

**MY SERVANT WILL LOVE
ZECHARIAH 12:1-10**

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

- How does the story of Moses lifting up the serpent in the desert relate to Jesus being lifted up on the cross?
- Keith walked through several keys for New Testament believers to understand and interpret the Old Testament. How were these helpful for you and how might they change the way you look at and read the Old Testament?
- How is it that Jesus became a “curse” for us? Why is this such an important idea for us to understand as Christians?
- Sermon Question: Why is it good news that Jesus was lifted up and pierced?



FAMILY QUESTIONS

- What does it mean that Jesus was “pierced” here in Zechariah (see also Isaiah 53:5)? Why is this important?
- Read Numbers 21:4-9. How does this story relate to Jesus being hung on the cross.
- Did Jesus “have to” die on the cross? Why or why not? Why does this end up being “good news” for believers?

WEEKLY PRAYER

- Our Men & Women in Uniform
- Benedict & Kathleen Schwartz, Village of Hope Zambia
- Jeff Swanstrom, Elder
- Rob Monson, Financial Secretary
- Equipping Classes
- New Life Community Church, Oshkosh
- Pray for those who do not yet have a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus. (Colossians 4:2-4)

CROSS REFERENCES

Numbers 21:9 (cf. John 3:14)
Isaiah 42:5; 48:13
Isaiah 51:17, 21-22; 53:5
Jeremiah 31:9; 50:4
Zechariah 14:1-5
Matthew 21:44
John 19:34-37
Revelation 1:7

SCRIPTURE MEMORY

But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.
Isaiah 53:5 (ESV)

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

O Come, All You Unfaithful
https://youtu.be/3_bh_qldY_A
Sing We the Song of Emmanuel
https://youtu.be/_MUWyArzHgc