

## Isaiah 57

King James Version (KJV)

(This is written to the wicked)

**57** The righteous perisheth, and no man layeth it to heart: and merciful men are taken away, none considering that the righteous is taken away from the evil to come. (The crooked leaders don't care about the people that they were hired to serve; but God will save the righteous)

<sup>2</sup>He shall enter into peace: they shall rest in their beds, each one walking in his uprightness. (God will reward the righteous people. They will have peace of mind)

(Evil people go through life looking over their shoulder; waiting for justice to catch up with them. They have no peace of mind. And when the going gets rough, they turn on each other)

<sup>3</sup>But draw near hither, ye sons of the sorceress, the seed of the adulterer and the whore. (Adulterer = idolater; they are the same in God's eyes)

(the sorceress – the ones who use drugs, fear and mythology; to cover up the truth of God's Word with witchcraft and false doctrines)

NOTES: (Today, the governments of the Christian nations use fear, uncertainty and doubt <FUD> to start wars all over the world)

(They claim that it is for the protection of their citizens. But the truth is – they use these wars to steal the natural resources of the other nations for their own profit. We prosper while the third world starves to death)

<sup>4</sup>Against whom do ye sport yourselves? against whom make ye a wide mouth, and draw out the tongue? are ye not children of transgression, a seed of falsehood. (Whom do they think that they will fight against? They yak a lot, but it's all falsehood, outright lies and emptiness)

(They use political correctness and false teaching to show that their doctrines are on the "right" side. They are not. Moral correctness should always overrule political correctness. Right is right and wrong is wrong)

<sup>5</sup>Enflaming yourselves with idols under every green tree, slaying the children in the valleys under the cliffs of the rocks? (They practiced Molochism. They burned their children <human sacrifice> to Moloch; a false god of the Ammonites & Moabites)

(Spiritually, they murder souls with false religions that drive people away from God. That is far worse than murdering bodies)

NOTE: (Today, they kill children in abortion clinics. It is the legalized mass murder of children; just like Molochism was. People don't change. Evil always rears its ugly head in a society)

NOTE: (The words - thee, thou, thy in verses 6 through verse 9 are feminine, in the Hebrew. God is comparing those who worship antichrist to a whore who chases her lovers)

<sup>6</sup>Among the smooth stones of the stream is thy portion; they, they are thy lot: even to them hast thou poured a drink offering, thou hast offered a meat offering. Should I receive comfort in these? (These smooth stones were used to cast lots to tell peoples' fortunes. They were casting lots to idols and false religions)

(Even today, women are drawn to fortune tellers, astrologers and other false divinations. False religions push these fakes as if they were legitimate)

<sup>7</sup>Upon a lofty and high mountain hast thou set thy bed: even thither wentest thou up to offer sacrifice. (bed - This bed <in the Hebrew> is a whore's bed. It is for committing adultery - not for sleeping)

(God sees idolatry <idol worship> like we see adultery)

<sup>8</sup>Behind the doors also and the posts hast thou set up thy remembrance: for thou hast discovered thyself to another than me, and art gone up; thou hast enlarged thy bed, and made thee a covenant with them; thou lovedst their bed where thou sawest it. (The covenant is a marriage - to false gods in this case. She whores herself out to the false gods of the heathen tribes. She can't get enough of them)

(In the end days, the covenant that she will make will be with Satan; when he presents himself as antichrist)

<sup>9</sup>And thou wentest to the king with ointment, and didst increase thy perfumes, and didst send thy messengers far off, and didst debase thyself even unto hell. (This is a false king – a type for antichrist)

(She even had to advertise her whoredoms far off; only to debase herself with the deception of false religions and sexual perversion)

NOTES: (Today, feminism teaches young women to be sexually promiscuous. "You go girl" is their message. They even provide them with convenient abortion pills should they get pregnant. Sexually transmitted disease is skyrocketing among these people)

(The result is that the nuclear family is being destroyed. Young men and women are lonely; and depression is rampant like never before. The use of antidepressants has become an epidemic. Suicide and "assisted death" by governments is being normalized)

<sup>10</sup>Thou art wearied in the greatness of thy way; yet saidst thou not, There is no hope: thou hast found the life of thine hand; therefore thou wast not grieved. (They were so steeped in false religion that they believed that they were saved. They will find out too late that it was all false; and built on empty promises)

<sup>11</sup>And of whom hast thou been afraid or feared, that thou hast lied, and hast not remembered me, nor laid it to thy heart? have not I held my peace even of old, and thou fearest me not? (Who were they so afraid of, that they were willing to give up their morals and their Christian values?)

(Has God given them too much leeway? Has He been too easy on them; so that they could so easily forsake Him?)

NOTE: (We see a lot of that in parents, today. They spoil their children to the point that those children never grow up. They become adult kids who are lazy and selfish; without any empathy for anyone else)

<sup>12</sup>I will declare thy righteousness, and thy works; for they shall not profit thee. (God will correct them for their false idol worship. It will all fail. God will see to it)

(There comes a day of reckoning. People have to be held accountable for what they say and do. Correcting bad children teaches them that there are limits to everything. Cross God and you will learn a life lesson)

<sup>13</sup> When thou criest, let thy companies deliver thee; but the wind shall carry them all away; vanity shall take them: but he that putteth his trust in me shall possess the land, and shall inherit my holy mountain; (When they see that they are in trouble, let their false religion save them. It cannot)

(But, those who follow the true God will inherit the kingdom of heaven. HE will see to that, also)

<sup>14</sup> And shall say, Cast ye up, cast ye up, prepare the way, take up the stumblingblock out of the way of my people. (God will say – get rid of your false teachings and the stumbling blocks. They cause people to stumble and fall, spiritually)

<sup>15</sup> For thus saith the high and lofty One that inhabiteth eternity, whose name is Holy; I dwell in the high and holy place, with him also that is of a contrite and humble spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble, and to revive the heart of the contrite ones. (This is God. His name is Yahoveh – I AM THAT I AM) Exodus-3:14

(The contrite ones - those who repent for their sins and get back into God's good graces)

<sup>16</sup> For I will not contend for ever, neither will I be always wroth: for the spirit should fail before me, and the souls which I have made. (The day will come when it will be too late to get right with God)

<sup>17</sup> For the iniquity of his covetousness was I wroth, and smote him: I hid me, and was wroth, and he went on frowardly in the way of his heart. (frowardly = arrogant & evil)

(God deliberately hid Himself from those who deliberately blasphemed Him; in order to pursue their false religions and perversions. We see this more and more today. The entertainment industry pushes that filth as much as they can)

<sup>18</sup> I have seen his ways, and will heal him: I will lead him also, and restore comforts unto him and to his mourners. (If he repents. Most of those people do not repent)

<sup>19</sup> I create the fruit of the lips; Peace, peace to him that is far off, and to him that is near, saith the LORD; and I will heal him. (God's Word gives us real peace of mind in His grace and blessings)

<sup>20</sup> But the wicked are like the troubled sea, when it cannot rest, whose waters cast up mire and dirt. (The wicked live in the turmoil of their own doing. They never have peace of mind)

<sup>21</sup> There is no peace, saith my God, to the wicked. (It's our choice to make. Follow God and enjoy happiness and peace of mind; or follow the ways of the world and live in turmoil, sin and constant trouble)