

Isaiah 32  
Thy Kingdom Come

The Coming Kingdom (1-8)

Led by a Righteous King (Revelation 15:3-4) **All will see His acts and fear Him**

Ruled in justice (Psalm 9:7-10) **righteous judgment and just governance**

Ruled by godly men (Revelation 20:6) **those known by Christ will rule w/ Him**

Learning minds **beginning with fearing the Lord and trusting Him and His Word**

Free to learn and speak truth (I Corinthians 2:14 / II Corinthians 4:4) **no blindness**

Fools exposed **this is happening before our eyes / Is it too late??**

They are no longer respected

There practices are exposed

There error concerning the LORD is seen

There false hope and lies are made clear

Free and noble men, making noble plans, standing by noble deeds

**Standing w/o compromise on what is true and right**

The complacent women (9-13) **often the last bastion of hope for a culture**

Their security will crumble (Matthew 6:19-21; 13:22)

**Treasures that will not last – becoming distracted and deceived**

Their pleasantries will vanish (James 5:1-5)

**Dead even while they are living (I Timothy 5:6)**

The change – His Spirit will be poured out (14-20) (Joel 2:28-32)

**Only the Spirit of God has the power to change the heart of man**

The fortress and the land have become desolate

**The result of sin and rebellion against the Lord**

The Spirit will restore and bring blessing **both physically and spiritually**

**Resulting in:**

Justice **righteousness restored – the Holy Spirit at work**

Peace **in our hearts and in our dwellings (John 14:27 / Ephesians 4:3)**

Confidence **because we know Him (II Corinthians 3:4-6)**

Security **at rest in Him (John 14:1)**

Blessing **the work of His hand upon us (John 1:16)**

Discussion questions for Isaiah 32

Why do the ungodly often rise to power? (Deuteronomy 8:10-14/II Chronicles 12:5-8)

***When we live in relative ease and wealth we no longer rely upon God***

***Wickedness prevails when the godly become distracted and complacent.***

***God allows His people, when they rebel, to see what it's like to have ungodly leaders.***

What is required for us to develop learning minds? (Proverbs 1:7; 9:10 / Psalm 111:10 / I Corinthians 2:14-16 / Colossians 2:2-3)

***The fear of the Lord is the beginning of the process.***

***The Spirit of God must open up our hearts to understand God's Word.***

***As we yield more of our life to the God who knows all things – our understanding increases***

What leads women to become complacent? Why is this so destructive for a culture? (Isaiah 3:16 – 4:1 / I Timothy 5:11-15)

***When motherhood is degraded and/or considered insignificant.***

***When the roles of men and women become blurred. (Ephesians 5:22-29)***

***When women become distracted and enticed by the pleasures and riches of this life.***

What results when God's Spirit is poured out among a people? (II Peter 1:5 / John 13:34-35)

***People have a hunger to know truth and to do what is right in His eyes.***

***Hearts are changed so that we truly and deeply care and love others (I Peter 1:22)***

***We are able to live together in unity of mind and purpose (Philippians 2:1-2 / Romans 15:5-6)***

***The blessing of God is upon our lives.***

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