## Isaiah 52

King James Version (KJV)

- **52** Awake, awake; put on thy strength, O Zion; put on thy beautiful garments, O Jerusalem, the holy city: for henceforth there shall no more come into thee the uncircumcised and the unclean. (Future- in the Millennium, the Lord's Day) (Our garments are the Gospel armor see Ephesians-6)
- <sup>2</sup>Shake thyself from the dust; arise, and sit down, O Jerusalem: loose thyself from the bands of thy neck, O captive daughter of Zion. (cast off the false religions that have degraded you) (sit down- a term that means to sit on the throne)
- <sup>3</sup> For thus saith the LORD, Ye have sold yourselves for nought; and ye shall be redeemed without money. (Sold into usury, bad religion, corrupt leadership and many other traps of the world) (The blood of Jesus is what redeemed us, not money)
- <sup>4</sup> For thus saith the Lord God, My people went down aforetime into Egypt to sojourn there; and the Assyrian oppressed them without cause. (Approx 600BC, the 10 tribes went to Egypt for help, and only ended up getting taken by the Assyrians)
- Now therefore, what have I here, saith the LORD, that my people is taken away for nought? they that rule over them make them to howl, saith the LORD; and my name continually every day is blasphemed. (The Assyrians gloated <howled> to the 10 tribes that their God couldn't save them) (Look at our leaders today; and how people mock Christians)
- <sup>6</sup>Therefore my people shall know my name: therefore they shall know in that day that I am he that doth speak: behold, it is I. (God will teach the Assyrians that He does exist and that He can save His people)
- <sup>7</sup>How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace; that bringeth good tidings of good, that publisheth salvation; that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth! (God wanted to save ALL people. Only if they knew that He was the true God, would they be drawn to His salvation)
- \*Thy watchmen shall lift up the voice; with the voice together shall they sing: for they shall see eye to eye, when the LORD shall bring

- again Zion. (There won't be any unbelievers on the Lord's Day; everyone will know God; the watchmen are the Elect)
- <sup>9</sup> Break forth into joy, sing together, ye waste places of Jerusalem: for the LORD hath comforted his people, he hath redeemed Jerusalem. (That will happen on the Lord's Day)
- <sup>10</sup> The LORD <u>hath made bare his holy arm</u> in the eyes of all the nations; and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God. (An expression that means ready for battle. God will fight for us at Armageddon and Haman-Gog)
- <sup>11</sup> Depart ye, depart ye, go ye out from thence, touch no unclean thing; go ye out of the midst of her; be ye clean, that bear the vessels of the LORD. (Separate yourself from all iniquity & false teachings)
- <sup>12</sup> For ye shall not go out with haste, nor go by flight: for the LORD will go before you; and the God of Israel will be your rereward. (Man will testify before antichrist but it is God who will protect us and defeat antichrist and the fallen angels. This verse also dispels the rapture doctrine once and for all. We're not going anywhere)
- <sup>13</sup> Behold, my servant shall deal prudently, he shall be exalted and extolled, and be very high. (This is about Christ God in the flesh)
- <sup>14</sup> As many were astonied at thee; his visage was so marred more than any man, and his form more than the sons of men: (Jesus lived a perfect life and was still beaten and crucified by the Kenites)
- <sup>15</sup> So shall he sprinkle many nations; the kings shall shut their mouths at him: for that which had not been told them shall they see; and that which they had not heard shall they consider. (They will see Jesus on the Lord's Day, in all His glory. They won't deny Him then)