

David's empire is a small thing, and , after all, David's empire had ~~xx~~ disappeared centuries before and the Northern part of the region ...some people talked about~~t~~///.. ~~k~~ what I am sure is ~~th~~at in Isaiah's day , somebody else will say ...God said that it was going to be done, and ...is the type of work ~~th~~at the Servant of the L~~o~~d~~r~~ d~~r~~///... and here , even more than before, you could say, well, how on earth shall our nation be missed. What was the method by ~~thi~~ which this work was to be accomplished . You go on to verse two, He shall ...and shall cause his voice to be ~~ha~~ heard in the streets. It is not a tremendous fighting force that will ...it is not by man's tremendous efforts~~th~~at it is going to be accomplished. Look at verse three . A bruised reed ~~w~~ shall he not break and a smoking flax shall he not quench. Well, if there is anything that disgusts you about a bruised ~~reed~~ reed...orthe person that ...takes those ..but this one doesn't ~~have~~ have to do that. He moves forward with confidence. He moves forward with certainty. He moves forward ~~wi~~th~~th~~e with the knowledge ~~x~~ that the Spirit of God is upon him, there is no question ^{beginning} that the work can be accomplished. Look at the ~~end~~ of verse four. He ~~sa~~ shall not fail nor be discouraged. How could these people in ~~dis~~ despair , in ~~min~~ ~~min~~ misery, in sin, see their nation go into sin, knowing exile is certain. How can they ~~thi~~ng- think that this is a ~~pic~~ picture of God, they won't fail, they won't be discouraged. To establish justice throughout the world and to ~~br~~ing~~t~~ bring the prisoners that sit in darkness out of the prison. Why do ...How can they bring everybody out of the prison house and so this very ~~so~~ sacred~~task~~ task which the Servant of the Lord and where ~~the~~ ~~his~~ His Word is described does not solve the problem at all, but it places before us the contrast Israel is God's Servant, God is going to preserve Israel because the work has to be done. This is the work which God predicted~~x~~ that is going to be done. And so the problem has been put before