The Heritage of the Servants of the Lord

- I. Everyone who believes in Jesus and what He did for them on the cross receives a marvelous heritage. Your Maker is also your Savior, your intercessor, and your marriage partner; and you inherit the amazing promises described in Isaiah 54).
 - A. You can become part of a supernatural family that lives in the joy of increased (Isaiah 54:1-5).
 - B. The God who made you loves you and calls you with deep compassion (Isaiah 54:6-8).
 - 1. Sin disconnects the very ones made in God's image (Isaiah 54:7), but God wants to bring us back with deep compassion and show us everlasting kindness (Isaiah 54:8).
 - 2. "I will have compassion on you" (Isaiah 54:8) is the best news anyone has ever heard. We need to continually receive His promise in the rigors of daily life.
- II. Jesus received the judgment we deserved and made it possible for us to receive incredible blessing. Romans 8:31-39 and Isaiah 54:11-17 declare amazing grace for all who receive Jesus. This is the very heritage of the servants of the Lord.
 - A. "All your children will be taught by the Lord, and great will be their peace" (Isaiah 54:13).
 - B. You will be established in righteousness (right standing). "Tyranny will be far from you; you will have nothing to fear" (Isaiah 54:14).
 - C. If anyone does attack you, it will not be the Lord's doing. In fact, "Whoever attacks you will surrender to you" (Isaiah 54:14).
 - D. "No weapon forged against you will prevail, you will refute every tongue that accuses you. This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord" (Isaiah 54:17).
 - E. Nothing "will be able to separate us from the love of God" (Romans 8:39).
- III. An invitation to the thirsty and hungry (Isaiah 55).
 - A. You can bring your poverty and pain and receive provision already purchased for you (Isaiah 55:1-2).
 - B. "Come" in Isaiah 55:1 means there is a faith-filled response that needs to be made (John 1:12-13; Galatians 3:5).
 - C. Believe in the great heritage you have in the Lord. God wants us to believe in the great heritage we have in Him. We need to "Seek the Lord while He may be found" (Isaiah 55:6-7)
 - D. Embrace the uniqueness of God's ways and thoughts (Isaiah 55:8-9).
 - E. Receive the great promises of God found in His Word (Isaiah 55:10-13).

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