Isaiah 25:1-12 Praises on the Day Yahweh takes control

Praise to God for what He has done

- 1 O Lord, You are my God. I will exalt You, I will praise Your name, For You have done wonderful things; Your counsels of old are faithfulness and truth.
- ² For You have made a city a ruin, A fortified city a ruin, A palace of foreigners to be a city no more; It will never be rebuilt.
- 3 Therefore the strong people will glorify You; The city of the terrible nations will fear You.
- ⁴ For You have been a strength to the poor, A strength to the needy in his distress, A refuge from the storm, A shade from the heat; For the blast of the terrible ones is as a storm against the wall.
- ⁵ You will reduce the noise of aliens, As heat in a dry place; As heat in the shadow of a cloud, The song of the terrible ones will be diminished.

Blessings of Yahweh yet future at the start of the Kingdom age

- 6 And in this mountain The Lord of hosts will make for all people A feast of choice pieces, A feast of wines on the lees, Of fat things full of marrow, Of well-refined wines on the lees.
- ⁷ And He will destroy on this mountain The surface of the covering cast over all people, And the veil that is spread over all nations.
- 8 He will swallow up death forever, And the Lord God will wipe away tears from all faces; The rebuke of His people He will take away from all the earth; For the Lord has spoken.
- 9 And it will be said in that day: "Behold, this is our God; We have waited for Him, and He will save us. This is the Lord; We have waited for Him; We will be glad and rejoice in His salvation."

Yahweh's work on the day of Judgment

- 10 For on this mountain the hand of the Lord will rest, And Moab shall be trampled down under Him, As straw is trampled down for the refuse heap.
- And He will spread out His hands in their midst As a swimmer reaches out to swim, And He will bring down their pride Together with the trickery of their hands.
- 12 The fortress of the high fort of your walls He will bring down, lay low, And bring to the ground, down to the dust.

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 - ♦ Isaiah praises Elohey for what is revealed of Yahweh's intervention in the affairs of man.

Impact on mankind

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- ♦ When Elohiym steps in and takes action against all evil, the remaining people suddenly acknowledge His righteous judgment and learn to fear Him Who has supreme power.
- ❖ In removing all evil, Yahweh has helped the poor and needy becoming their shelter and defense in Whom they know they can trust.
- ♦ The attacks of the terrible ones is seen as a storm against the wall which can not prevail in the face of Almighty God.

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- ❖ "In this mountain" is a reference to the place of the throne of Yahweh Tsebavta (the Lord of Hosts) as He sits as our Messiah on Mount Zion in Jerusalem through the Kingdom Age of a thousand years as King of kings and Lord of lords. [Micah 4:7]
- ♦ It is at that time and from Zion that Yahweh will provide a feast for all people.
- ♦ The veil of prejudice that has blinded all nations against the Jews will be removed and they will all see the relationship of Israel with the King and with themselves.
- ♦ Death will be ended for all time and Adoney Yahweh will wipe all tears from the eyes. [Revelation 7:17, 21:3-4]
- ♦ No longer will there be enmity between Jew and Gentile.
- ♦ This is set and established, certain to come to pass, because Yahweh has spoken it.
- ❖ When Yahweh is visibly seated on His throne on Mount Zion as King of kings and Lord of Lords, they will certainly say, "Behold, this is Eloheynu (our God); We have waited for Him, and He will save us. This is Yahweh (the Lord); We have waited for Him; We will be glad and rejoice in His salvation."

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- ♦ Yahweh will rest on His throne on Mount Zion after He has purged the earth of all evil.
- ♦ On the day of Judgment the nations will fall.
- ❖ From the Judgment Seat of Christ He will spread out his hands like a swimmer as He sends the Saints to His right, and the lost to His left. [Matthew 25:31-46]
- ♦ All of mankind's fortified walls in which they trust for their security will come down to nothing, their defenses prove useless in the face of Yahweh Elohiym when He rises to judge the earth and all in it.