#### **Outline of Isaiah**

- 1. Introduction (1-5)
- 2. Call of Isaiah (6)
- 3. Book of Assyria (7-39)
  - Book of Immanuel (7-12)
  - Book of Oracles (13-23)
  - Book of Apocalypse (24-27)
  - **▶** Book of Grace (28-35)
  - Book of Hezekiah (36-39)
- 4. **Book of Comfort (40-66)** 
  - ► Book of Deliverance (40-48)
  - ► Book of the Deliverer (49-57)
  - Book of Future Glory (58-66)

#### Historical Highlights from Isaiah

#### Book of Assyria

- Ahaz and Assyria.
- Hezekiah and Assyria
- The Angel of the LORD and Assyria
- Pending captivity in Babylon

#### **Book of Comfort**

- Babylonian captivity
- Deliverance by Cyrus

The Final Solution

#### The People of God

#### Israel in the Old Testament

- Descendants of the Patriarchs
- Formed at Sinai
- One Nation under the Law
- Kingdom of priests and holy nation
- Servant of the LORD
- A holy remnant

#### Church

- Believers
- Formed at Pentecost
- Body of Christ by the Spirit
- Kingdom of priests and holy nation
- Servants of Jesus Christ
- Mixed multitude in churches

#### Israel in the New Testament

- Enemy of the Church
- ► All Israel will be saved

# The Book of Comfort Part 1: The Book of Deliverance Isaiah 40-48

- 1. Introduction (40)
- 2. Sovereignty of God (41)
- 3. The Servant of the LORD (42:1-17)
- 4. Deliverance from captivity (42:18-43:21)
- 5. Deliverance from sin (43:22-44:5)
- 6. Incomparable God (44:6-20)
- 7. Deliverance from Babylon (44:21-48:22)
  - Overview (44:21-28)
  - ► Deliverance (45:1-25)
- 8. A call to Jacob (46)
- 9. Fall of Babylon (47)
- 10. A call to Jacob (48)

### Deliverance from captivity (42:18-43:21)

Depravity of Israel

Comfort

The character and purpose of God

The hope

A challenge to the nations

The witness

Deliverance from Babylon

# Deliverance from sin (43:22-44:5)

Depravity
The Divine "dilemma"
Deliverance from sin

## Incomparable God (44:6-20)

No One but God The lie of idols

# Deliverance from Babylon (44:21-45:25)

Overview

Deliverance