

Discussion Questions for Isaiah 43-44

Not being able to see you face to face this week to discuss these questions, I encourage you to call, email, or text me with your questions about the message or about Isaiah 43-44

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Questions about the sermon?

1. What trials in your life have felt like passing thru the waters or the fires? How has God become more real to you thru those times? What might have been your spiritual / emotional set-backs or struggles in the times of testing? What scripture verses did you apply to your situation? Did you reach out to a godly friend for help?
2. God calls His people "My witnesses" at least 3 times (43:10, 12; 44:8). What had the people in Isaiah's time witnessed? What have we witnessed God doing in our lifetime as well as personally in our lives? Witnesses have heard, seen or experience something directly. What are your stories about God - share them with someone this week.
3. In addition to Isaiah 43:25 and 44:22 about God's gracious forgiveness - what other verses come to your mind? If someone is struggling with feeling forgiven by God, what would you share with them to help?
4. We live in a time in history when people seem to have their own personal designer religion having taken a little of this and a little of that "spiritual stuff" from various religions. How does God verify / substantiate His claims of being the only God? Some of the answers are in chapters 43-44.
5. As you read thru these two chapters, make a list of the descriptive words God uses to characterize Himself. What words mean the most to you? Why?