

**Connected To God Part 39**  
**Isaiah 56-57**

**The Title Of The Message: “Are You Ready?”**

**The Key Word: “Hold Fast”**

**The Thought: When we are obedient to the Lord, we can look forward to the blessings of the Lord.**

**The Breakdown:**

**Verses 1-11 Ready For Salvation And Righteousness...**

**Verses 12-Chapter 57:11 Ready To See The Truth...**

**Verses 12-21 Ready To Repent...**

**Verses 1-11 Ready For Salvation And Righteousness...**

**Isaiah 56:1-2**

**Thus says the LORD...**

**Malachi 3:10 (NKJV) Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, That there may be food in My house, And try Me now in this,” Says the Lord of hosts, “If I will not open for you the windows of heaven And pour out for you such blessing That there will not be room enough to receive it.**

**Keeps from defiling the Sabbath...**

**Exodus 31:15 (NKJV) Work shall be done for six days, but the seventh is the Sabbath of rest, holy to the Lord. Whoever does any work on the Sabbath day, he shall surely be put to death.**

**Leviticus 25:4 (NKJV) but in the seventh year there shall be a sabbath of solemn rest for the land, a sabbath to the Lord. You shall neither sow your field nor prune your vineyard.**

**Isaiah 56:3-5**

**Do not let the son of the foreigner...**

**Hebrews 13:5 (NKJV) Let your conduct be without covetousness; be content with such things as you have. For He Himself has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you."**

**Nor let the eunuch say...**

**Acts 8:26-40**

**Isaiah 56:6-8**

**Also the sons of the foreigner...**

**Their burnt offerings and their sacrifices...**

**Isaiah 56:9-11**

**All you beasts of the field...**

**Revelation 19:17-18**

**His watchmen [are] blind...**

**Verses 12-Chapter 57:11 Ready To See The Truth...**

**Isaiah 56:12**

**Come," [one says]...**

**Isaiah 57:1-2**

**The righteous perishes...**

**Isaiah 57:3-6**

**But come here, You sons of the sorceress...**

**Job 4:8 (NKJV) Even as I have seen, Those who plow iniquity And sow trouble reap the same.**

**Galatians 6:7 (NKJV) Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap.**

**Under every green tree...**

**Slaying the children in the valleys...**

**Isaiah 57:7-11**

**On a lofty and high mountain...**

**1 Peter 2:11 (NKJV) Beloved, I beg you as sojourners and pilgrims, abstain from fleshly lusts which war against the soul**

**And of whom have you been afraid...**

**Verses 12-21 Ready To Repent...**

**Isaiah 57:12-13**

**I will declare your righteousness...**

**But he who puts his trust in Me...**

**Isaiah 57:14-15**

**And one shall say...**

**Isaiah 57:16-19**

**For I will not contend forever...**

**Philippians 1:6 (NKJV) being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ;**

**Isaiah 57:20-21**

**But the wicked [are] like the troubled sea...**

**Application:**

- 1. If you want to have a blessed life then you must live an obedient life to and for Jesus.**
- 2. The righteous may not be missed by the world but they are noticed by the Lord, who will deal with the wicked.**
- 3. We can't put our trust in our own righteousness but when we put our trust in the Lord then we have His righteousness on us.**