

The Resurrected Servant

Text: He will see His offspring; He will prolong His days, and the good pleasure of the LORD will prosper in His hand. (Isaiah 53:10)

Intro:

I. The Servant

Who?

Why?

Who again?

His punishment

His arrest, trial, execution

II. God's Plan

But the LORD was pleased to crush Him, putting Him to grief;

Men of Israel, listen to these words: Jesus the Nazarene, a man attested to you by God with miracles and wonders and signs which God performed through Him in your midst, just as you yourselves know--this Man, delivered over by the predetermined plan and foreknowledge of God, you nailed to a cross by the hands of godless men and put Him to death. (Acts 2:22-23)

If He would render Himself as a guilt offering,

So it shall be when he becomes guilty in one of these, that he shall confess that in which he has sinned. He shall also bring his guilt offering to the LORD for his sin which he has committed, a female from the flock, a lamb or a goat as a sin offering. So the priest shall make atonement on his behalf for his sin. (Leviticus 5:5-6)

He will see His offspring, He will prolong His days,

The LORD said to Abram, after Lot had separated from him, "Now lift up your eyes and look from the place where you are, northward and southward and eastward and westward; for all the land which you see, I will give it to you and to your descendants [seed] forever. I will make your descendants [seed] as the dust of the earth, so that if anyone can number the dust of the earth, then your descendants can also be numbered. (Genesis 13:14-16)

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

I serve a risen Savior
He's in the world today.
I know that He is living,
Whatever men may say.
I see His hand of mercy;
I hear His voice of cheer;
And just the time I need Him
He's always near.
*He lives, He lives, Christ Jesus
lives today!*

Application 1: God's Eternal Decree

Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! (1 John 3:1)

Application 2: In Exile

Oh afflicted one, storm-tossed, and not comforted, behold, I will set your stones in antimony, and your foundations I will lay in sapphires! (Isaiah 54:11)

Application 3: The Servant Looking Back