl “saying the words” of Isaiah 43:1 with her father

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple. 2 Above him were seraphim, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. 3 And they were calling to one another:

*“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty;
the whole earth is full of his glory.”*

4 At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke. 5 “Woe to me!” I cried. “I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the Lord Almighty.” 6 Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. 7 With it he touched my mouth and said, “See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for.” 8 Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I. Send me!”
Isaiah 6”1-8 NIV

WE HAVE ALL SINNED

Isaiah’s position as a prophet carried no weight in the presence of God.

Avoid the temptation of comparing yourself with someone else.

Clip #2: Mary grows up and is assaulted.

GOD PURSUES US

God calls us because of what He knows we can become in Him.

While we were still enemies, Christ died for us.

IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD OUR SIN IS EXPOSED

When Isaiah enters the throne room there are no excuses.

Clip #3: Mary despairs and considers suicide.
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WE ALWAYS HAVE A CHOICE

Believing there is no choice is the lie.

When we confess our sin, He will clean us up.

7 With it he touched my mouth and said, “See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for.”
Isaiah 6:7 NIV

Once Isaiah accepts the forgiveness of his sin he is ready to hear God’s call to ministry.

Clip #4: Jesus calls Mary by Name.

Each of us are loved by God.
God is calling each of us to follow Him.