

Message Notes:



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Isaiah 45

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The Lord Saves

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With the Word Bible Commentary

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God makes declarations to Cyrus (vv. 1–7), to the Jews (vv. 8–19), and to the gentile nations (vv. 20–25); and in these messages, He speaks to His people today.

His message to Cyrus was one of sovereignty, focusing on His uniqueness: Jehovah is the Creator and the Lord of history. Cyrus did not even know the Lord; yet the Lord called him by name and used him to accomplish His purposes. When life seems to be tumbling in, remember that God is on the throne and is sovereign.

His message to Israel emphasized submission. God can tell the rain clouds what to do, but His own people resist Him. This is like the clay telling the potter what to do (Jer. 18) or the child scolding the parents. If Israel would trust Him, they could share in the great things He was doing. Cyrus would cooperate with the Lord, and he did not even know Him!

The message to the Gentiles was one of salvation. God's purpose through Israel was that all nations be blessed (Gen. 12:1–3). One day God will gather His people and establish His kingdom, and then the nations will know the true God and trust the Savior. Meanwhile, we must get the message of salvation to every tribe and nation.

Look Now!

The famous British preacher Charles Haddon Spurgeon (1834–92) was converted to Christ when he heard a layman preach a sermon based on Isaiah 45:22. “He was an ignorant man,” said Spurgeon in later years. “He could not say much; he was obliged to keep to his text. Thank God for that.” The preacher looked at young Spurgeon and said, “Young man, you are very miserable. Young man, look! In God’s name, look, and look now!” Spurgeon said, “I did look, blessed be God! I know I looked then and there, and he who but that minute before had been near despair had the fullness of joy and hope.” Have you looked to Christ by faith and received His gift of salvation?”

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Personal Reflection:

Which verse(s) from tonight’s section stood out to you the most? Why?

What is God speaking in this section that grabs your attention? What is it that God is saying in it?

How do you think God is seeking to have you apply what He has shown you in those verses?

For Next Week: Isaiah 46