

in the RSV to Isa. 61:1 and we ~~see~~ see what it says, and what it says is , I was ready to be sought by those who did not ask for me . I was ready to be found by those who did not seek for me. I said , Here am I , Here am I, to a ~~nation~~ nation that did not follow my name, and I spread out my hands all the day to a rebellious people, who walk in a ~~way~~ way that is not good, following their own devices --Paul said, This tells of the turning to the ~~Gentiles~~ Gentiles--this verse gives a denunciation to Israel for its sin, the RSV translates the ~~trans~~ verse in such ~~as~~ way as to make both of them refer to Israel, and to do away with all ~~prediction~~ of turning to the Gentiles. Now , if you read much of the RSV Old Testament you are not surprised, because in nine cases out of 10 if you have a Messianic prediction ~~five~~ given in the Old Testament the RSV translated it in such a way as to get rid of the Messianic prediction, and ~~that is not~~ Let us not say that anybody is dishonest in doing that, let us say that we have perfectly honest men who by studying the Old Testament and trying to make a translation but simply cannot believe that in the time of Isa. or ~~Nathan~~ Nathan (?) David or back there can have any idea about the ~~crucifixion~~ crucifixion of Christ, ~~or~~ or of the resurrection or about the turning to the Gentiles, or about the trinity or any of these...those are N.T. teachings. so we have to translate in such a way as to ~~get~~ get sense to a ~~person~~ person that writes them. Well, that is a perfectly ~~valid~~ valid reason...but it is a ~~way~~ way that sharply contradicts Paul and Peter and when you put it in the same ~~volume and~~ volume and call it a Holy Bible , your implication that you think Paul and ~~Peter~~ Peter were ~~wright~~ right , and if you are going to translate ~~the~~ it ~~that~~ that way you ought to ~~translate~~ translate the Old Testament in line with the general approach which they took, but now, just for a minute let's ask the question, simply