

HE'S A GREAT, BIG GOD

Comfort, Because the Mighty God Comes

Isaiah 40:1-11

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GOD SPEAKS, "COMFORT" (V. 1-2)

We are still God's people. He brings _____. Our Father will always be _____.

ANOTHER VOICE SAYS, "SOON" (V. 3-5)

The presence of the Lord makes things _____. Where he goes, _____ comes with him. Therefore, we should love to remember that he has come near.

THE PROPHET CRIES, "LOOK" (V. 6-11)

If we will simply _____, we will be ready to see the glory of God, and when we do, we will _____ his love.

DISCUSSION & APPLICATION QUESTIONS

READ ISAIAH 40:1-11

What are the present circumstances of the people this prophecy is directed to? Why do they need comfort, assurance, and hope?

Why is the Word of the Lord the steadying factor of this prophecy? What about God's Word is appealing to people struggling with uncertainty about their future?

Read Isaiah 6:8-13. In chapter 40, verses 6-11 are a second prophetic commissioning for Isaiah. What is different about his assignment and his prophetic message for the people of God?

Why is Isaiah told to go up on a high mountain to proclaim these words? What is God saying through the prophet to his people?

Read Matthew 10:26-33. Why can Christians live with confidence, even in the midst of uncertainty? What is the source of our hope and peace?

QUESTION FOR KIDS

Read Romans 2:4. God wants to rescue people. What are we rescued from? How does God rescue us?