

Sermon Notes

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HOPE IN THE CHAOS

ISAIAH 2: 1-5

Hope is nice, but in the end what really matters is the _____ of our hope.

- Judah is in the midst of _____ and _____, but it will not go on forever! (2:2; cf. 1:7-8).
- God will lift up his house so that the nations will come _____ (vv. 2-3).
- God's teaching will go out from Jerusalem bringing _____ and _____ (vv. 3-4).

In Jesus, this hope of a world put right has been _____ and is still being _____ (Mathew 2:2, 28:18-20).

In a world still beset by suffering and chaos, _____ is still found only in Jesus.

Discussion Questions

1. Where do you still see a need for the hope of Is. 2:1-5 today? Where do you see examples of the hope being fulfilled through Jesus?
2. (Extra Credit) Explain in your own words how Jesus both fulfills and transforms the expectations of this passage.

Worship Songs

- *Hark The Herald Angels Sing*, Charles Wesley and Felix Mendelssohn.
- *O Come O Come Emmanuel*, Henry S. Coffin, Thomas Helmore, and John M. Neale.
- *Song for the Waiting*, Luke Laird, Sandra McCracken, Brett Taylor.
- *Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus*, Rowland Hugh Prichard and Charles Wesley.