

Lesson 11: Isaiah 26-27

Questions

1. What is the song about that is sung in Judah (26:1-5)?

The city (v. 1-2)?

The trusting ones (v. 3-4)?

The proud ones (v. 5)?

The poor and needy ones (v. 6)?

The just ones (v. 7)?

2. Who do the righteous wait for, desire, and earnestly seek (26:8-9)?

3. What do the wicked do and what happens to them (26:10-11)?

4. What does the Lord do for the righteous (26:12)?

5. How are the "other lords" (KJV) compared to the one, true Lord (26:13-14)?

6. What does the Lord do to the nation of Judah (26:15)?

7. What happens to the righteous and how do they respond (26:16-18)?

8. What do the righteous dead do (26:19)?

9. What are God's people counseled to do and why (26:20-21)?
10. What does the Lord do to leviathan (27:1)?
11. What does the Lord do in his new vineyard (27:2-5)?
12. What happens to Jacob and Israel in days to come (27:6)?
13. What does the Lord do to the children of Israel and what do they do to their idols (27:7-9)?
14. What happens to Jerusalem and why does it happen (27:10-11)?
15. What does the Lord do to the children of Israel in days to come and what do they do to the Lord (27:12-13)?

Digging Deeper

1. Who are "the other lords besides thee" (KJV) in Isaiah 26:13?
2. Who are the dead who live, arise, and sing (26:19)?
3. What is "leviathan" and what does it represent (27:1)?
4. What are the "groves and images" (KJV) in Isaiah 27:9?

Applications for Today

1. The Lord's people have much to sing about and be happy (26:1-6; Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16; Jas. 5:13).
2. The righteous wait for the Lord, desire him, and earnestly seek him (26:8-9; Psa. 69:6; Lam. 3:25).
3. When the Lord's judgments are in the earth the people learn righteousness (26:9; 2 Tim. 3:16).
4. When the righteous experience trouble and pain they need to turn to the Lord in prayer (26:16-18; Jas. 5:13).
5. The Lord punishes the inhabitants of the earth for their iniquity (26:21; Mt. 13:41).
6. The people of the Lord's vineyard fill the face of the world with fruit (27:6; Col. 1:6, 10).
7. Sometimes the Lord's people are "a people of no understanding" because they forget their Lord and do not obey him (27:11; Lk. 6:46).
8. The Lord's children should gather together to worship the Lord in his holy mountain, the church (27:13; Jn. 4:20-24; Heb. 12:22-28).