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Short Study 27:

THE SUFFERING SERVANT

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Read Isaiah 52:13-53:12

This passage is, without doubt, the most comprehensive prophecy of the crucifixion in the Old Testament.

The purpose of this Study is to examine the prophecy point-by-point to see how they were fulfilled by our Saviour, Jesus. From what you know of our Lord's earthly life, death and resurrection, see how many prophecies you can find in this passage that He fulfilled. You might like to consult the following passages to help you. (This is not a comprehensive list and it might not cover every point. Some passages might contain more than one point. They are not in the order the points appear in the Isaiah passage.):

Matt 27:11-14.

Matt 28:1-6.

Mark 15:17-27

Luke 2:1-16 & 51-52.

Luke 4:28-29.

John 19:38-42.

Rom 5:6-8, 18-21.

2 Cor 5:21.

Phil 2:9.

1 Pet 1:2.

To think about: Am I fully appreciating what Jesus went through on my behalf?

To dig deeper: Read a commentary on the Isaiah passage (such as those by Matthew Henry or Albert Barnes, available on Bible Hub www.biblehub.com).