

The Stories in History #35 — Ghosts and Sacrifices — Study

Reading 1: Isaiah 53 (from our point of view)

- What does this verse say about ourselves?
 - Of how we are
 - What we deserve

We have done things that we are ashamed of

- Huge and small Grandes
 - In the past and recently
- What is something you did, that you should have not done, and that now you feel ashamed of?
 - Why do they make us feel bad?

We try to compensate for them

- To make us feel better
 - Dignified and forgiven
- What do you do to compensate when you have done something wrong?

Reading 2: Isaiah 52:13 - 53:12 (from Jesus point of view)

- What does this verse say about Jesus?
 - Of His sacrifice
 - What he achieved with His life and death

Christ is the perfect sacrifice

- What cleanse us from sin
 - What makes us worthy again

What should we do?

Application: Surrender to Him

Romans 12:1

Non-Christian: Surrender to Jesus

- This is the decision He asks of you
- Today you find yourself out of this sacrifice
 - Your bad actions are with you
 - You are the result of the bad things you have done
- You can receive forgiveness
 - And dignity
- Surrendering to Jesus and decide to follow Him
 - Through repentance and baptism
- Render everything you are
 - Your body
 - Your sovereignty
 - Your wishes
 - Your rights
- This is the decision
 - What He asks of you
- Not to win salvation
 - But for what for what He has done to you
- You will have forgiveness and will be worthy in the eyes of God

Christian: Present yourself as a living sacrifice

- Not as a payment
 - Nor to make you worthy
- But for what He has already done
- Memorize this verse
 - When He asks us for something
 - The answer is: yes
 - All of mine is yours
 - My time
 - My money
 - My wishes
 - My future
 - My rights

- My job
- The question is: How can I give you more?