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I am on the run today, I have finished the ~~xxx~~ church history, and right after that I had to run ~~to~~ up to South Hampton which is an hour and a quarter on revolution, and then rushed back to get here on time to discuss Isaiah.

? So, changing years rapidly, but we were working into this 53rd chapter. We have seen the work of the servant suggested in chapter ~~41~~ 41. We've seen the ~~servant's soliloquy~~ servant's soliloquy in 42. We've seen the servant in 49 distinguished from from Israel, though he is an Israel, he is of Israel, he represents Israel, yet he is distinguished from Israel, he has^a work to do for Israel as well as for the Gentiles. And now we see the actual work. So here, ~~if~~ we have the, we read the point where we find out what the work really is, and so now we have the servant here exalted, humiliated, and then ^{his} the reason for/humiliation is in order to provide cleansing. And then I believe we start a new paragraph. The kings shall shut their mouths at him. His work is to reach a wide area, to reach the people of standing. Kings shall shut their mouths at him: for that which has not been told them shall they see; and that which they had not heard shall they consider. They are going to be led to look into ~~thinking that~~ the thing that never occurred ~~to~~ to them before, ~~the~~ things that would have never come into human philosophy, the things that God has revealed. Who has believed our report? what we have ^{heard?} ~~heard?~~ Who would have ~~believed~~ believed that. ~~It's~~ It isn't saying that people won't. It is saying that it is strange, incomprehensible thing contrary to normal expectations, because normally ^{you} ~~they~~ expect ^a great conquerer to come, and have a great victory. ~~It~~ Instead of that you ~~have~~ have ^{come} a man coming humiliated, and suffering. A Very strange and unexpected event. And so now who has believed what we have heard? ~~And~~ And to whom is the arm of the Lord revealed? How would you have expected that the force of the Lord, the strength of the Lord, the power of the Lord would be made visible in such a way as this.