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## **BIBLE CHARACTER STUDY OLD TESTAMENT:**

(Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel)

#### Keys from Isaiah — The Eloquent Prophet: Prophesying God's Messiah

Isaiah 7:14 — [PROPHESY OF THE VIRGIN BIRTH] — "Therefore the Lord Himself will give you a sign: Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a Son, and shall call His name Immanuel."

Isaiah 9:6 — [PROPHESY OF JESUS] — "For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

Isaiah 40:31 — [ENCOURAGEMENT] "But those who wait on the Lord Shall renew their strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint."

Isaiah 53:5 - [PROPHESY OF THE CROSS OF CHRIST] "But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed."

## Keys from Jeremiah — The Weeping Prophet: Prophesying God's Judgment

Jeremiah 1:5 — [CALL OF JEREMIAH — AND REFERENCE TO LIFE IN THE WOMB] — "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you; Before you were born I sanctified you; I ordained you a prophet to the nations."

Jeremiah 17:7 — [ENCOURAGEMENT] "Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord, And whose hope is the Lord."

Jeremiah 29:13 — [SEEKING GOD] "And you will seek Me and find Me, when you search for Me with all your heart."

Jeremiah 31:31 — [PROPHESY OF A NEW COVENANT] — "Behold, the days are coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah."

Jeremiah 33:3 —"Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know."

### Keys from Ezekiel — The Priestly Prophet: Prophesying God's Glory

Ezekiel 3:17 — [WATCHMAN FOR ISRAEL — REPRESENTING PRAYER] — "Son of man, I have made you a watchman for the house of Israel; therefore hear a word from My mouth, and give them warning from Me:"

**Ezekiel 33:11** — "Say to them: "As I live," says the Lord God, "I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but that the wicked turn from his way and live. Turn, turn from your evil ways! For why should you die, O house of Israel?"

Ezekiel 28:12-13 — [DESCRIPTION OF LUCIFER BEFORE THE FALL] — "Thus says the Lord God: "You were the seal of perfection, Full of wisdom and perfect in beauty. You were in Eden, the garden of God..."

**Ezekiel 37** — Prophesy of the DRY BONES coming to Life — representing Israel being restored to life, and how, when we were dead (like dry bones) in our sins, God gives us new life and salvation through Jesus Christ.

MAJOR PROPHETS: Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, Daniel — MINOR PROPHETS: Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi — OTHER PROPHETS: Elijah, Elisha, Gad, Micaiah, Nathan, Samuel

Between the Old Testament and New Testament - was 400 years of silence.

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