



**THESE PEOPLE HONOR
ME WITH THEIR LIPS,
BUT**

**THEIR
HEARTS**

**ARE
FAR FROM ME.**

Matthew 15:8

Isaiah 53:4-5

4 Surely our griefs He Himself bore, and our sorrows He carried; yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.

5 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.

Isaiah Outline

The Book of Judgment - Chapters 1-39

The LORD's Indictment of Judah	1-6
The Hope of the Messiah in Assyrian Oppression	7-12
Prophecies Concerning the Heathen Nations	13-23
Prophecies Concerning the Finale	24-27
The Five Woes and Two Final Outcomes	28-35
Historical Interlude	36-39

The Book of Salvation - Chapters 40-66

Deliverance of the LORD's People	40-48
Restoration by the Suffering Servant	49-57
Restoration Realized and Completed	58-66



URARTU

Territory at beginning of Tiglath-pileser III's reign in 745 BC

Maximum extent under Sargon II (714)

HITTITES

Carchemish

Haran

ASSYRIA

Nineveh

Ashur

Tigris River

ARAM

Harmath

Euphrates River

MEDES

anean Sea

PHOENECIA

Byblos

Tyre

Damascus

SYRIA

ARABU (ARABS)

BABYLON

Babylon

SU

ELAM

PHILISTIA

Samaria

KEDAR

Ashkelon

Jerusalem

Raphia

Lachish

JUDAH

Conquered by Sennacherib in 701 BC

On

Elath

EGYPT

Pe

Assyrian Empire

in Isaiah's Time (745-701 BC)
under Tiglath-pileser, Sargon, and Sennacherib

Theme Statement

The Lord is against those who honor Him with their lips but whose hearts are far from Him and will execute both temporal and eternal judgment upon them. Also the Lord will turn upside down those who exalt man in place of God and will accomplish all of His purposes and all of His promises.

Beware of Empty Religion
Isaiah 29:1-14

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

v. 13 - “BECAUSE this people draw near with their words and honor Me with their lip service, but they remove their hearts far from Me, and their reverence for Me consists of traditions learned by rote”

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

v. 13 - “BECAUSE this people draw near with their words and honor Me with their lip service, but they remove their hearts far from Me, and their reverence for Me consists of traditions learned by rote”

Matthew 15:7-9 - “You hypocrites, rightly did Isaiah prophesy of you: ‘THIS PEOPLE HONORS ME WITH THEIR LIPS, BUT THEIR HEART IS FAR AWAY FROM ME. BUT IN VAIN DO THEY WORSHIP ME, TEACHING AS DOCTRINES THE PRECEPTS OF MEN.’ ”

Beware of Empty Religion
Isaiah 29:1-14

Beware of Empty Religion
Isaiah 29:1-14

Beware of Empty Religion
Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4



Beware of Empty Religion Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4



Beware of Empty Religion
Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8

Isaiah 10:3 - Now what will you do in the day of **punishment**, and in the devastation which will come from afar? To whom will you flee for help? And where will you leave your wealth?

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8

Isaiah 10:3 - Now what will you do in the day of **punishment**, and in the devastation which will come from afar? To whom will you flee for help? And where will you leave your wealth?

Isaiah 29:6 - From the LORD of hosts you will be **punished** with thunder and earthquake and loud noise, with whirlwind and tempest and the flame of a consuming fire.

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8
3. The Lord will remove His Word from you - v. 9-12

Beware of Empty Religion Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8
3. The Lord will remove His Word from you - v. 9-12

Isaiah 6:9-12

He said, "Go, and tell this people: 'keep on listening, but do not perceive; keep on looking, but do not understand.' Render the hearts of this people insensitive, their ears dull, and their eyes dim, otherwise they might see with their eyes, hear with their ears, understand with their hearts, and return and be healed."

Beware of Empty Religion Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8
3. The Lord will remove His Word from you - v. 9-12

Matthew 13:13-15

“Therefore I speak to them in parables; because while seeing they do not see, and while hearing they do not hear, nor do they understand. In their case the prophecy of Isaiah is being fulfilled, which says, ‘YOU WILL KEEP ON HEARING, BUT WILL NOT UNDERSTAND; YOU WILL KEEP ON SEEING, BUT WILL NOT PERCEIVE.....’”

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8
3. The Lord will remove His Word from you - v. 9-12

Romans 11:7-8

What then? What Israel is seeking, it has not obtained, but those who were chosen obtained it, and the rest were hardened; just as it is written, "GOD GAVE THEM A SPIRIT OF STUPOR, EYES TO SEE NOT AND EARS TO HEAR NOT, DOWN TO THIS VERY DAY."

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8
3. The Lord will remove His Word from you - v. 9-12

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8
3. The Lord will remove His Word from you - v. 9-12

Matthew 13:16-17

“But blessed are your eyes, because they see; and your ears, because they hear. For truly I say to you that many prophets and righteous men desired to see what you see, and did not see it, and to hear what you hear, and did not hear it.”

