LORD, HELP US TO SEE

Isaiah 6:1-13

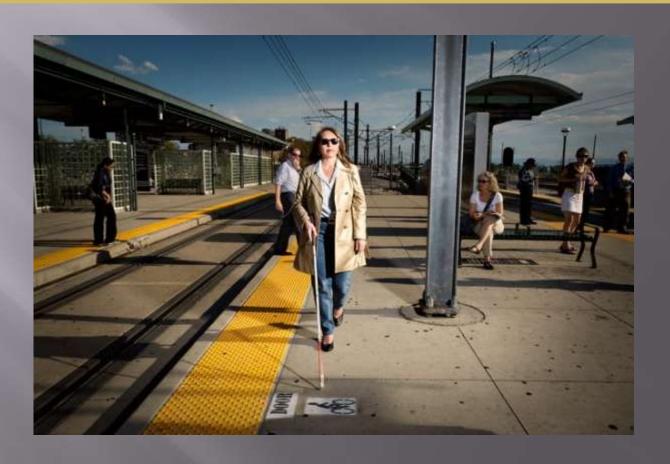
Ours is a beautiful world.



There are other beautiful things.



Unfortunately some people are blind.



The worst blindness is spiritual blindness.

Matthew 15:14

14 "Let them alone; they are blind guides of the blind. And if a blind man guides a blind man, both will fall into a pit."

2 Corinthians 4:4

4 in whose case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelieving, that they might not see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God.

We must see the holiness of God, vss.

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What Isaiah saw about God...

God's majesty

God's transcendence

God's holiness

What are we trying to do with God?



Jeremiah 10:6-7
6 There is none like Thee, O Lord;
Thou art great, and great is Thy name in might.
7 Who would not fear Thee, O King of the nations?
Indeed it is Thy due!
For among all the wise men of the nations,
And in all their kingdoms,
There is none like Thee.

Psalm 71:19
19 For Thy righteousness, O God, reaches to the heavens,
Thou who hast done great things;
O God, who is like Thee?

We must see man's guilt, vss. 5-7

What Isaiah saw about himself...

He is utterly unlike God.

He will surely be destroyed.

He got what he needed most.

Psalm 24:1-4 24 The earth is the Lord's, and all it contains, The world, and those who dwell in it. 2 For He has founded it upon the seas, And established it upon the rivers. 3 Who may ascend into the hill of the Lord? And who may stand in His holy place? 4 He who has clean hands and a pure heart, Who has not lifted up his soul to falsehood, And has not sworn deceitfully.

We must see God's grace, vss. 5-7

What Isaiah saw about his task...

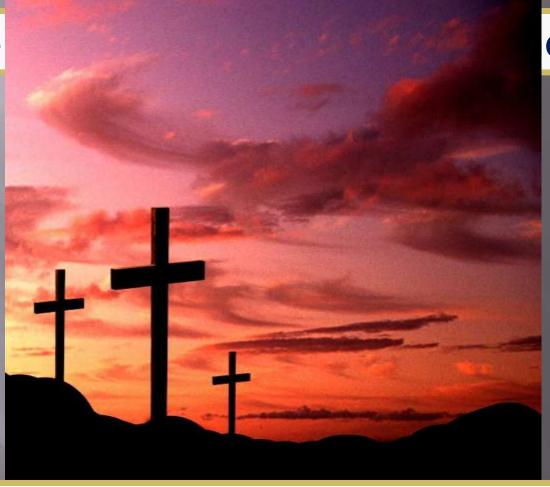
He is ready to preach.

His message will be negative.

He will give people hope.

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This is our message of hope.