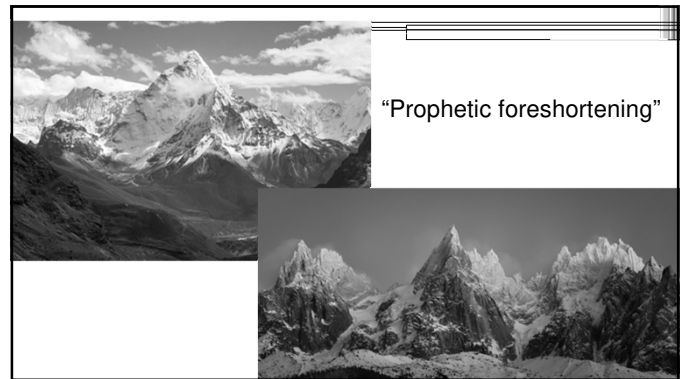




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Isaiah 11:1-16

➤ Context:

- Isaiah pronounces the (soon) coming judgment of Israel and Judah at the hands of Assyria, and then a great deliverance by a unique Davidic King
- Isaiah pronounces the (soon) coming destruction of the king and nation of Assyria...

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Isaiah 11:1-16

Then a shoot will spring from the stem of Jesse,
And a branch from his roots will bear fruit. (v.1)

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The Root of Jesse

1. The Prince of Peace (11:1-9)

- the ideal king, a new David, will arise from the felled (judged) stump of Judah (cf. 6:13)

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The Root of Jesse

1. The Prince of Peace (11:1-9)

- **fitness to rule** – the complete endowment with the Spirit of Yahweh giving him true wisdom
- **manner of his rule** – perfect righteousness and justice because he is filled with perfect knowledge
- **result of his rule** – universal peace and security; Eden restored and expanded

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The Root of Jesse

- Fulfillment in Jesus Christ
 - in His earthly ministry Jesus was anointed with the Holy Spirit to accomplish His Father's will in perfect obedience and delight (Matt. 3:16; John 1:32)
 - at His return Jesus will judge the world in justice and establish His universal reign in His eternal kingdom (2 Thess. 2:8; Rev. 19:11-16)

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The Root of Jesse

- 2. The Promised Return (11:10-16)
 - Messiah is the banner which draws the nations and the remnant of Israel to himself for salvation-rest
 - in Exodus-like power, God will remove every barrier to restore His transformed people to Himself

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The Root of Jesse

- Fulfillment in Jesus Christ
 - Jesus Christ has been "lifted up" as God's saving banner to the nations today
 - Romans 15:12; John 12:32
 - Jesus Christ is our final and perfect resting place, our final home

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