

ISAIAH – LESSON TWENTY-FIVE

- I. **EXHORTATION TO GOD'S PEOPLE TO LOOK FORWARD TO THE EXALTATION OF THE SERVANTS OF JEHOVAH (54:1-17).**
- A. The once barren will sing with more children: possessing the nations (Gentiles) and desolate places inhabited (v.1-3).
 - B. God will take back his wife (Israel) and she shall cease to bear the reproach of widowhood by receiving God's everlasting lovingkindness (v.4-8).
 - C. God's covenant with this people as sure as his covenant with Noah concerning the waters of the flood (v.9-10).
 - D. In righteousness shall God's people be established (v.11-14a).
 - 1. Foundations established with the variegated colors of precious stones.
 - 2. Children will be taught of Jehovah.
 - E. God's servants are not to fear for God will not allow those gathered against His people will prosper (v. 14b-17).

QUESTIONS:

1. How does "the servant of Jehovah" in chapter 49:13- 53:12 tie in with chapter 54 and its focus upon "the servants of Jehovah" (v.17) ?
2. When will the servants of Jehovah once barren sing because of the abundance of children?
3. What *two* things will God's people forget to cause them not to fear any longer?
4. What *three relationships* did the One God have with His people?

5. God never has **forsaken** His people. (T) (F)

6. To what event in history does God appeal in order to establish that his covenant of lovingkindness with his people is everlasting?

7. Describe the future foundations and windows housing God's people by describing it's:
(a) colors:

(b) glory:

8. Describe the inward strength that will characterize God's people in the future?

9. Why will God's servants not have to fear those who are gathered against them?

10. How does Isaiah 54 portray the future of God's servants as those servants comprising the Lord's church?