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### Isaiah Chapters 7-12

#### The Prophecies concerning the Messiah

#### Isaiah 7:1-9

#### The Impending Attack by Syria and Ephraim

Isaiah 7:1-2

The Confederacy between Syria and Israel

**1 And it will be in the days of Ahaz: the son of Jotham, the son of Uzziah, king of Judah, Rezin the king of Syria, and Pekah the son of Remaliah, king of Israel, went up to Jerusalem to make war against it, but was not able to fight against it.**

**2 And it was reported to the house of David, saying, Syria has relied upon Ephraim, and his heart and the heart of his people shook like the shaking of the trees of the forest from the wind.**

Isaiah 7:3-9

The Comfort for Ahaz

**3 And Yahweh said to Isaiah, Go now to meet Ahaz, you and your son Shear-jashub, at the end of the conduit of the upper pool, to the highway of the field of the fuller.**

**4 And you will say to him, Be on guard and be calm. Do not fear and do not let your heart faint because of the two tails of these smoking firebrands, in the fierce anger of Rezin and Syria, and of the son of Remaliah, saying**

**5 Because Syria, Ephraim, and the son of Remaliah have plotted evil *things* against you, saying,**

**6 Let us go up against Judah and let us terrify it, and break into it for ourselves, and let us bring to power a king in her midst, the son of Tabeal.**

**7 In this way said the Lord Yahweh, It will not rise, nor will it happen.**

**8 Because the head of Syria *is* Damascus, and the head of Damascus *is* Rezin; and within sixty-five years Ephraim will be broken from *being* a people.**

**9 And the head of Ephraim *is* Samaria, and the head of Samaria the Son of Remaliah. If you will not believe, then you will not remain.**

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#### **Isaiah 7:10-16**

##### **The Invitation of God to Ahaz**

Isaiah 7:10-12

The Challenge for a Sign

**10 And Yahweh continued to speak to Ahaz, saying,**

**11 Ask a sign for yourself from Yahweh your God; make *it* deep unto Sheol, or make *it* high above.**

**12 But Ahaz said, I will not ask, nor will I test Yahweh.**

Isaiah 7:13-16

The Confirmation by a Sign

**13 And He said, Hear now, O house of David, is *it* a small thing for you to weary men, that you will also weary my God?**

**14 Therefore, The Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold! The virgin *will be* pregnant and will be giving birth to a son; and she will call His name Immanuel.**

**15 He will eat curds and honey until He knows rejecting the evil *thing* and choosing the good *thing*.**

**16 Because before the boy shall know rejecting the evil and choosing the good *thing*, the land which you dread will be forsaken before the two of its kings.**

#### **Isaiah 7:17-25**

##### **The Invasion of Judah by Assyria**

Isaiah 7:17

The Condemnation of Judah

**17 Yahweh will bring upon you the king of Assyria, and upon your people, and upon the house of your father, which days have not come since the day of the departing of Ephraim from Judah.**

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Isaiah 7:18-19

#### The Calling against Judah

**18 And it shall be in that day Yahweh will whistle for the fly which *is* in the end of the rivers of Egypt, and for the bee *which is* in the land of Assyria.**

**19 And they will come, and they will all rest in the steep ravines, and in the clefts of the rocks, and in all the thorn-bushes, and in all the pastures.**

Isaiah 7:20

#### The Condition of Judah

**20 In that day the Lord will shave with a razor of the hired on the other side of the River, with the king of Assyria, the head, and the hair of the feet, and also the beard it shall sweep away.**

Isaiah 7:21-22

#### The Conduct of Judah

**21 And it will be in that day, a man will keep alive a young cow of the herd, and two sheep.**

**22 And it will be, he will eat curds from the abundance of making of milk; because everyone who is left in the midst of the land will eat curds and honey.**

Isaiah 7:23-25

#### The Change of Judah

**23 And it shall be in that day, every place where there is a thousand vines *worth* a thousand *pieces* of silver, *it* will become for thorn bushes and it will become for weeds.**

**24 In arrows and in the bow, he will come there; because all the land will become thorn bushes and weeds.**

**25 And all the hills which were hoed with the hoe, you will not come there *for* fear of thorn bushes and weeds; and it shall be for pasture of oxen, and for trampling of the goats.**