

God's Remnant

Isaiah 1:5-9



History Of Israel

- Warnings. Deuteronomy 4:25-27; 6:4-9; 8:10-15; 8:19-20; 26:1-11; Deuteronomy 28:1-6, 15
- Remnant to return. Deuteronomy 30:1-10

History Of Israel

- *Isaiah 1:9* “Except Jehovah of hosts had left unto us a very small **remnant**, we should have been as Sodom, we should have been like unto Gomorrah.”

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...meaning a survivor. It is used to describe people who had survived the onslaught of an enemy (Numbers 24:19; Joshua 10:20; Jeremiah 31:2).

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- *Romans 9:27 “And Isaiah crieth concerning Israel, If the number of the children of Israel be as the sand of the sea, it is the remnant that shall be saved”*
- *Romans 9:29 “And, as Isaiah hath said before, Except the Lord of Sabaoth had left us a seed, We had become as Sodom, and had been made like unto Gomorrah.”*

God's Remnant Past

- Enoch – Genesis 5:21ff; verse 24; Hebrews 11:5
- Noah – Genesis 6:5-9, 22; 1 Peter 3:20
- Abraham – Genesis 12, 22; James 2:23
- Joshua & Caleb – Numbers 13-14; Hebrews 3:12ff; 17ff; 1 Corinthians 10
- The Twelve – John 6
- Few in Thyatira – Revelation 2:18-24
- Few in Sardis – Revelation 3:1-4

God's Remnant Present

Luke 8:4-15

- Wayside Soil – Heard, yet never obeyed.
- Stony Soil – Heard, believed, obeyed, but lasted only a while.
- Thorny Soil – Heard, believed, obeyed, but other attractions led them away (Luke 14:15).
- Good Soil – Those few who are genuinely converted to Christ.

God's Remnant Future

Matthew 13:47-50

- Shall “*eat of the tree of life.*” *Revelation 2:7*
- Shall “*receive the crown of life.*” *Revelation 2:10*
- Shall “*walk with me in white.*” *Revelation 3:4*
- The remnant of the past and those who are among God's remnant now!

Conclusion:

- Only a remnant will be saved. *Matthew 7:13-14*
 - Will I be a part of that remnant? cf. *Matthew 25:31ff*
 - Judgment will be individual.
- Romans 14:12 “So then each one of us shall give account of himself to God.”*
- What about you?
Will you be in God's remnant?