



# The Notes

## **“I WONDER why we don’t WONDER about the WONDER of God”**

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I have come to see in my experience that we have a God-sized problem. Or better stated,  
**“WE HAVE A \_\_\_\_\_ PROBLEM!”**

**God is not always \_\_\_\_\_ and never  
\_\_\_\_\_ !! Let us NOT FORGET—He is also:**

Point #1.....

**I. God Is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_**

**First, some Brief BACKGROUND:**

- Isaiah’s ministry was early in God’s use of the prophets, which began after the split of the united monarchy of Saul/David/Solomon...930BC.
- The kingdom split to North under Jeroboam (10 tribes, Israel, capital Samaria)

and South under Solomon's son, Rehoboam (2 tribes, Judah, capital Jerusalem).

- The Northern kingdom—20 corrupt/evil kings would be destroyed by Assyria in 722BC. The Southern kingdom—8 good kings/12 bad kings—would later be taken captive in the exile in 586BC under Babylon.
- Isaiah was a major prophet to the southern kingdom of Judah for over 5 decades starting around 739BC thru 686BC. At the start of his prophetic ministry, King Uzziah, also referred to in 2 Kings as Azariah, had been in power but has died in 739BC of leprosy.

*In the year of King Uzziah's death I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, lofty and exalted, with the train of His robe filling the temple.*

Isaiah 6:1

*Seraphim stood above Him, each having six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew.*

Isaiah 6:2-3

*And the foundations (literally the door sockets) of the thresholds trembled at the voice of him who called out, while the house or temple was filling with smoke.*

Isaiah 6:4

Point #2.....

**II.—Man is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ for  
service before God**

*Then I said, "Woe is me, for I am ruined  
(i.e., a dead man)! Because I am a man of  
unclean lips, and I live among a people of  
unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the  
King, the LORD of hosts."*

Isaiah 6:5

Point #3.....THE GOOD NEWS---READY??

**III.—God \_\_\_\_\_ and makes us**

\_\_\_\_\_

*"Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a  
burning coal in his hand, which he had taken  
from the altar with tongs. He touched my  
mouth with it and said, 'Behold, this has  
touched your lips; and your iniquity is taken  
away and your sin is forgiven.'"*

Isaiah 6:6-7

### **CONCLUSION:**

The next time (and each time) you come  
before God in worship, prayer, etc., do these  
4 things:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ who God is as actually seen  
in scripture.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ Him humbly as the  
MAJESTIC, HOLY, EXALTED, and  
POWERFUL King and it's OK...he invited  
us to come boldly into his presence  
(Heb 4:14-16)  
but remember...do it with the proper  
attitude!!
3. \_\_\_\_\_ realize He has cleansed  
you and made you acceptable for fellowship  
with Him and partnership with Him in  
service.
4. When arrogance and pride, uncertainly,  
doubt or fear invade your thinking and  
deplete your faith, \_\_\_\_\_ and  
about the WONDER of GOD!!!!