

He Is Risen



The Lord's Suffering Servant

## Isaiah 52 - 53



...so disfigured one would scarcely know he was a person.



But he was wounded and crushed for our sins. He was beaten so we might have peace. He was whipped so we could be healed.



He was led like a lamb to the slaughter.



...his life is made an offering for sin...



I will give him the honors of one who is mighty and great

# Traitors, Notorious Sinners,

and Scumbags

### Matthew 9:9 – 13 (NLT)

### Matthew and Jesus

9 As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man named Matthew sitting at his tax collector's booth. "Follow me and be my disciple," Jesus said to him. So Matthew got up and followed him. 10 Later, Matthew invited Jesus and his disciples to his home as dinner guests, ...

#### Matthew and the Church

10 Later, Matthew invited Jesus and his disciples to his home as dinner guests, along with many tax collectors and other disreputable sinners. 11 But when the Pharisees saw this, they asked his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with such scum?"

## Matthew's Legacy

12 When Jesus heard this, he said, "Healthy people don't need a doctor - sick people do." 13 Then he added, "Now go and learn the meaning of this Scripture: 'I want you to show mercy, not offer sacrifices.'

# For I have come to call not those who think they are righteous, but those who know they are sinners."

### Matthew 16:24 – 26

Then Jesus said to his disciples, "If any of you wants to be my follower, you must put aside your selfish ambition, shoulder your cross, and follow me.

### If you try to keep your life for yourself, you will

lose it. But if you give up your life for me, you

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will find true life.

# And how do you benefit if you gain the whole

world but lose your own soul in the process?

Is anything worth more than your soul?

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Have A Glorious Easter