

The Wrong Standard

Proverbs 22:28 Remove not the ancient landmark, which thy fathers have set.

Isaiah 11:10

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The Millennial Kingdom Foretold

Isaiah 11-12

K. Millennial Kingdom (Isaiah 11–12)

Isaiah 11:1-16

1. A Description of The **Leader** (Isaiah 11:1-5)

a. The Rod and Branch (**Humanity becomes Diety**) (Isaiah 11:1)

1 And there shall come forth a rod (**kho'-tera twig**) out of the stem of **Jesse**, and a Branch (**a shoot or a descendant**) shall grow out of his roots:

- 1) A Rod - **twig (Humanity)**
- 2) The Branch - **a shoot or a descendant (Diety)**

“We are a **branch** trying to be like **The Branch!**”

b. The Spirit of the **Lord**

2a And the spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him,

1) Wisdom and **Understanding** (Isaiah 11:2b)
2b the spirit of wisdom (**skillful**) and understanding,

2) **Counsel** and Might (Isaiah 11:2b)
2c the spirit of counsel (advice; **a plan**) and might (force; **victory**),

3) Knowledge and **Fear** (Isaiah 11:2c)
2d the spirit of knowledge and of the fear (**reverence**) of the LORD;

c. His form of Judgment **Righteousness and Faithfulness** (Isaiah 11:2d-5)

2. A Description of the **Land** (Isaiah 11:6-9-11)

a. The Nature of **wildlife** will be changed (Isaiah 11:6-9)

6 The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and **a little child shall lead them.**

7 And the cow and the bear shall feed; their young ones shall lie down together: and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.

8 And the **sucking child shall play on the hole of the asp**, and the **weaned child shall put his hand on the cockatrice' (a viper) den.**

9 They shall not hurt nor destroy in all my holy mountain: for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the LORD, as the waters cover the sea.

b. The Nature of **Humanity** will be changed (Isaiah 11:10-11)

10 And in that day **there shall be a root of Jesse (Jesus)**, which shall stand for an **ensign (flag or signal)** of the

people; to it shall **the Gentiles seek**(Church): and **his rest shall be glorious**.

11 And it shall come to pass in that day, *that* the Lord shall set his hand again the second time **to recover the remnant of his people, which shall be left, from Assyria, and from Egypt, and from Pathros, and from Cush, and from Elam, and from Shinar, and from Hamath, and from the islands of the sea.**

3. A Description of **Spirituality** will be changed (Isaiah 11:12-Isaiah 12:6)

a.The Nature of **Israel** will be changed - Israel will get along with **Israel** (Isaiah 11:12-14)

b.The Nature of Israel's **enemies** will be changed - They're **gone!** (Isaiah 11:15-16)

c.The Nature of Israel's **Love** will be changed - **Israel will love God and His Son Jesus)**

Isaiah 12:1-6

1 And in that day thou(**Israel**) shalt say, O LORD, I will praise thee: though thou wast angry with me, **thine anger is turned away, and thou comfortedst me.**

2 Behold, **God is my salvation**; I will trust, and not be afraid: for the LORD JEHOVAH *is* my strength and *my* song; he also is become my salvation.

3 Therefore with joy shall ye **draw water out of the wells of salvation.**

4 And in that day shall ye say, Praise the LORD, **call upon his name**, declare his doings among the people, make mention that **his name is exalted.**

5 Sing unto the LORD; for he hath done excellent things: **this is known in all the earth.**

6 Cry out and shout, thou inhabitant of Zion: for **great is the Holy One of Israel in the midst of thee.**

Why Israel got into trouble!

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- II. She didn't realize the her land was connected with the acceptance of her Leader - **Immanuel, God with us!**
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Why Christians are afraid that America is gonna get into trouble with God!

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