

**WHAT DOES GOD OFFER US?
AN INVITATION TO ALL WHO THIRST
Isaiah 55:1-13**

- I. **GOD'S INVITATION TO RECEIVE HIS FREE GIFT OF SALVATION (1-5)**
 - A. **An open invitation** to all who spiritually thirst (1)

 - B. **An exhortation** to evaluate your spiritual life and listen carefully the Lord and respond to His invitation (2)

 - C. If you humbly come to the Lord for salvation, He will save you (3-5)

- II. **A WARNING TO SEEK THE LORD (His way) BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE (6-7)**
 - A. **God commands us to seek Him, while He is near**, thus while He may be found (6)

 - B. **What does this seeking look like?** It consists of a humble forsaking one's unrighteous ways and thoughts, turning to the Lord (7a)

 - C. **What is the Lord's response to those who seek Him** through humble repentance and faith? Compassion and abundant pardon (7b)

(Just a brief overview of the following)

- III. **WHY SEEK THE LORD THIS WAY? Because His ways and thoughts are not ours and they far above ours and thus His will is accomplished through His Word not through our ways or words (8-11)**
 - A. Seek Him in the context of repentance, because His thoughts and ways are not ours (8)

 - B. Seek Him in the context of repentance, because His thoughts and ways are far above ours (9)

 - C. Seek Him in the context of repentance, because His Word will accomplish His Will: It will be fulfilled (10-11)

- IV. **HIS WORD WILL ACCOMPLISH ISRAEL'S FUTURE SALVATION (12-13)**