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Isaiah 11:1-10



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Background

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Structure

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Application

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Conclusion



01

BACKGROUND

Northern Kingdom - Under **Captivity**

Kingdom of **Judah** - Middle of **Idolatry** and evil

Kingdom of **Assyria** - Dominated and posed threat

Kingdom of **Babylon** - Gaining Power

What is the **expectation** of Judah People at this time?



Hope



02 Structure of Isaiah 11:1-10



Hope

Isaiah 11 : 1,10



Spirit

Isaiah 11:2



Character

Isaiah 11: 3- 5



Reign

Isaiah 11: 6 - 9



Hope

There shall come forth a **shoot** from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from his roots shall **bear fruit**.

In that day the root of Jesse, who shall stand as a **signal for the peoples**—of him shall the nations inquire, and his **resting place shall be glorious**.



Isaiah 11: 1 , 10



Spirit

And the Spirit of the Lord shall **rest** upon him,
the Spirit of **wisdom** and **understanding**,
the Spirit of **counsel** and **might**,
the Spirit of **knowledge** and **the fear of the**
Lord.



Isaiah 11: 2



Character

And his **delight** shall be in the **fear of the Lord**. He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide disputes by what his ears hear, but with **righteousness** he shall **judge** the poor, and decide with **equity** for the meek of the earth; and he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked. **Righteousness** shall be the belt of his waist, and **faithfulness** the belt of his loins.

Isaiah 11: 3-5



Reign

The **wolf** shall dwell with the **lamb**, and the **leopard** shall lie down with the **young goat**, and the **calf** and the **lion** and the fattened calf together; and a little **child** shall **LEAD** them. The **cow** and the **bear** shall graze; their young shall lie down together; and the lion shall eat straw like the ox. The **nursing child** shall play over the hole of the **cobra**, and the **weaned child** shall put his hand on the **adder's** den.

Isaiah 11: 6-8



Reign



They shall **not hurt or destroy** in all my holy mountain; for the earth shall be **full of the knowledge of the Lord** as the waters cover the sea.



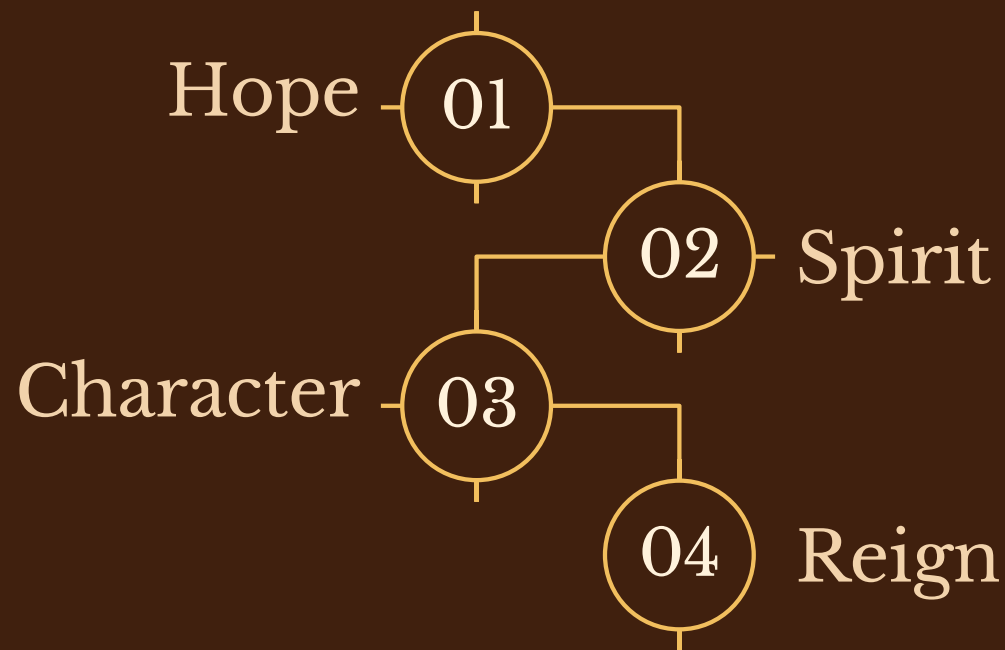
Isaiah 11: 9



What do we do
while we wait?



