

Isaiah 9:1-7 **Light of Messiah and His Eternal Kingdom**

The Government of the Promised Son (Isaiah 11:1-9)

¹ Nevertheless the gloom will not be upon her who is distressed, As when at first He lightly esteemed The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, And afterward more heavily oppressed her, By the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, In Galilee of the Gentiles. ² The people who walked in darkness Have seen a great light; Those who dwelt in the land of the shadow of death, Upon them a light has shined.

³ You have multiplied the nation And increased its joy; They rejoice before You According to the joy of harvest, As men rejoice when they divide the spoil. ⁴ For You have broken the yoke of his burden And the staff of his shoulder, The rod of his oppressor, As in the day of Midian. ⁵ For every warrior's sandal from the noisy battle, And garments rolled in blood, Will be used for burning and fuel of fire.

⁶ For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. ⁷ Of the increase of His government and peace There will be no end, Upon the throne of David and over His kingdom, To order it and establish it with judgment and justice From that time forward, even forever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this.
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Facts Revealed:

- ✧ To those who have turned from Yahweh Elohey Ysrael (the Lord God of Israel) and seen counsel through witchcraft, God has driven them into darkness of confusion. [\[Isaiah 8:19-22\]](#)
- ✧ Nevertheless, Yahweh is faithful to show great hope for the future occupants of the land by giving a promise of the coming Messiah, saying:
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The people who walked in darkness Have seen a great light; Those who dwelt in the land of the shadow of death, Upon them a light has shined. [\[Isaiah 9:1-2, Matthew 4:15-16\]](#)
- ✧ As the people enter the Kingdom age, all the spoils left behind when the wicked are cast into the fire will belong to the Saints who survive to enter the Kingdom age as mortals. [\[Isaiah 9:3-5, Daniel 7:18-22, 26-27, Revelation 20:4-6\]](#)
- ✧ The person and work of Messiah is described showing His divine power and authority as He takes control of the entire earth. [\[Isaiah 9:6-7\]](#)