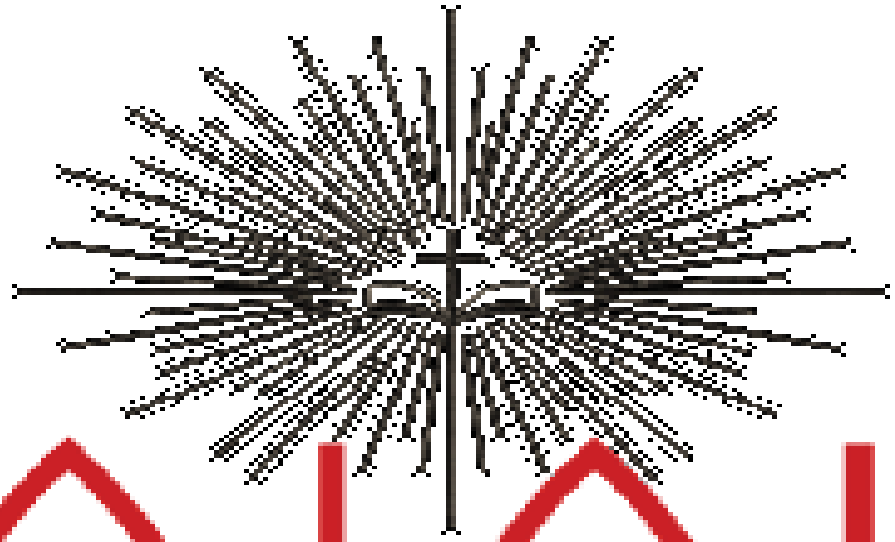


ISAIAH

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Lesson 6 Chapters 13-18

HOW FAITH RISES WHEN NATIONS FALL



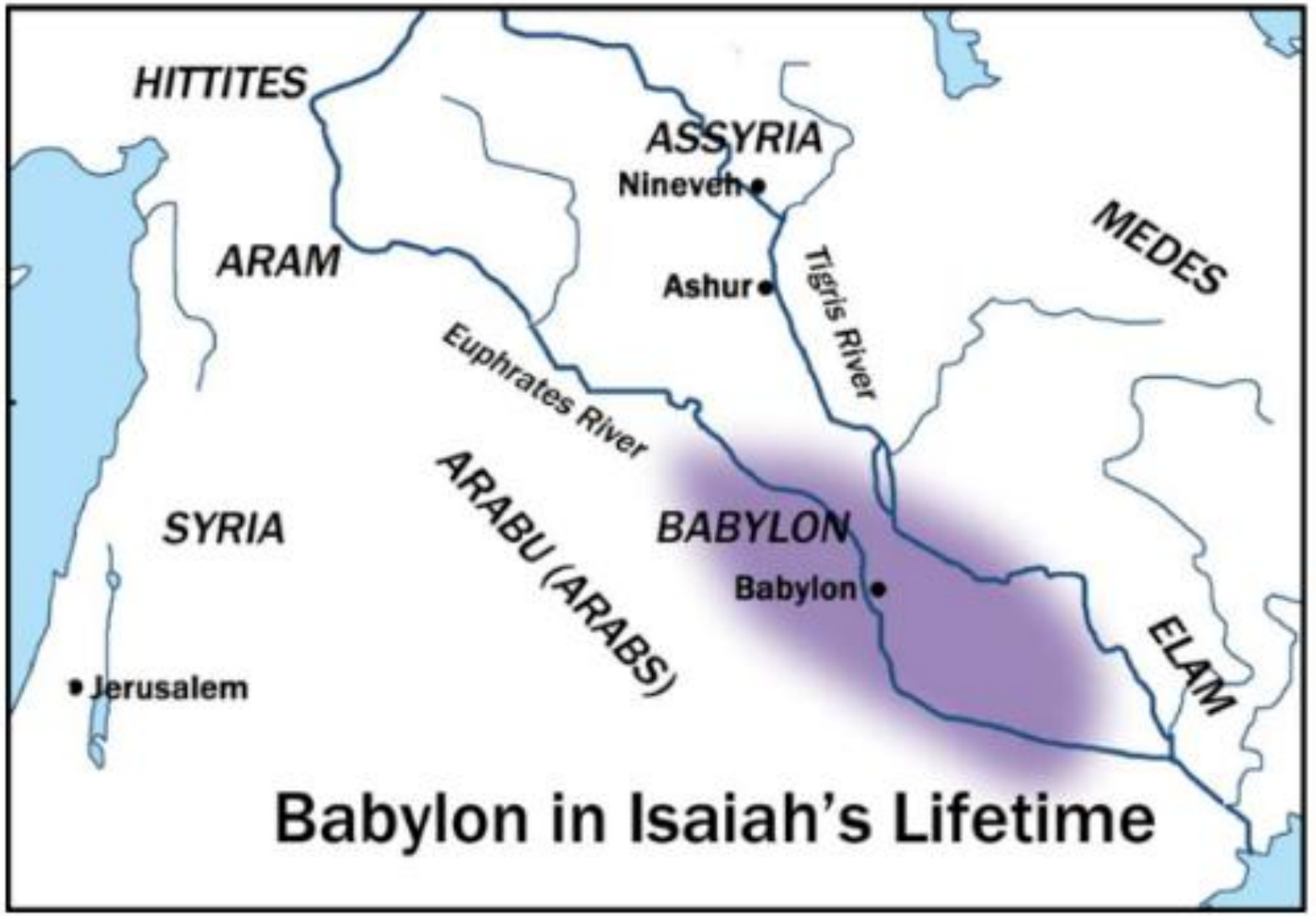
What does that mean?

