



## Introduction

*God promises Israel a time of blessing and respect from the nations.*



## Questions

1. What will the LORD do to Israel because darkness covers the earth?
2. What will happen to any nation that refuses to serve God?
3. What will God do for Zion despite it being forsaken and hated?



## Summary Points

- **v 1 to 3** All nations will see God's glory in Israel
- **v 4 to 12** Many Jews will return to the land with their wealth. Nations will also bring wealth and offerings to Israel
- **v 13 to 22** Jerusalem will become recognised as the LORD's city. It will be a city of peace

**Timeline** 850 BC (see below)



## Theme

### The glory of God

*A selection of verses showing that God's glory includes both his creative and sustaining power and his character and purpose.*

God's glory is seen in the splendour of the universe:

*Psalms 19 verse 1, 97 verse 6*

When Moses asks to see God's glory, he is told that he will see God's goodness and hear his name:

*Exodus 33 verses 18 and 19*

Moses is told that God's name and glory include his character:

*Exodus 34 verses 5 to 7*

Jesus Christ showed God's glory:

*John 1 verse 14*

Jesus prays that believers may be involved in God's glory:

*John 17 verses 22 to 24*

God's purpose is that the earth will eventually be full of the knowledge of his glory:

*Habakkuk 2 verse 14*



## Answers to questions

Verses which answer the questions:

Q 1: v 2 and 3, Q 2: v 12, Q 3: v 15



# Bible timeline

