



The Prophecy: Sudden Change 9:1-6

From
Darkness to
Light 9:1-2

From Oppression to Freedom 9:4

From War to Peace 9:5

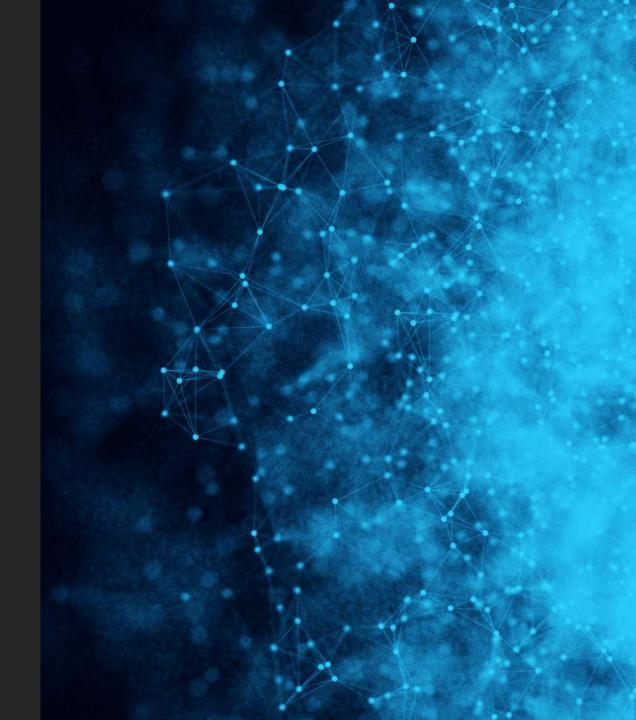
From
Desperation to
Salvation 9:6

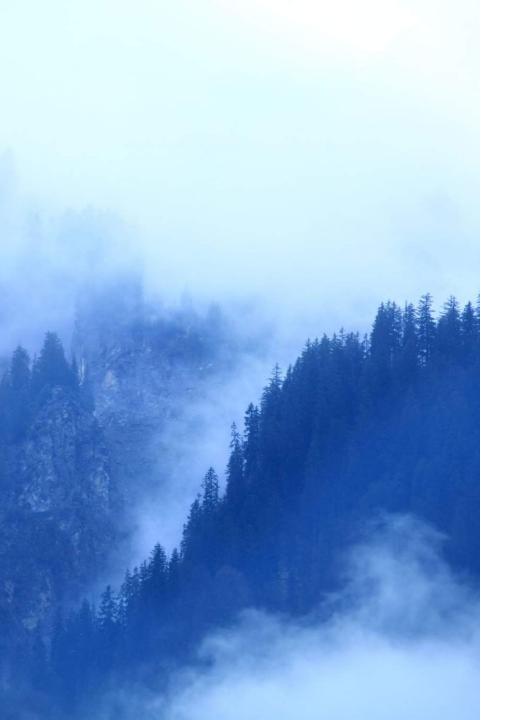
#### Wonderful Counselor

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. (ESV)

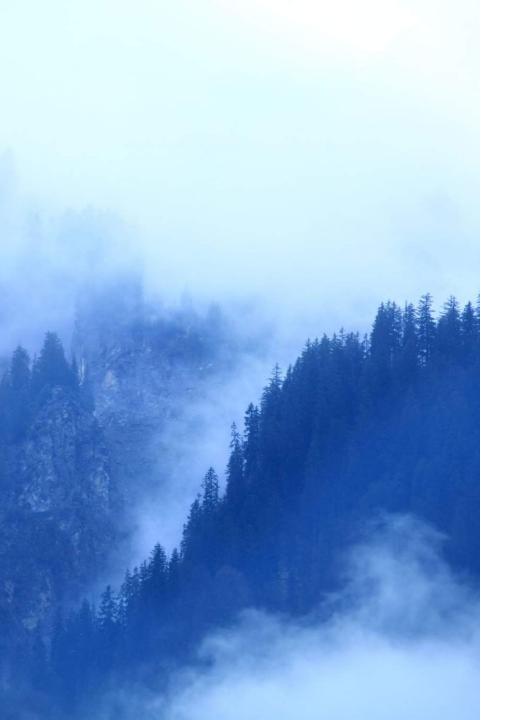


Counsel that Produces Wonder

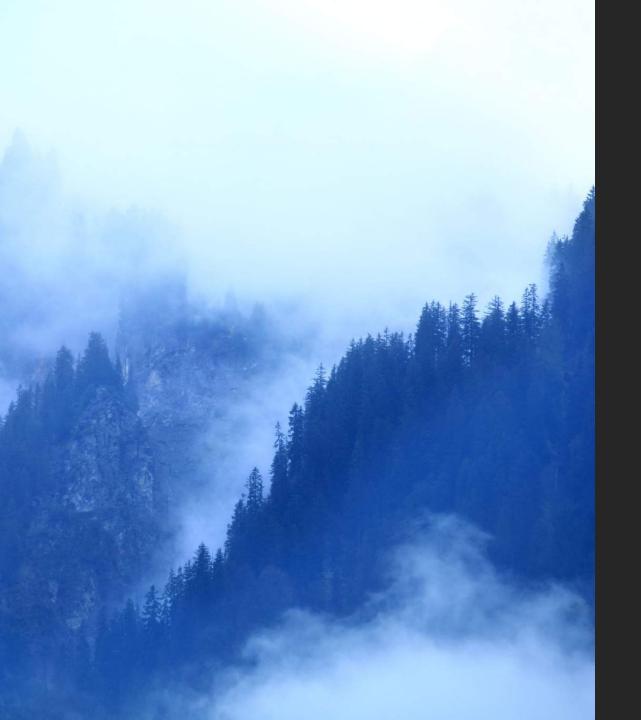




## Amazement, Shock, Stunning



Out of the ordinary,
Subversive to the status quo



Contrary to conventional wisdom

### The People Were Amazed

Luke 4:22

And all spoke well of him and marveled at the gracious words that were coming from his mouth. And they said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" (ESV)

# They Tried to Kill Him

Luke 4:29

And they rose up and drove him out of the town and brought him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they could throw him down the cliff. (ESV)

Mark 12:37

Some Heard Him Gladly

And the great throng (the common people) heard him gladly. (ESV)

### Some Heard Him Gladly

Isaiah 6:7

And he touched my mouth and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for." (ESV)

### Some Heard Him Gladly

lsa 43:25

"I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins. (ESV)

### Some Heard Him Gladly

Isaiah 44:22

I have blotted out your transgressions like a cloud and your sins like mist; return to me, for I have redeemed you. (ESV)

