

that means that it does not have this same clear teaching of the extension of the Gospel.

Here we must note that there are really three possibilities to consider. In verse nine to twelve is it the Jews going out to represent the Lord to preach the Gospel? Is it the Jews coming in as those who are delivered from bondage or is it the saved ones coming in as they are delivered from the bondage of sin? Perhaps we could mention a fourth possibility. Could there be a blending of two of these? Could these three verses express the work of the servant which we have been told is to be to raise up the tribes of Jacob and also to be a light unto the Gentiles? This could represent the work ~~in~~ of the servant in delivering the Jewish people from oppression and from suffering and gathering them together from all the land of the east and west and even from the land of China and also that it is his still greater work of gathering the people out from sin in all these lands including both Jews and Gentiles/ That there is a certain blending of the two views. That would not be a double fulfillment idea at all because it would be the same thing definitely and organically only two aspects of it. Now there are then these four possibilities. Now examining it for a minute the one of it being the people going out, the remnant going out, I just wonder in verse twelve it's coming in. In verse ten it's not clear which it is. In verse nine it is the ~~people~~ prisoners and people in darkness told to go forth and be released from this and in verse eight they are going to establish the land and inherit the desolate heritages. At the present moment I am inclined to feel it is <sup>people</sup> people being delivered rather than/going out. As we look at verse seven alone you might say for an instant, "Here is Israel in captivity and the Lord is going to deliver Israel. He is going to be chosen." You~~u~~ might say there is nothing more in verse seven ~~unless~~ unless we connect it closely with verse six and make it that the servant of the Lord is going to be despised