

## Isaiah Outline Handout – 2018 Jan 3

Isaiah 41 – Israel is assured of God's help

vs. 1 – similar to a court of law

vs. 2-4 – Cyrus of Persia being called by the God of history

vs. 8-10 – Israel my servant though punished for faithlessness  
will now be restored

There is a different emphasis on "servant" in the Servant Songs

vs. 14 – Redeemer - avenger of the oppressed and liberator of  
the Lord's people

vs. 21-24 – pagan nations are challenged to prove the validity  
of their gods

vs. 25-29 – Cyrus is the Persian king who allowed the exiles to  
return (2 Chronicles 36 – Ezra 1:8) and Rebuild the  
temple (Ezra 5:13-6:14), as appointed by the Lord  
(Isaiah 44:28-45:13)

The Servant Songs – Forward Day By Day

Matthew 12:15-21 – God's Chosen Servant; work of healing

Isaiah 42:1-4 – The First Servant Song – A Light to the Nations

Isaiah 49:1-6 – The Second Servant Song – The Servants Mission

Isaiah 50:4-11 – The Third Servants Song – Servants Humiliation  
and Vindication

Isaiah 52:13-53:12 – The Fourth Servants Song – The Suffering  
Servant