



Outline – Friday Calvary Night, March 30, 2018

Sermon Title: The Humility of our Redeemer “The Pleasure of our GOD”

Text: Isaiah 53:1-12

1. **WHO? And to Whom:** vs 1
 - a. An *unbelievable* Message – 1 Cor 1:18/1 Cor 2:14
 - b. The power of the gospel *Sovereignly revealed* – Rom 1:16-17/1 Cor 2:2
 - c. Its rejection by men *to be expected* – Rom 10:16-17

2. **HE and HIM:** vs 2
 - a. A Father Son model of tenderness and communion – Isa 42:1
 - b. The Intimacy of their mission – John 8:16, 29
 - c. An Unattractive mediator – John 1:46; 7:52-53

3. **The Inward and outward antipathy of His own people:** vs 3
 - a. We all despised Him before He was our Savior
 - b. He felt our bitter and poisonous rejection – Ps 22:7-8
 - c. We refused to comfort Him – Job 19:14

4. **The Real Truth of the Matter:** vs 4
 - a. He bore the reality of what He saw and knew – Heb 4:15
 - b. His afflictions were our sins projected on him – Lev 16:21/Luke 23-26-30
 - c. While He was healing us – “Virtue left Him” – Matt 8:17

5. **At the Cross At the Cross Where...** vs 5/1 Peter 2:23
 - a. A suffering Substitute revealed – Luke 23:39-43
 - b. Understood only by sinners – Ps 51:3-4/1 John 1:6-9

6. **Calvary leads us to confession:** vs 6
 - a. Our universal fall in Adam – Rom 3:23
 - b. Our lost conditions *spiritually* – Eph 2:1-5

7. **His Astonishing submission to judgment:** vs 7
 - a. A lamb led to the slaughter – Rom 8:36
 - b. The love of the Son for his people – Heb 2:9-11/1 John 4:10

8. **The Facts of History both sacred and secular:** vs 8-9
 - a. That same day Herod and Pilate – Luke 23:11-12
 - b. Unjustly condemned by wicked men – Luke 23: 24-25

9. **Only One Person pleased with Jesus:** vs 10
 - a. He is an amazing Father – Matt 27:46
 - b. This is an amazing love – Luke 23:34
 - c. He is an amazing Savior – Matt 27:54