Isaiah 9:1-7 The Coming Messiah

Seeing a Great Light (1-2)

Removing the gloom and the shame (I John 3:1 / Ephesians 5:8)

Revealing the Light (John 1:4-5)

Shattering the yoke of oppression (3-5)

Rejoicing in victory (Joel 3:1-3, 16-17)

Rod of oppression is shattered Burdens are lifted (Matthew 11:28 / I Peter 5:7) Battle gear is burned (vs. 7 / Isaiah 2:4)

Son is given (6)

Born as a child (Galatians 4:4)

Bearing the role of leader (Revelation 19:16)

Blessed by His Names Wonderful (Genesis 32:29 / Judges 13:18 / Philippians 2:9-11) Counselor (John 14:15-17) Mighty God (John 8:24) Everlasting Father (John 10:30) Prince of Peace (Ephesians 2:14-18)

Sovereign Hand of God (7)

Ever-increasing (John 3:30)

Established (Psalm 2:4-6)

Eternal (Hebrews 7:25)

Exalted – accomplished by the zeal of the LORD God Almighty (Isaiah 46:8-10)

Discussion questions for Isaiah 9:1-7

What benefit is there of receiving His Light? (John 3:19-21 / Psalm 32:1-5 / I John 1:5-7 / II Corinthians 3:16-18)

What role do we play in lifting burdens and oppression? (I Timothy 2:1-2 / Galatians 6:2 / Proverbs 24:11-12 / Ezekiel 3:16-21 / Jude 22-23)

How have you been blessed by the titles given to our Lord Jesus Christ? (see verses from the other side)

Wonderful Counselor Mighty God Everlasting Father Prince of Peace

Why is it not wise to align yourself with the powerbrokers of this world? (Psalm 2 / Revelation 19:19-21)