

SERMON NOTES

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MESSAGE: FACE LIKE A FLINT

Key Scriptures: Isaiah 50:7, 4-11

1. **Flint** – A Symbol of Strength and Firmness

- Isaiah 5:28
- Deuteronomy 8:15
- Psalm 114:8
- Ezekiel 3:8-9
- Flint represents hardness, endurance, and resolve.
- God strengthens His servants so they will not be intimidated or discouraged.

2. **Mocked, Struck, and Spat Upon**

- Isaiah 50:6
- Matthew 26:67 / 27:26
- Mark 15:19
- Luke 22:63
- Jesus endured rejection, humiliation, and physical suffering.
- Despite the abuse, He did not turn away from His mission.

3. **Steadfast Determination**

- Luke 9:51, 22
- Jesus set His face toward Jerusalem, knowing the suffering ahead.
- His unyielding determination reflected complete commitment to God's plan.

4. **Submission to the Father's Will**

- Matthew 26:39
- Hebrews 12:2
- Isaiah 50:8-10
- He endured the cross because of the joy set before Him.

5. **Like Flint – Finish the Course**

- 1 Corinthians 9:24-27
- Philippians 3:12-14
- Acts 20:24
- Hebrews 12:1-2
- The Christian life is compared to a race requiring discipline and endurance.
- Fixing our eyes on Jesus enables us to finish faithfully.