

# The Fear of the Lord (Isaiah 6:1-8)

*Praying with Jesus – Part 2*

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*James 5:16b (NIV) The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.*

*Proverbs 9:10 (NIV) "The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding."*

## 1. See your \_\_\_\_\_ King

*Isaiah 6:1a (NIV) In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a throne, ...*

### 1A. Realize the Lord is \_\_\_\_\_

*Isaiah 6:1b (NIV) ... high and exalted, and the train of his robe filled the temple.*

### 1B. Powerful angels \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord

*Isaiah 6:2-4 (NIV) Above him were seraphs, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. And they were calling to one another: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory." At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke.*

## 2. \_\_\_\_\_ to God's holiness

### 2A. \_\_\_\_\_ of your sin

*Isaiah 6:5 (NIV) "Woe to me!" I cried. "I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty."*

### 2B. Receive God's \_\_\_\_\_

*Isaiah 6:6-7 (NIV) Then one of the seraphs flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. With it he touched my mouth and said, "See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for."*

*1 Peter 1:15-16 (NIV) But just as he who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do; for it is written: "Be holy, because I am holy."*

## 3. \_\_\_\_\_ others to fear God

### 3A. God is looking for \_\_\_\_\_

*Isaiah 6:8a (NIV) Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?"*

### 3B. \_\_\_\_\_ for God's mission

*Isaiah 6:8b-9a (NIV) And I said, "Here am I. Send me!" He said, "Go and tell this people:*

# The Fear of the Lord (Isaiah 6:1-8) Study Guide

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Intro. What would be the results of powerful and effective prayer (James 5:16)?

How would you define the fear of the Lord (Proverbs 9:10)? What does the fear of the Lord have to do with wisdom and understanding?

What do you think the phrase “Hallowed by your name” in the Lord’s prayer means (Matthew 6:9)?

1A. What emotion do you think Isaiah felt when he saw the Lord (Isaiah 6:1)?

1B. How does the description of the worship of seraphs affect your understanding of heaven (Isaiah 6:2-4)?

1C. What does the call of the seraphs mean (Isaiah 6:3)?

1D. How can we grow in our understanding of the holiness of God?

2A. Why did Isaiah respond to the vision of God as he did (Isaiah 6:5)?

2B. In what ways did the seraph’s action point ahead to the sacrifice of Christ (Isaiah 6:6-7)?

2C. Why does God’s holiness require us to be holy as well (1 Peter 1:15-16)?

2D. What does it mean to be holy and live holy lives? How can we grow in holy living?

3A. Why do you think the Lord asked who He should send to speak to Israel (Isaiah 6:8a)?

3B. What can we learn from Isaiah’s response to the Lord’s questions (Isaiah 6:8b)?

3C. What else can we learn from the Lord’s response to Isaiah volunteering (Isaiah 6:9)?

3D. How can we help bring about the hallowing of God’s name on earth as it is being hallowed in heaven?