

## The Sanctity of The Savior part 2

Isaiah 52:13 - 53:15

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**Acts 8:26** But an angel of the Lord spoke to Philip saying, "Arise and go south to the road that descends from Jerusalem to Gaza." (This is a desert *road*.)

- <sup>27</sup> And he arose and went; and behold, there was an Ethiopian eunuch, a court official of Candace, queen of the Ethiopians, who was in charge of all her treasure; and he had come to Jerusalem to worship.
- <sup>28</sup> And he was returning and sitting in his chariot, and was reading the prophet Isaiah.
- <sup>29</sup> And the Spirit said to Philip, "Go up and join this chariot."
- <sup>30</sup> And when Philip had run up, he heard him reading Isaiah the prophet, and said, "Do you understand what you are reading?"
- <sup>31</sup> And he said, "Well, how could I, unless someone guides me?" And he invited Philip to come up and sit with him.
- <sup>32</sup> Now the passage of Scripture which he was reading was this:

"He was led as a sheep to slaughter;

And as a lamb before its shearer is silent,

So He does not open His mouth.

<sup>33</sup> "In humiliation His judgment was taken away;

Who shall relate His generation?

For His life is removed from the earth."

- <sup>34</sup> And the eunuch answered Philip and said, "Please *tell me*, of whom does the prophet say this? Of himself, or of someone else?"
- <sup>35</sup> And Philip opened his mouth, and beginning from this Scripture he preached Jesus to him.
- <sup>36</sup> And as they went along the road they came to some water; and the eunuch said, "Look! Water! What prevents me from being baptized?"
- <sup>37</sup> And Philip said, "If you believe with all your heart, you may." And he answered and said, "I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God."
- <sup>38</sup> And he ordered the chariot to stop; and they both went down into the water, Philip as well as the eunuch; and he baptized him.

Isaiah 52:13 Behold, My servant will prosper,

He will be high and lifted up, and greatly exalted.

<sup>14</sup> Just as many were astonished at you, *My people*,

So His appearance was marred more than any man,

And His form more than the sons of men.

<sup>15</sup> Thus He will sprinkle many nations,

Kings will shut their mouths on account of Him;

For what had not been told them they will see,

And what they had not heard they will understand.

## **53:1** Who has believed our message?

And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed?

<sup>2</sup> For He grew up before Him like a tender shoot,

And like a root out of parched ground;

He has no stately form or majesty That we should look upon Him,

Nor appearance that we should be attracted to Him.

<sup>3</sup> He was despised and forsaken of men,

A man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief;

And like one from whom men hide their face,

He was despised, and we did not esteem Him.

<sup>4</sup> Surely our griefs He Himself bore,

And our sorrows He carried;

Yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken,

Smitten of God, and afflicted.

<sup>5</sup> But He was pierced through for our transgressions,

He was crushed for our iniquities;

The chastening for our well-being *fell* upon Him,

And by His scourging we are healed.

<sup>6</sup> All of us like sheep have gone astray,

Each of us has turned to his own way;

But the LORD has caused the iniquity of us all To fall on Him.

<sup>7</sup> He was oppressed and He was afflicted,

Yet He did not open His mouth;

Like a lamb that is led to slaughter,

And like a sheep that is silent before its shearers,

So He did not open His mouth.

<sup>8</sup> 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,

For the transgression of my people to whom the stroke was due?

<sup>9</sup> His grave was assigned with wicked men,

Yet He was with a rich man in His death.

Because He had done no violence,

Nor was there any deceit in His mouth.

<sup>10</sup> But the LORD was pleased To crush Him, putting *Him* to grief;

If He would render Himself as a guilt offering,

He will see His offspring,

He will prolong His days,

And the good pleasure of the LORD will prosper in His hand.

<sup>11</sup> As a result of the anguish of His soul, He will see *it* and be satisfied;

By His knowledge the Righteous One, My Servant, will justify the many,

As He will bear their iniquities.

<sup>12</sup> Therefore, I will allot Him a portion with the great,

And He will divide the booty with the strong;

Because He poured out Himself to death,

And was numbered with the transgressors;

Yet He Himself bore the sin of many,

And interceded for the transgressors.