



A Royal Hope For Today

Isaiah 9:6-7 NIV

1. WHEN IN DOUBT, _____.

Isaiah 8:19–22 *When someone tells you to consult mediums and spiritists, who whisper and mutter, should not a people inquire of their God? Why consult the dead on behalf of the living? Consult God's instruction and the testimony of warning. If anyone does not speak according to this word, they have no light of dawn.*

2. GOD'S WORD BRINGS _____!

a. *The glory of the Lord has been revealed in Galilee.*

Isaiah 9:1 *Nevertheless, there will be no more gloom for those who were in distress. In the past he humbled the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the future he will honor Galilee of the nations, by the Way of the Sea, beyond the Jordan—*

b. *A great light has dawned out of a deep darkness.*

Isaiah 9:2 *The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned.*

c. *God's people have every reason to rejoice.*

Isaiah 9:3 *You have enlarged the nation and increased their joy; they rejoice before you as people rejoice at the harvest, as warriors rejoice when dividing the plunder.*

d. *The enemy was unilaterally defeated.*

Isaiah 9:4 *For as in the day of Midian's defeat, you have shattered the yoke that burdens them, the bar across their shoulders, the rod of their oppressor.*

e. *God's people can celebrate a victory we didn't win.*

Isaiah 9:5 *Every warrior's boot used in battle and every garment rolled in blood will be destined for burning, will be fuel for the fire.*

3. WHO IS THIS KING OF GLORY?

Isaiah 9:6 *For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.*

a. **Wonderful Counselor:** _____.

Isaiah 11:2 *The Spirit of the LORD will rest on him—the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding, the Spirit of counsel and of might, the Spirit of the knowledge and fear of the LORD—*

b. **Mighty God:** _____.

Revelation 1:18 *I am the Living One; I was dead, and now look, I am alive for ever and ever! And I hold the keys of death and Hades.*

c. **Everlasting Father:** _____.

Psalms 90:2 *Before the mountains were born or you brought forth the whole world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.*

d. **Prince of Peace:** _____.

John 14:27 *Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.*

4. JESUS OFFERS _____.

Isaiah 9:7 *Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the LORD Almighty will accomplish this.*

Matthew 27:37 *Above his head they placed the written charge against him: THIS IS JESUS, THE KING OF THE JEWS.*

Romans 8:31–32 *If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?*

Rev. 11:15 *ESV The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ, and he shall reign forever and ever.*