

The Blessed Rule of the Messiah

Isaiah 9:2-7

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1. The _____ promised through the Messiah include light, joy, and liberty.

2. The incomparable character of the Messiah.

a. In His humiliation, the Messiah was born as a _____.

b. In His exaltation, the Messiah is ...

1) _____ in His person, works and sufferings

2) A perfectly _____ counselor.

3) A real man and yet the mighty _____.

4) Eternal and the _____ of eternal life to others.

5) The only one who brings true _____.

3. The government of the Messiah.

"Thus (Isaiah) asserts the superiority and grandeur of His government, because by His own _____ Christ will obtain homage to Himself, and He will discharge His office, not only with the tips of His fingers, but with His full strength." - John Calvin

a. Christ rules over a _____ kingdom.

b. Christ's rule begins in the _____ of men, therefore there is peace.

c. Christ is the only _____ ruler.

d. Christ's rule is characterized by _____ and righteousness.

e. Christ's kingdom is an _____ one.

f. God is zealously _____ to bringing the government of Christ into reality.