



**Go Tell it on the Mountain  
Isaiah 52:7-12**

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**Series Summary**

Christmas Carols take us to remember simpler times, they call us to take a breath and remember times of joy, peace, and hope. These songs also help us remember more than just sentimental feelings around Christmas, but to remember the power of Christmas for you and me today as found in the arrival of Jesus Christ! Join us this Christmas as we unpack the beautiful truths contained in some of our favorite Christmas songs.

**Main Text**

**Isaiah 52:7-12** – <sup>7</sup> How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good news, who publishes peace, who brings good news of happiness, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, “Your God reigns.” <sup>8</sup> The voice of your watchmen—they lift up their voice; together they sing for joy; for eye to eye they see the return of the Lord to Zion. <sup>9</sup> Break forth together into singing, you waste places of Jerusalem, for the Lord has comforted his people; he has redeemed Jerusalem. <sup>10</sup> The Lord has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations, and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God. <sup>11</sup> Depart, depart, go out from there; touch no unclean thing; go out from the midst of her; purify yourselves, you who bear the vessels of the Lord. <sup>12</sup> For you shall not go out in haste, and you shall not go in flight, for the Lord will go before you, and the God of Israel will be your rear guard.

**Big Idea – Be a Messenger of Truth...Be a Watchman on the Wall for the Next Generation**

**Three Lessons Learned from Isaiah**

**Lesson #1 – Be a Messenger of God...Share the Good News of His Hope, Peace, and Redemption**

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**Lesson #2 – Be a Messenger of Joy...Share the Good News of God’s Comfort and Victory**

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earth shall see the salvation of our God.

### **Lesson #3 – Be a Messenger of Courage...Share the Good News of God's Provision, Protection, and Perseverance**

**Isaiah 52:11-12** – <sup>11</sup> Depart, depart, go out from there; touch no unclean thing; go out from the midst of her; purify yourselves, you who bear the vessels of the Lord.  
<sup>12</sup> For you shall not go out in haste, and you shall not go in flight, for the Lord will go before you, and the God of Israel will be your rear guard.

#### **Memory Verse**

**Romans 10:17** (ESV) – Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!

#### **Challenge:**

You are called to consistently apply the divine principles and truths found in the Word of God. Take the next step in your study by (1) Discussing and applying the sermon with your family, small group, or (2) Participating in a Sunday School class.