

# I Promise You II

## On the Camino

Okay fellow travelers, here's the context. This week I am going to pick out a Messianic promise and read it to you....as a group we can think about these questions and each of us will answer them in our own style and from our own perspective.

Clues: So you have a chance to look some contexts and history up in advance, here are possibilities.

1. You might want to look up what life was like in Malachi's time.
2. Ditto Genesis
3. Yep, Zechariah also.
4. Micah should be a contender
5. We can always hope I won't pull something out of a back pocket somewhere.

## Questions:

1. What was the context in which the prophesy was given.
2. Why do you think that prophecy was given at that time?
3. What name of God is used in this text? Why?
4. What might have been the benefit for the people of Jesus time?
5. Given who you are, what would it have been like for you to hear this prophecy: in the time it was given, during the Babylonian Diaspora, in the time of Jesus, in the Middle Ages? Put yourself in each of those places.
6. What do you like about it?
7. I think things should be in 7s so why don't you come up with a question to fill this spot?

Here are some possibilities from which I will choose.

*Forerunner:*

Isaiah 40:3-5, Malachi 3:1, Malachi 4:5,6

*Birth and Lineage:*

Genesis 22:18, Micah 5:2; Isaiah 7:14, Hosea 11:1, Jeremiah 31:15, Isaiah 11:1

### *Role and Reign*

Genesis 3: 14, 15, Genesis 49:10, Numbers 24:17, 18, Zechariah 9:9, Psalm 2: 6-8, Daniel 7: 13-14, Jeremiah 23: 5,6, Isaiah 61: 1 & 2, Deuteronomy 18:15, Psalm 2:7, Isaiah 1:1,2, Isaiah 9:1,2, Psalm 78: 2-4, Isaiah 6:9,10, Isaiah 61: 1-2, Psalm 110:4, Zechariah 11:12,13, Psalm 8:2, Psalm 45:6,7,

### *Suffering and Death*

Psalm 22: 7,8, 16 – 18, Isaiah 53: 3, 5- 12 Jeremiah 31:15, Hosea 11:1, Psalm 69: 4 & 8 & 21, Psalm 41:9, Zechariah 1:12.13, Psalm 35:11, 19, Isaiah 50:6, Zechariah 12:10, Exodus 12:46, Psalm 34:20, Psalm 109:4, Isaiah 53:9,

### *Resurrection*

Psalm 16:10, Psalm 49:15

### *Ascent to Heaven*

Psalm 24:7-10

### *Seated Next to God*

Psalm 68:18, 110:1

### *Kingdom*

*Daniel 2:44*