- Burden
  - Emphasizes the emotional and spiritual weight
  - To lift or carry; very heavy message of weighty importance
- Oracle
  - The formal proclamation itself – a message from God - utterance
  - To lift up the voice
- Prophecy
  - Broader prophetic activity and its fulfillment

What does that mean?

- Prophetic Tense
  - Speaking of a future event as if it had already happened

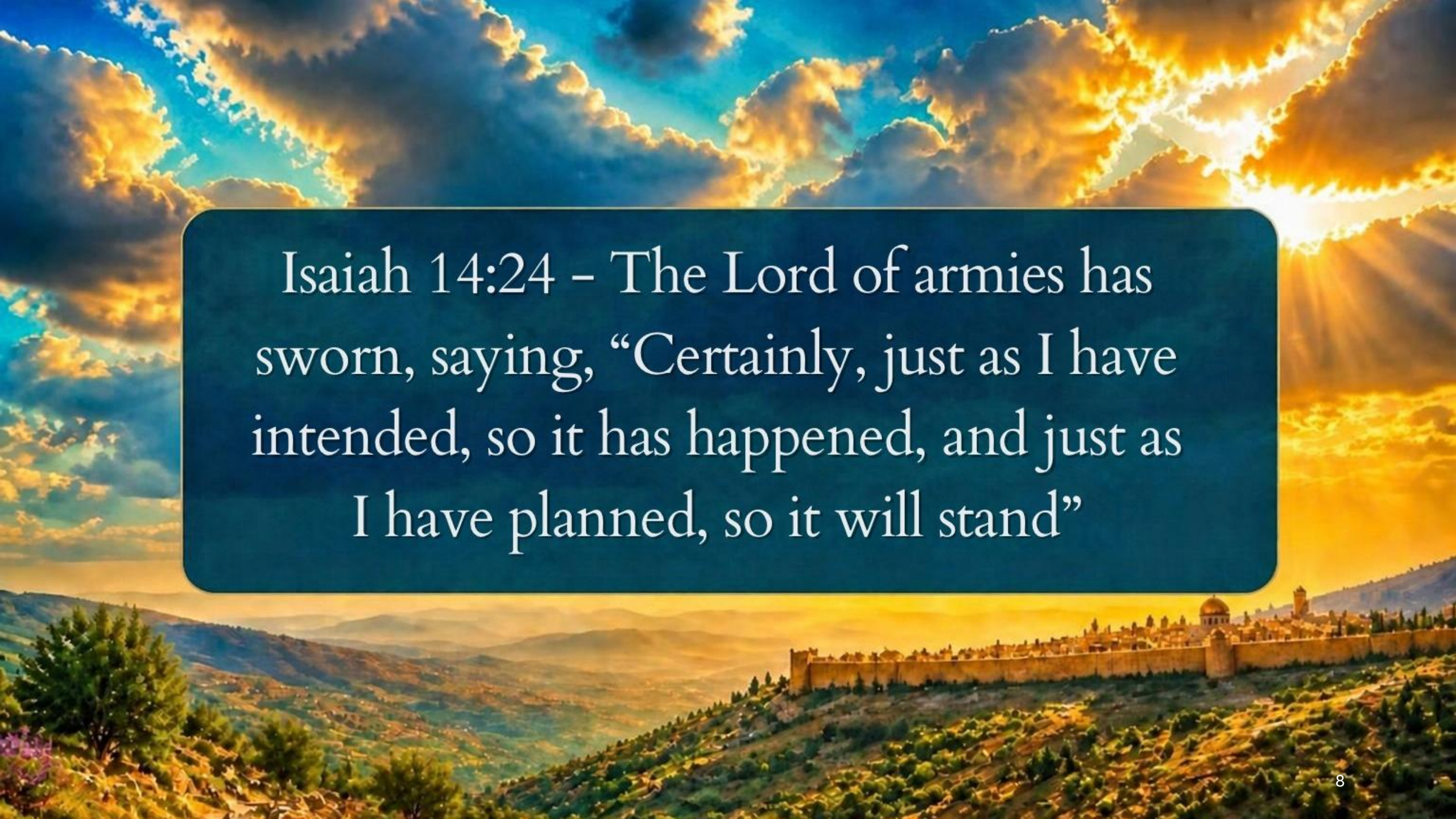
Prophet's Own Time	Captivity and Restoration	Intertestament Period	Christ's First Coming	Christ's Second Coming	New Heaven / New Earth
					