Beware of Empty Religion

Isaiah 29:1-14

1. The Lord will be against you - v. 1-4
2. The Lord will punish you - v. 5-8
3. The Lord will remove His Word from you - v. 9-12
4. The Lord will remove reason from you - v. 13-14

Beware of Humanism
Isaiah 29:15-24

Beware of Humanism
Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16

Beware of Humanism

Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16

Psalm 139:7-10

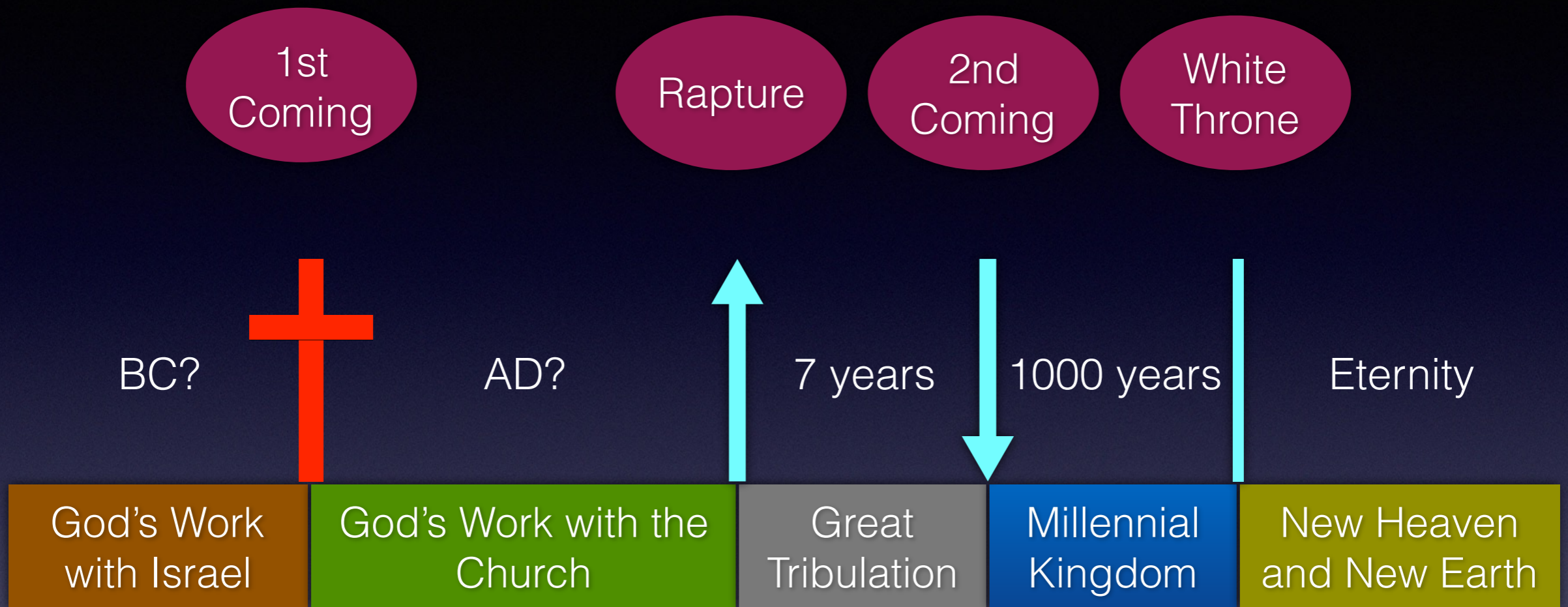
Where can I go from Your Spirit? Or where can I flee from Your presence? If I ascend to heaven, You are there; If I make my bed in Sheol, behold, You are there. If I take the wings of the dawn, if I dwell in the remotest part of the sea, even there Your hand will lead me, and Your right hand will lay hold of me.

Beware of Humanism
Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16

Beware of Humanism
Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16
2. The Lord will demonstrate His Sovereignty - v. 17-21



Beware of Humanism
Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16
2. The Lord will demonstrate His Sovereignty - v. 17-21

Beware of Humanism

Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16
2. The Lord will demonstrate His Sovereignty - v. 17-21

Romans 11:26-27

and so all Israel will be saved; just as it is written, "THE DELIVERER WILL COME FROM ZION, HE WILL REMOVE UNGODLINESS FROM JACOB. THIS IS MY COVENANT WITH THEM, WHEN I TAKE AWAY THEIR SINS."

Beware of Humanism
Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16
2. The Lord will demonstrate His Sovereignty - v. 17-21

Beware of Humanism
Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16
2. The Lord will demonstrate His Sovereignty - v. 17-21

Beware of Humanism
Isaiah 29:15-24

1. The Lord will demonstrate His Supremacy - v. 15-16
2. The Lord will demonstrate His Sovereignty - v. 17-21
3. The Lord will accomplish His Purposes - v. 22-24