



SAVED FOR HIS GLORY NOT MINE

A FORGOTTEN PROMISE MADE IN CRISIS

Isaiah 39:1-2

King's healing **is a miracle, because God is Savior**

King is delighted by his visitors and he displays **his accomplishments, resources**

King made a promise **to God during his terminal illness**

Isaiah 38:15

“But what can I say? He has spoken to me, and he himself has done this. *I will walk humbly all my years* because of this anguish of my soul.”

King did **not walk humble before God**

Life lesson:

*Did you make promises to Lord Jesus Christ? The promise to follow **Jesus comes with personal responsibility***

*If you made a promise, **remember to fulfill it quickly***

Pride leads to destruction

*Since Jesus saved or restored your life, **be humble!***

THE PURPOSE OF SALVATION(RESTORATION)

King did not **walk humble as he promised to God**

Isaiah 38:15 *But what can I say? He has spoken to me, and he himself has done this. I will walk humbly all my years because of this anguish of my soul. (Isa 38:15)*

Isaiah 39:3-4

A series of **awkward questions**

A sad end comes **in near future but he doesn't care**

Life Lesson:

Human pride triggers God's judgment even on those whom he has previously restored or healed.

**Life Group Homework/ Bible Study &
Food for Thought**

(Questions and Scriptures for further study)

NIV – New International Version or where is the case we use ESV- English Standard Version

Quick Review

Looking back at your notes from this week teaching, was there anything new you learned or anything that caught your attention, challenged or confused you?

DIGGING DEEPER

This weekend's message, pastor David spoke about promise we made and how important is to keep them before God. More importantly is that our salvation is for God's purposes not to continue our plans or to continue our accomplishments.

Isaiah 39:1-8 *At that time Marduk-Baladan son of Baladan king of Babylon sent Hezekiah letters and a gift, because he had heard of his illness and recovery.² Hezekiah received the envoys gladly and showed them what was in his storehouses--the silver, the gold, the spices, the fine olive oil--his entire armory and everything found among his treasures. There was nothing in his palace or in all his kingdom that Hezekiah did not show them.*

³ Then Isaiah the prophet went to King Hezekiah and asked, "What did those men say, and where did they come from?" "From a distant land," Hezekiah replied. "They came to me from Babylon."

⁴ The prophet asked, "What did they see in your palace?" "They saw everything in my palace," Hezekiah said. "There is nothing among my treasures that I did not show them."

⁵ Then Isaiah said to Hezekiah, "Hear the word of the LORD Almighty:

⁶ The time will surely come when everything in your palace, and all that your predecessors have stored up until this day, will be carried off to Babylon. Nothing will be left, says the LORD.

⁷ And some of your descendants, your own flesh and blood who will be born to you, will be taken away, and they will become eunuchs in the palace of the king of Babylon."

⁸ "The word of the LORD you have spoken is good," Hezekiah replied. For he thought, "There will be peace and security in my lifetime."

2. Read about king's promises he made during his terminal illness and in what ways we act similar when we face life crises? (Isaiah 38)

3. Promised we have made must be fulfilled before God. Did you ever make any promises to God? Which are these promises that you need to revisit?

4. How would you describe God's grace bestowed throughout king Hezekiah's life?

5. Discuss in what ways our promise to follow Jesus is an also a daily responsibility.

6. As prophet Isaiah questioned king Hezekiah, we must ask ourselves questions to review our lives. What question do you need to ask yourself? If Jesus would ask you questions about your life what questions would those be like?



LIFE GROUPS

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	November Notes
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	December Notes
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Commitment to Personal Goals:

1. Scripture Reading (specific and attainable)
2. Scripture Memorization (verse/ passage)
3. Relationships/ Evangelism
4. Personal

Group Goals

- ➦ LOOK UP towards Christ
 - Grow in love for Christ and confidence in Him
- ➦ LOOK DOWN into the God’s Word
 - Learn God’s word and how to study it
 - Apply God’s word to my life in specific ways
- ➦ LOOK IN at my own life
 - Identify and fight against sin in my life
 - Cultivate godly character and spiritual maturity
 - Improve my devotional life or reading and prayer
- ➦ LOOK OUT towards others
 - Serve other church members purposefully
 - Nurture relationships for accountability and prayer
 - Strengthen n the relationships within my home
 - Develop loving friendships with outsiders for the purpose of evangelism

Responsibilities for Group Members

1. Be committed to GCC and its mission, leadership and goals of LG
2. Attend Sunday services each week, or let someone in the group know why I miss
3. Prioritize group meetings by arriving on time each week
4. Complete any assignments for the group and come prepared to participate
5. Participate in meetings without disrupting or monopolizing the time and attention of others
6. Cultivate trust within the group and be honest, transparent and teachable
7. Show love, concern and hospitality to visitors