



***“The Exalted Servant”***

Isaiah 53:7-12 ♦ Pastor Jim Lennon  
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***Introduction*** - *In the last two stanzas of Isaiah’s fourth Song of the Servant, Isaiah describes the two strikingly different sides of the cross that Jesus endured.*

***I. The Two Sides of the Cross.***

- A. The historical reality of the cross. Evil had its day.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- B. The divine reality of the cross. God overrules evil.

***II. The Cost and Reward of Obedience to God.***

- A. Jesus’ death was a voluntary act of obedience to God.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- B. As a result of Jesus’ obedience God vindicated and exalted Him.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- C. How God vindicated and exalted Him.
  - 1. He raised Him from the dead.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - 2. He inherited great honor.

3. He justified many.

D. The example He set for us- obedience, death-resurrection.

E. Lessons from the Cross:

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***Conclusion*** -