



Bible questions plan week 1 day 2

Isaiah 11

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* *Note on v 1:*

The verse is saying poetically that as a branch that sprouts from a tree stump, a special descendant will come from the family of Jesse, [the father of David, who was the second king of Israel].

* 1 A shoot will come out of the stock of Jesse,
and a branch out of his roots will bear fruit.
2 The LORD's Spirit will rest on him:
the spirit of wisdom and understanding,
the spirit of counsel and might,
the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the LORD.
3 His delight will be in the fear of the LORD.
He will not judge by the sight of his eyes,
neither decide by the hearing of his ears;
4 but he will judge the poor with righteousness,
and decide with equity** for the humble of the earth.
He will strike the earth with the rod of his mouth;
and with the breath of his lips he will kill the wicked.
5 Righteousness will be the belt around his waist,
and faithfulness the belt around his waist.

** *Equity is fairness without favour.*

6 The wolf will live with the lamb,
and the leopard will lie down with the young goat,
the calf, the young lion, and the fattened calf
together;
and a little child will lead them.
7 The cow and the bear will graze. Their young ones
will lie down together. The lion will eat straw like the
ox.
8 The nursing child will play near a cobra's hole,
and the weaned child will put his hand on the viper's
den.

9 They will not hurt nor destroy in all my holy
mountain; for the earth will be full of the knowledge of
the LORD, as the waters cover the sea.
10 It will happen in that day that the nations will seek
the root of Jesse, who stands as a banner of the
peoples; and his resting place will be glorious.

11 It will happen in that day that the Lord will set his
hand again the second time to recover the remnant
that is left of his people from Assyria, from Egypt,
from Pathros, from Cush, from Elam, from Shinar,
from Hamath, and from the islands of the sea. 12 He
will set up a banner for the nations, and will assemble
the outcasts of Israel, and gather together the
dispersed of Judah from the four corners of the earth.

13 The envy also of Ephraim will depart, and those
who persecute Judah will be cut off. Ephraim won't
envy Judah, and Judah won't persecute Ephraim.

14 They will fly down on the shoulders of the
Philistines on the west. Together they will plunder the
children of the east. They will extend their power over
Edom and Moab, and the children of Ammon will
obey them.

15 The LORD will utterly destroy the tongue of the
Egyptian sea; and with his scorching wind he will
wave his hand over the River, and will split it into
seven streams, and cause men to march over in
sandals. 16 There will be a highway for the remnant
that is left of his people from Assyria, like there was
for Israel in the day that he came up out of the land of
Egypt.

How will God's
special person
use his wisdom?

What will the
natural world be
like under his
rule?

How will the
nations react to
this person?

What will the
Lord do for the
outcasts of
Israel and the
dispersed of
Judah?

What will
happen to the
envy of Ephraim
and the
persecution of
Judah?

What will they
do to the
Philistines,
Edom, Moab
and the children
of Ammon?

What will
happen to the
remnant from
Assyria?