

33: The prophet warns to one who is present and to one who is absent also (rhetorical). What is it then? Some says that it is Sennacherib but Dr. MacRae says that it is Assyrian power to which Sennacherib was the ruler. The power of Sennacherib was to down fall, but the prophet says That oh, Jehovah be gracious to us who are waiting for thy salvation day by day in the time of trouble. Further more the prophet addresses to those who will be scattered like a caterpillar, while He praises highly the justice, glorious righteousness and stability. There is the fullness of salvation to them.

Then Isaiah pronounces again the complete desolation of the enemy of His people, in which every thing turns into the entire opposite scheme - peace and weeping; the land be burn down by fire. Therefore you the people of Israel, says Isaiah, repent your various sins against the Lord. There is nothing which can stand against the burning fire of His anger without burning. Isaiah says, therefore, you walk righteously and stop doing evil ~~their~~ and shake you hand from taking a bribe. Then He will bless upon you abundantly.

The prophet makes them for sure to see the king in His beauty and majesty by the reason of His retreating their enemies. So He shows them more picture of the messianic kingdom far away. He uses the method of making ~~without~~ one assure for his enemies's disappearance from their powerful reign and tremendous conquering by raising a question on their situation. Then He gives the glorious vision of the Lord who is the Being of justice and solemnity, and of majesty and of unspeakable richness. Finally he stresses that He, even this Lord will bring the spiritual revival unto you after all over this great struggle.

34: Most interpreters think that this and next chapter are each other contrast: the former comes to the near future and the latter to the later than the former.

At the beginning the prophet pronounces the punishment upon all the nations of the world. Jehovah is going, says he, to cast them into the