



HE IS PRINCE OF PEACE

Isaiah 9:6

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1. Look _____ (v.6)

Isaiah 9:1-7

1 But there will be no gloom for her who was in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he has made glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. 2 The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone. 3 You have multiplied the nation; you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as they are glad when they divide the spoil. 4 For the yoke of his burden, and the staff for his shoulder, the rod of his oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian. 5 For every boot of the tramping warrior in battle tumult and every garment rolled in blood will be burned as fuel for the fire. 6 For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. 7 Of the increase of his government and of peace there will be no end, on the throne of David and over his kingdom, to establish it and to uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time forth and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this. (ESV)

2. Recall _____ (v.6)

2. Turn _____ (v.6)

Application Questions

These questions are provided for your further study and application of today's sermon. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point of today's study. It is also helpful when you are able to discuss your answers with others. For more information about LifeGroups at Compass Bible Church that utilize these questions as the basis for their weekly discussion, please visit compasshillcountry.org/lifegroups or email us at info@compasshillcountry.org.

1. What stood out to you the most in this week's sermon?
2. Read Micah 4:1–5. How does looking forward to the peace-filled reign of Jesus on Earth help you maintain a Biblical Worldview concerning current events?
3. Read Isaiah 11:6-10. What feelings does this scripture evoke in your heart? How can those positive feelings aid in your recall of Jesus' ultimate authority over all creation, even when the full manifestation of His authority is temporarily delayed?

*This Week's
Bible Reading Schedule*

December 25th
Haggai 1-2 & Revelation 16

December 26th
Zechariah 1-3 & Revelation 17

December 27th
Zechariah 4-6 & Revelation 18

December 28th
Zechariah 7-9 & Revelation 19

December 29th
Zechariah 10-12 & Rev 20

December 30th
Zechariah 13-14 & Rev 21

December 31st
Malachi 1-4 & Rev 22

January 1st
Genesis 1-2 & Matthew 1

4. Read Ephesians 2:13–14. What does this scripture convey as our ultimate reason for a lack of peace? How did the birth of Christ bring the answer to our lack of peace?

This Week's Memory Verse

Revelation 21:14 (ESV)
4 He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away."

5. Read Philippians 4:4–8. Even as Christians, whose ultimate peace with God is settled, we have times when we lack the reflection of peace in our lives. How do these verses in Philippians teach us to take God's wisdom and apply it through the power of the Spirit in our lives?