

## THE MOST POPULAR BIBLE VERSES FROM ISAIAH

### Isaiah 9:6

*For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. NIV*

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### Isaiah 7:14

*Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel. NIV*

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### Isaiah 61:1

*The Spirit of the Sovereign LORD is on me, because the LORD has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners, NIV*

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### Isaiah 40:31

*But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. NIV*

Isaiah 53:5

*But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed. NIV*

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Isaiah 53:4

*Surely he took up our pain and bore our suffering, yet we considered him punished by God, stricken by him, and afflicted. NIV*

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Isaiah 6:1

*In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a throne, high and exalted, and the train of his robe filled the temple. NIV*

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Isaiah 64:6

*All of us have become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous acts are like filthy rags; we all shrivel up like a leaf, and like the wind our sins sweep us away. NIV*

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Isaiah 53:6

*We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. NIV*

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Isaiah 55:8

*"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways," declares the LORD. NIV*

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Isaiah 51:1

*"Listen to me, you who pursue righteousness and who seek the LORD: Look to the rock from which you were cut and to the quarry from which you were hewn;" NIV*

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Isaiah 1:18

*"Come now, let us reason together," says the LORD. "Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red as crimson, they shall be like wool." NIV*

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Isaiah 40:3

*A voice of one calling: "In the wilderness prepare the way for the LORD; make straight in the desert a highway for our God." NIV*

Isaiah 3:12

*My people, your guides lead you astray; they turn you from the path. NIV*

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Isaiah 11:1

*A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse;  
from his roots a Branch will bear fruit. NIV*

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Isaiah 43:10

*"You are my witnesses," declares the LORD, "and my servant whom I have chosen,  
so that you may know and believe me and understand that I am he. Before me no  
god was formed, nor will there be one after me." NIV*

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Isaiah 41:10

*So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will  
strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand. NIV*

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Isaiah 55:1

*"Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters; and you who have no money,  
come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money  
and without cost." NIV*

Isaiah 26:3

*You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast,  
because they trust in you. NIV*

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Isaiah 59:2

*But your iniquities have separated you from your God; your sins have hidden his  
face from you, so that he will not hear. NIV*

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Isaiah 42:1

*"Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen one in whom I delight; I will put my  
Spirit on him, and he will bring justice to the nations." NIV*

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Isaiah 55:11

*So is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will  
accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it. NIV*

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Isaiah 55:6

*Seek the LORD while he may be found; call on him while he is near. NIV*

Isaiah 48:17

*This is what the LORD says – your Redeemer, the Holy One of Israel: "I am the LORD  
your God, who teaches you what is best for you, who directs you  
in the way you should go." NIV*

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Isaiah 43:1

*But now, this is what the LORD says – he who created you, Jacob, he who formed  
you, Israel: "Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by name;  
you are mine." NIV*

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Isaiah 59:1

*Surely the arm of the LORD is not too short to save, nor his ear too dull to hear. NIV*

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Isaiah 44:6

*"This is what the LORD says – Israel's King and Redeemer, the LORD Almighty: I am  
the first and I am the last; apart from me there is no God." NIV*

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Isaiah 40:28

*Do you not know? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom. NIV*

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Isaiah 60:1

*"Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD rises upon you." NIV*

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Isaiah 40:8

*"The grass withers and the flowers fall, but the word of our God endures forever." NIV*

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Isaiah 6:8

*Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I. Send me!" NIV*

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Isaiah 5:20

*Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who put darkness for light and light for darkness, who put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter. NIV*

Isaiah 53:1

*Who has believed our message and to whom has the arm of  
the LORD been revealed? NIV*

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Isaiah 52:7

*How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who bring good news, who  
proclaim peace, who bring good tidings, who proclaim salvation, who say to Zion,  
"Your God reigns!" NIV*

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Isaiah 53:7

*He was oppressed and afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; he was led like a  
lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before its shearers is silent, so he did not  
open his mouth. NIV*

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Isaiah 40:22

*He sits enthroned above the circle of the earth, and its people are like  
grasshoppers. He stretches out the heavens like a canopy, and spreads  
them out like a tent to live in. NIV*

Isaiah 55:10

*As the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return to it without watering the earth and making it bud and flourish, so that it yields seed for the sower and bread for the eater NIV*

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Isaiah 1:9

*Unless the LORD Almighty had left us some survivors, we would have become like Sodom, we would have been like Gomorrah. NIV*

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Isaiah 29:13

*The Lord says: "These people come near to me with their mouth and honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me. Their worship of me is based on merely human rules they have been taught." NIV*

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Isaiah 54:17

*No weapon forged against you will prevail, and you will refute every tongue that accuses you. This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD, and this is their vindication from me," declares the LORD." NIV*

### Isaiah 46:10

*I make known the end from the beginning, from ancient times, what is still to come. I say, 'My purpose will stand, and I will do all that I please.'* NIV

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### Isaiah 49:15

*"Can a mother forget the baby at her breast and have no compassion on the child she has borne? Though she may forget, I will not forget you!"* NIV

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## **Isaiah's Life**

The earliest recorded event in his life is his call to prophecy as now found in the sixth chapter of the Book of Isaiah; this occurred about 742 BCE. The vision (probably in the [Jerusalem Temple](#)) that made him a prophet is described in a first-person narrative. According to this account he “saw” God and was overwhelmed by his contact with the divine glory and holiness. He became agonizingly aware of God’s need for a messenger to the people of Israel, and, despite his own sense of inadequacy, he offered himself for God’s service: “Here am I! Send me.” He was thus commissioned to give voice to the divine word. It was no light undertaking; he was to condemn his own people and watch the nation crumble and perish. As he tells it, he was only too aware that, coming with such a message, he would experience bitter opposition, willful disbelief, and ridicule, to withstand which he would have to be inwardly fortified. All this came to him in the form of a vision and ended as a sudden, firm, and lifelong resolve.