

God Is Watching

Isaiah 10:1-5

God looks through the eyes of the prophet Isaiah and speaks to Israel - his own people. "Woe to the unrighteous judges who make unjust decisions, pervert the cause of the needy and prevent them from getting justice." God had previously spoken similar words to Moses. David had testified about the Lord and said that the Lord secures justice for the poor and upholds the cause of the needy.

Unfortunately, we find ourselves being held hostage by the government today.

In the 8th century B.C., God sent the Assyrian army to punish Israel and turn their hearts back to God. Assyria took the assignment too far and decided to totally destroy Israel.

God watches over his own and will take care of them. He sees all, knows all, and is everywhere. The 4 living creatures in Revelation have eyes all over them and see everything just as God sees everything.

Punishment is coming to those who do evil and those of us who are children of God who do wrong. If you obey God he will bless you. Psalm 125:2 says, "As the mountains surround Jerusalem, so the Lord surrounds his people forevermore." The blessing comes from the Lord and he adds no trouble.

In this climate we need to turn back to God. If you don't know him you need to turn to Him. Even the king's heart is in the Lord's hand. The king's heart is a stream of water that he channels

toward those who please him. To do what is right is more acceptable and honorable than sacrifice.