

# GOD'S WORD for you.

Sunday, June 30, 2024

Wawasee Bible  
Milford, Indiana  
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## PART 1

# Fear Not, You are Mine.

ISAIAH 43

Jesus's **RESCUE**, (43:1-7)

**he sees & knows** Exodus 2:25; John 10:3-4

**he loves & stays** John 15:9; 10:27-28; Romans 8:38-39; Matthew 28:20

 makes us **WITNESSES** (43:8-12)

**to God's goodness & faithfulness** Psalm 119:68; 145:9, 17-19; 34:8; 2 Timothy 2:13

**to God's rescue & redemption** Acts 1:8; John 14:6; Acts 4:12; 1 Timothy 2:5-6

to the only one who can **SAVE**. (43:13-44:5)

 **remember forward** Exodus 14; 2 Kings 18-19; Isaiah 43:18-19

**be forgiven, free, & fearless** 1 John 1:9; John 8:36; 2 Timothy 1:7; Joshua 1:9



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Grow.

# Food for Thought

Questions & Scripture for Further Study & Reflection

**What is this?** – Normally this section includes questions and a study for our Life Groups. If you're not in one, you should sign up in the Commons, let us know on a Connect Card, or contact the church office! Most groups break for the summer, but others will continue and use this for their study time together. Instead of our normal study guide, this is a smaller study and some questions for you to reflect/journal on throughout the week. Look for sign-ups for new groups in August!

## Food for Thought...

**Looking back at your notes from this week's teaching**, was there anything you heard for the first time, that caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?

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*This week, take time to read through Isaiah 43 each day.*

**Day 1 – Consider God Calling You By Name:** In Isaiah 43:1, God calls his people by name (Israel, Jacob). Calling them by name points to God having a special relationship with them and personally knowing them. Jesus says something similar—go read **John 10:3-4**. How does knowing that God has redeemed you and calls you by name change the way you see yourself and your worth?

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**Day 2 – Consider God's Presence in the Midst of Trials:** Reflect on a time when you felt overwhelmed. Or afraid. Or paralyzed with anxiety. **Read Isaiah 43:2**. How does God's promise to be with you in the midst of difficulties provide comfort or strength?

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*(Food for Thought continues on back panel...)*

We are sent to love people and invite them to follow Jesus with us.

# Welcome to Wawasee!

**OUR OUTCOMES** This is who we hope you grow to *become* at Wawasee Bible...

*If I'm truly growing as a follower of Jesus, I should be growing in the ways that I am...*

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**1 | Receiving From God.** Am I reading the Word regularly? When am I gathering to hear the Word taught? What fruit of the Spirit do I see growing in my life?
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**2 | Responding To God.** How am I talking to and listening to God regularly? What are some healthy spiritual habits I'm working on (things like giving, scripture memory, repentance, rest, etc.)?
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**3 | Receiving From Others.** Where and how am I in community/friendship with other Christians in our church who have a window to speak into my life?
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**4 | Moving Toward Others.** How and where am I contributing to and initiating community with other Christians in our church? (Or am I only consuming?)
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**5 | Going to those Far from God.** How am I regularly going toward those who are far from God—loving them, sharing God's Story and my own story? When was the last time I shared God's story and/or my faith story? Who is on my PEARL list?

## Word Find in the Word

Find the words from a passage related to this week's message.

### Word Find: Isaiah 43:1-4 (ESV)

Find the words **bolded** below.

<sup>1</sup> But now **thus says** the **LORD**, he who **created** you, O **Jacob**, he who **formed** you, O **Israel**: "**Fear** not, for I have **redeemed** you; I have **called** you by **name**, you are mine. <sup>2</sup>When you **pass** through the **waters**, I will be with you; and through the **rivers**, they shall not **overwhelm** you; when you **walk** through **fire** you shall not be **burned**, and the **flame** shall not **consume** you. <sup>3</sup>For I am the **LORD** your God, the **Holy** One of **Israel**, your **Savior**. I **give Egypt** as your **ransom**, **Cush** and **Seba** in **exchange** for you. <sup>4</sup> **Because** you are **precious** in my **eyes**, and **honored**, and I **love** you, I **give** men in return for you, peoples in **exchange** for your life.

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## Food for Thought *(continued)*

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**Day 3 – Consider God's Faithfulness & Love:** A major reason that God gives for his people not to have fear about the future is his love for us. Another is that he is always with us, the whole of every moment. **Read Isaiah 43:2-5.** In what ways have you experienced God's love and faithfulness in your life? Make a list. How does this influence your relationship with him?

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**Day 4 – Consider God's New Work & Renewal:** Paul says in **2 Corinthians 5:17** that if we're in Christ we're a new creation. Jesus says in **Revelation 21:5** that he's in the business of making all things new. **Read Isaiah 43:18-19.** Consider the new things God has done and is doing in your life. How can you embrace, trust, and participate in these new beginnings?

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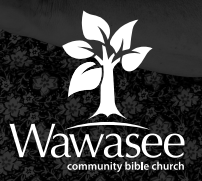

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