

# Isaiah — Worksheet 2: Answer Key

The Suffering Servant — marking guide

Use this to mark your own worksheet. For reflection questions, there is no single right answer — check that your response genuinely engages with the passage.

## 1. How is the servant described in Isaiah 53:3?

'Despised and rejected of men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief.'

## 2. According to Isaiah 53:5, why was the servant wounded and bruised?

For our transgressions and iniquities — 'with his stripes we are healed.'

## 3. What image is used in Isaiah 53:6 to describe humanity's condition?

'All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way' — yet the Lord laid on the servant the iniquity of all.

## 4. How does the servant respond to his suffering, according to Isaiah 53:7?

Like a lamb led to the slaughter, he did not open his mouth.

## 5. Christians have long read this chapter as a prophecy about Jesus, written centuries before His birth. What details stand out to you as especially striking?

Open reflection, engaging directly with the passage's imagery.