03 Application -Process





03

Application

Hope in Christ

- Believe
- Bear Fruit
- Signal for people
- Long for His glorious resting place

Holy Spirit

- Wisdom
- Understanding
- Counsel
- Might
- Knowledge
- The fear of the Lord

Character

- Delight in the fear of the Lord
- Do not Judge by what you see or hear
- Equity
- Righteousness
- Faithfulness



03

Application

Predator

- Wolf
- Leopard
- Lion
- Bear
- Cobra
- Adder

Prey

- Lamb
- Goat(young)
- Calf(fattened)
- Cow
- Nursing child
- Weaned child

Reign

- Full of the knowledge of the Lord
- Not hurt
- Not destroy



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CONCLUSION S

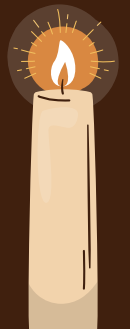
- Do not Judge by what you see or hear
- Equity
- Have **Hope** in Christ
- Let Holy **Spirit** rest on you
- Build **Character** with Holy Spirit's help
- Be full of the knowledge of the Lord





“ ...the kingdom of God is within you
[in your hearts] *and* among you
[surrounding you]. ”

— Jesus Christ (Luke 17:21b)





Hope-Character- Spirit-Reign

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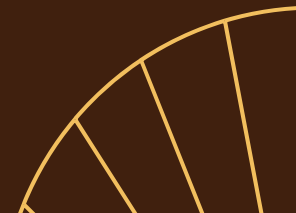
* In Continuity with John the Baptist

Mat 3:1-3 In those days John the Baptist came preaching in the wilderness of Judea. "Repent for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

For this is he who was spoken of by the prophet Isaiah when he said, "The voice of one crying in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord; make his paths straight"



PROPHET → DIVINE EVENT →



* In Continuity with John the Baptist

Mat 3:5-6

Then Jerusalem and
all Judea and all the
region about the
Jordan were going
out to him,

and they were
baptized by him in the
Jordan River,
confessing their sins.



* In Continuity with John the Baptist

“I baptize you with water for repentance, but he who is coming after me is mightier than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.

His winnowing fork is in his hand and he will clear his threshing floor and gather the wheat into the barn, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.”

Mat 3: 11-12



DIVINE EVENT → WITNESS



PROPHET → DIVINE EVENT → WITNESS



PROPHET → DIVINE EVENT → WITNESS



**John foresaw the coming of Jesus
and told everyone that he could
– Jesus came –**

**We have experienced the reality of
Jesus and must tell others**





IDENTIFICATION WITH JESUS



Let each of us please his neighbor for his good, to build him up. For Christ did not please himself, but as it is written, 'The reproaches of those who reproached you fell on me.' For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that through endurance and through the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope.



Romans 15:2-4




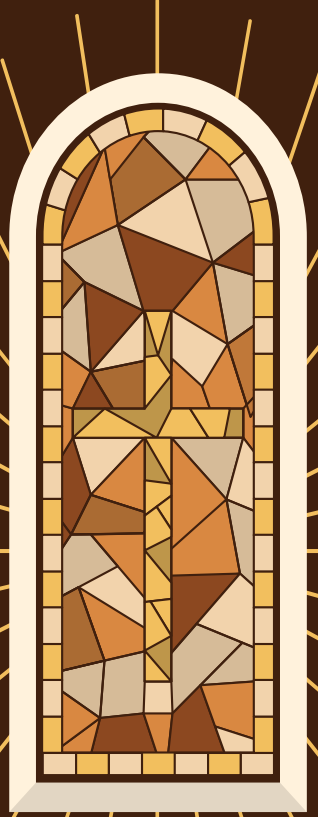
May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.



Romans 15:5-7







Witness, in continuity
with John the Baptist

Matthew 3

Welcome, in
identification with
Jesus

Romans 15



HOPE





Romans 15:13

May the God of HOPE
fill you with all Joy and
Peace in believing, so
that by the power of
the Holy Spirit you may
abound in HOPE







Hope



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