

**TEXT : ISA 10:20-22**

**TITLE : THE REMNANT SHALL RETURN**

**(I) THE PROMISE OF THE REMNANT TO RETURN**

**1. A promise to allow for a return**

*"That the remnant of Israel," Isaiah 10:20*

*"The remnant of the Lord will return" Isaiah 10:21*

*"A remnant of them will return" Isaiah 10:22*

**2. A promise to be fulfilled in time**

*"And it shall come to pass in that day" Isaiah 10:20*

**3. A promise of escape from the judgment**

*"And such as have escaped of the house of Jacob," Isaiah 10:20*

**(II) PROVISION FOR THE RETURN ALREADY GIVEN IN THE COVENANTAL PROMISES**

**1. The return of the remnant was based on the covenant given by the Lord to Moses.**  
(Deuteronomy 4:27-3)

**2. The Lord had provided for a return in His covenant.**

**(III) PERSPECTIVE OF THE REMNANT ON THEIR RETURN**

**1. Complete Faith in God**

a) Never to depend on others

*"Will never again depend on him who defeated them," Isaiah 10:20*

b) Full dependence on God

*"But will depend on the LORD, the Holy One of Israel," Isaiah 10:20*

**2. Far wiser with truth**

*"In truth." Isaiah 10:20*

### **3. The faithful few**

a) Not looking for a mass return

*“For though your people, O Israel, be as the sand of the sea,” Isaiah 10:22*

b) The number of those returning will be very small

*“A remnant of them will return;” Isaiah 10:22*

## **(IV) PERSONAL RESPONSE TO RETURN TO THE LORD**

### **1. Come back to God**

*“The remnant will return, the remnant of Jacob, to the Mighty God.” Isaiah 10:21*

### **2. Confess our straying to the Lord**

### **3. Cultivation of full faith in the Lord**

### **4. Continuing in the true ways of the Lord**