

**A SHORT LIST OF THE SINFUL WAYS OF ISRAEL IN THE DAYS OF ISAIAH**

1. Judah is fallen      Isaiah 3:8
2. The nation speaks against the LORD      Isaiah 3:8
3. They do not even bother to hide their sin      Isaiah 3:9
4. Children are oppressors      Isaiah 3:12a
5. Women are haughty and vain      Isaiah 3:16-24
6. Rulers lead the people astray      Isaiah 3:12c
7. The rulers oppress the people      Isaiah 3:14-15

**CONSEQUENCES OF THESE SINS**

1. Collapse of the country's economic infrastructure      Isaiah 3:1
2. Collapse of the country's ruling system      Isaiah 3:2-3
  - a) The rulers
  - b) The judiciary system
  - c) The Ministry of defence
3. Upheaval and unrest in the country
  - a) Children will rule the country      Isaiah 3:4
  - b) Chaos will reign      Isaiah 3:5
4. Scarcity of leaders      Isaiah 3:6-7
  - a) No one wants to be a leader
  - b) No one feels qualified to lead
  - c) No one wants to take the responsibility of possible failure

**PROMISE TO THE RIGHTEOUS**

1. God will protect them      Isaiah 3:10
2. God will provide for them      Isaiah 3:10

## **BIBLE MEMORY**

*Isaiah 3:10*

*Say to the righteous that it shall be well with them,  
For they shall eat the fruit of their doings.*

1. The righteous
  - a) Distinguished from the wicked
  - b) A minority
2. The righteous and the Wicked contrasted
  - a) Good contrasting study found in Psalm 37
  - b) Challenge to be identified with the righteous
  - c) Challenge to live uprightly