

# “THE REIGN OF KING JESUS”

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## 1. The promise of the king and kingdom

- a. **A promise to Israel of a better time when they will not be bothered.**

**2Sa 7:10** Moreover I will appoint a place for my people Israel, and will plant them, that they may dwell in a place of their own, and move no more; neither shall the children of wickedness afflict them any more, as beforetime,

**Read verse 12-14, 18-19, 23a, 24**

- b. **A promise of a king**

**Isa 7:14** Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel. **Isa 9:6, Isa 9:7**

## 2. The arrival of the king

- a. **Luk 1:30-33** And the angel said unto her, Fear not, Mary: for thou hast found favour with God.  
b. **Mat 2:1** Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judaea in the days of Herod the king, behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem,  
c. **Mat 2:2** Saying, **Where is he that is born King** of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him.

## 3. The King is rejected and crucified

**Act 7:52** Which of the prophets have not your fathers persecuted? and they have slain them which shewed before of **the coming of the Just One**; of whom ye have been now the betrayers and murderers:

## 4. The King judges the nations

- a. **Dan 2:44** And in the days of these kings shall **the God of heaven set up a kingdom**, which shall never be destroyed: and the kingdom shall not be left to other people, but it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, **and it shall stand for ever.**  
b. **Rev 11:15** And the seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in heaven, saying, The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and **he shall reign for ever and ever.**  
c. Mat 25:31-34 When the Son of man shall come in his glory, and all the holy angels with him, then shall he sit upon the throne of his glory:  
d. Mat 25:34 Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: **(The Kingdom is still on the menu)**

5. **Satan is bound** **Rev 20:2** And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, which is the Devil, and Satan, and bound him a thousand years,

## 6. The Kingdom characteristics

- a. **Isa 11:6** The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them.  
b. Isa 11:7 And the cow and the bear shall feed; their young ones shall lie down together: and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.

- c. Isa 11:8 And the sucking child shall play on the hole of the asp, and the weaned child shall put his hand on the cockatrice' den.
- d. Isa 11:9 They shall not hurt nor destroy in all my holy mountain: for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the LORD, as the waters cover the sea.
- e. Isa 11:10 And in that day there shall be a root of Jesse, which shall stand for an ensign of the people; to it shall the Gentiles seek: and his rest shall be glorious.
- f. **Isa 65:18** But be ye glad and rejoice for ever in that which I create: for, behold, I create Jerusalem a rejoicing, and her people a joy.
- g. Isa 65:19 And I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and joy in my people: and the voice of weeping shall be no more heard in her, nor the voice of crying.
- h. Isa 65:20 There shall be no more thence an infant of days, nor an old man that hath not filled his days: for the child shall die an hundred years old; but the sinner being an hundred years old shall be accursed.
- i. Isa 65:21 And they shall build houses, and inhabit them; and they shall plant vineyards, and eat the fruit of them.
- j. Isa 65:22 They shall not build, and another inhabit; they shall not plant, and another eat: for as the days of a tree are the days of my people, and mine elect shall long enjoy the work of their hands.
- k. Isa 65:23 They shall not labour in vain, nor bring forth for trouble; for they are the seed of the blessed of the LORD, and their offspring with them.
- l. Isa 65:24 And it shall come to pass, that before they call, I will answer; and while they are yet speaking, I will hear.
- m. Isa 65:25 The wolf and the lamb shall feed together, and the lion shall eat straw like the bullock: and dust shall be the serpent's meat. They shall not hurt nor destroy in all my holy mountain, saith the LORD.
- n. **Mat 8:10** When Jesus heard it, he marvelled, and said to them that followed, Verily I say unto you, I have not found so great faith, no, not in Israel.
- o. Mat 8:11 And I say unto you, That many shall come from the east and west, and shall sit down with Abraham, and Isaac, and Jacob, in the kingdom of heaven.
- p. Mat 8:12 But the **children of the kingdom** shall be cast out into outer darkness: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.
  - i. Those who rejected Christ before the Kingdom
  - ii. Those who reject Christ in the kingdom
  - iii. Those who reject Christ at the end of the kingdom under the rebellion of Satan