

and grace of God will eventually be made manifest to all the world in that glorious millennial age which is here so beautifully described.

Only the redeemed are to share in this wonderful happiness which He promises. Only those who have believed on the Lord Jesus Christ and have been saved through His atoning sacrifice can look forward with joy to the glorious blessings described in this chapter. Then they will be able to come to Zion with songs, and everlasting joy will be on their heads, though now they may have sorrow and sighing. All sorrow and sighing will flee away, because God will establish His wonderful kingdom of righteousness and peace and joy.

In these two chapters two pictures are presented to the reader. Are you sure which of them describes your own future? Is your lot cast with those who are opposing God, and who eventually are to meet with total destruction at His hand? Are all the wonderful plans you are building doomed to end in chaos, destruction and confusion. Will the center of all your hopes be given over to wild beasts for their habitations? If this is your situation you would be wise to read chapter 34 and ponder carefully over the terrible picture it contains. The step from chapter 34 to 35 is a small one, but an extremely important one, for it can result in your life being entirely changed. Look to the Lord Jesus Christ and be saved. Believe on His Name and join the great army of the redeemed. Thus you may, in an instant, become one of the ransomed of the Lord. You will then come to Zion in that glorious day that is promised, and you will have a part in the wonderful millennial kingdom of Christ described in chapter 35.

This wonderful picture of climactic blessedness ends this glorious section of Isaiah's book.