Focuses on the immediate 8th-century BC geopolitical landscape, the Assyrian crisis, and warnings to Judah.	Covers the upcoming Babylonian exile, the fall of proud nations, and the return to rebuild the temple.	**The transitional "silent years" bridge these historical points.**	Marks the arrival of the promised Messiah, His virgin birth, earthly ministry, and redemptive cross.	**Focuses on Christ's return in final glory, sovereign judgment, and triumph over proud human empires.**	Represents the ultimate fulfillment of God's redemptive plan: absolute peace and renewed creation.



Isaiah 13:1-14:23; 21:1-10


TURKEY
unnamed peak
Arbīl
Mosūl
As Sulaymānīyah
Kirkuk
SYRIA
IRAN
Buḥayrat ath Tharthār
Sāmarrā
BAGHDAD
Ar Ramādī
Ar Ruṭbah
Buḥayrat ar Razāzah
Karbalā'
BABYLON
An Najaf
Euphrates
An Nāṣirīyah
Al Başrah
Umm Qasr
SAUDI ARABIA
KUWAIT
0 50 100 km


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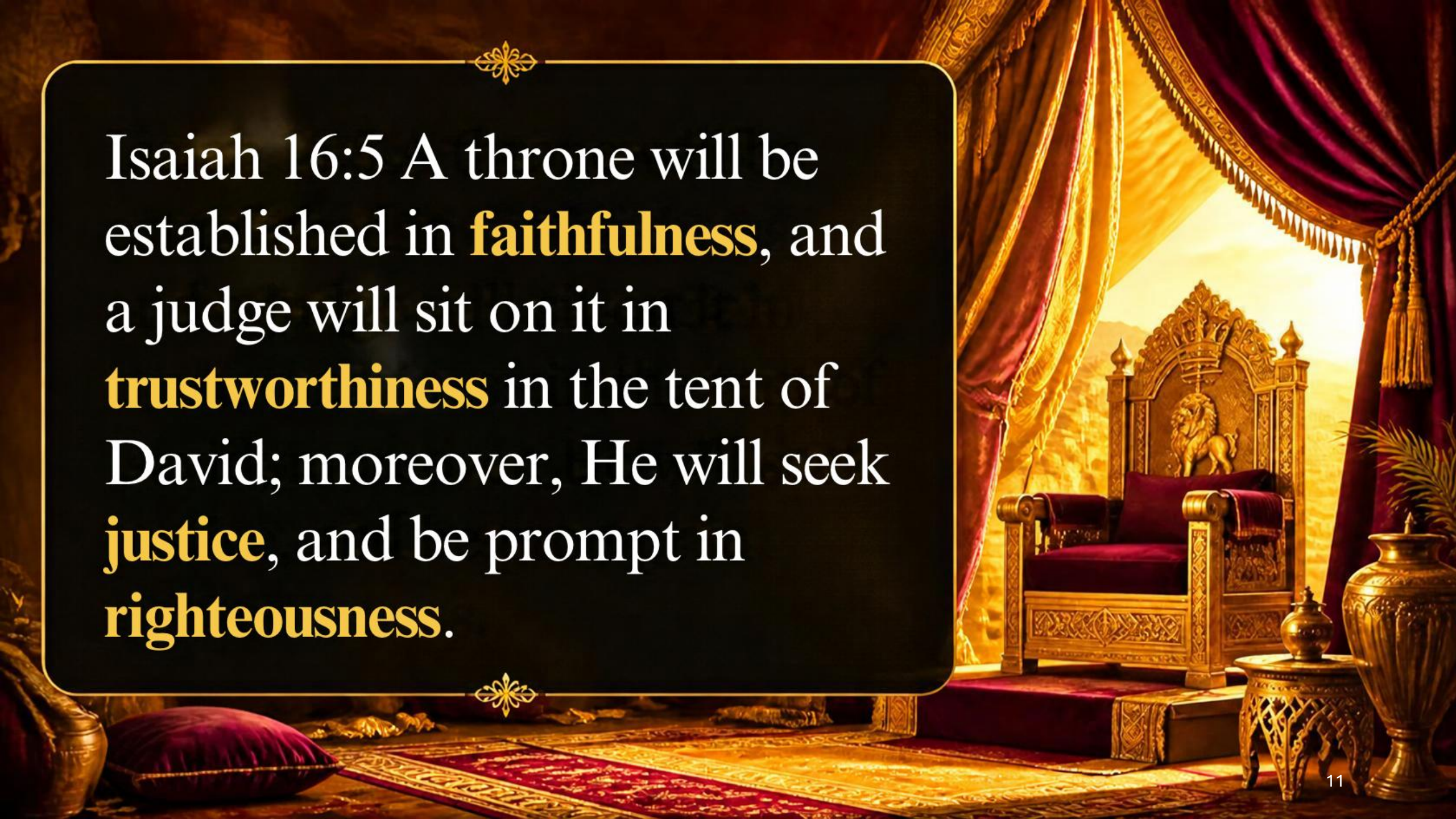

Isaiah 14:24 - The Lord of armies has sworn, saying, “Certainly, just as I have intended, so it has happened, and just as I have planned, so it will stand”



Isaiah 14:28-32


PHOENECIA
ISRAEL
AMMON
