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Unit I: GOD Delivers and Restores

Subject: All Things Put Right

Text: Isaiah 49: 18 - 23

Key Verse:

“Thou shalt know that I am the LORD: for they shall not be ashamed that wait for me (Isaiah 49: 23c, KJV).”

Lesson Pointers:

- 1) Promised Transformation (Isaiah 49: 18 – 20)**
- 2) Promised Restoration (Isaiah 49: 21 – 23)**

Lesson Introduction:

The world as we have known it have changed in these last two years. Dure to a deadly pandemic that had a stranglehold on the nation and the world. The pandemic caused devastating effects on all parts of the world’s economic and Political leaders were only interested in a stable economy then that of the welfare of the people. But the question kept arising when will things return to normal or be set right? Well, the Bible tells us that the Israelites had the same question. When they were in the grip of despair and devastation, GOD spoke through HIS prophet Isaiah to assure the people of Israel that they would be delivered and restored through the ministry of the promised Messiah. You see, the Almighty GOD make things right in HIS set time and not in our time.

Lesson Pointers

Lesson Pointer # 1

- Promised Transformation (Isaiah 49: 18 – 20)**

The LORD promised at a set time, complete transformation, and reversal of the exiled nation’s conditions. Isaiah describes this transformation as a bride preparing for her wedding. The Lord said for the people of Israel to lift their eyes round about and behold; all these gather themselves together and come to thee. And as the LORD live, HE shalt clothe as a bride (Isaiah 49: 18). Isaiah declared that the multitude of children returning will surpass or outgrow the land’s ability to contain them, and that their enemies will no longer be a threat to their safety and security (Isaiah 49: 19 - 20).

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Lesson Pointer # 2

- **Promised Restoration (Isaiah 49: 21 – 23)**

The Israelites heard the pronouncement and thought it too good to be true because their condition was devastating and they had lost their children, and they were, left alone, and these, where had they been (Isaiah 49: 21). Now when the Israelites returned to their land, they wonder how their population would grow: The LORD in HIS set time, had a purpose to use the Gentiles as subservient to Israel. The Gentiles would worship before the LORD and would be friendly toward Israel. This was the LORD's divine purpose of intervention (Isaiah 49: 22).

The Israelites had to learn from their exile experience that all who wait with confident hope in the LORD will never experience shame or disappointment. They will know without a doubt that the LORD is the only true LORD who is in control of all creation, and that the LORD really is in control of world (Isaiah 49: 23).

Now as believers we look forward to the time when the LORD will set or put all things right as we struggle to persevere during these devastating and complicated times. Believers most learn how to wait with confident hope in the LORD and know that it pays off waiting on the LORD's established time. The LORD has given all man kind the promise of restoration through HIS Son Jesus Christ, the Servant-Messiah. Our response to this deliverance and restoration is that of praise and thanksgiving unto the LORD, and the desire to share the GOOD News of salvation with others.

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Lesson Nuggets

- 1) **The LORD promised to transform us as HIS bride (Isaiah 49: 18; 60: 4)**
- 2) **The multitude of the Israelite children shall outgrow the land (Isaiah 49: 19; 54: 1, 2; Zechariah 10: 10)**
- 3) **Thou shall know that the LORD is the only true LORD who is in control of all creation (Isaiah 49: 23; 60: 14, 16)**