Jerusalem
Nebo
Medeba
Dibon
Arnon River
?Ar
Kir
MOAB
PHILISTIA
JUDAH
Brook Zered
EDOM

Isaiah 15-16


Isaiah 16:5 A throne will be established in faithfulness, and a judge will sit on it in trustworthiness in the tent of David; moreover, He will seek justice, and be prompt in righteousness.


Mediterranean
Sea
Lebo
ARAM
(Syria)
Damascus
PHOENECIA
ISRAEL
Samaria
AMMON
Jerusalem
PHILISTIA
JUDAH

Isaiah 17


Egypt and Ethiopia (Cush) in Isaiah's Time (25th Dynasty)
Zoan
Memphis
Nile River
EGYPT
Thebes
SINAI
1st Cataract
2nd Cataract
ETHIOPIA (CUSH)
3rd Cataract
4th Cataract
Napata
5th Cataract
Meroë
6th Cataract
Khartoum
White Nile R.
Blue Nile R.

Isaiah 18-19

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- When Earthly Wrongs Persist . . .

- Those whose help comes from God and whose hope rests in Him experience genuine blessing (Psalms 146:3-5)
- God strengthens the weary, and those who wait for Him renew their strength (Isaiah 40:29-31)
- Accomplishment comes not through human might or power, but through God's Spirit (Zechariah 4:6)

Where human empires collapse under pride, **Christ's throne** is established forever in love and refuge

