

# The Obedient Servant

Isaiah 50:4-11

*The Servant Who Listens,  
Suffers, and Stands*



# **The Servant Listens & Sustains The Weary**

**4 The Lord God has given Me the tongue  
of disciples,**

**So that I may know how to sustain the  
weary one with a word.**

**He awakens Me morning by morning,**

**He awakens My ear to listen as a  
disciple.**

**Isaiah 50:4 (NASB)**



# **The Servant Listens & Sustains The Weary**

**5 The Lord God has opened My ear,  
And I was not disobedient,  
Nor did I turn back.**

**Isaiah 50:5 (NASB)**



# N.T. Cross Reference

**8 Although He was a Son, He learned obedience from the things which He suffered.**

**Hebrews 5:8 (NASB)**



# **The Servant Suffers Willingly & Trusts Fully**

**6 I gave My back to those who  
strike Me,  
And My cheeks to those who pull  
out My beard;  
I did not hide My face from insults  
and spitting.**

**Isaiah 50:6 (NASB)**



# N.T. Cross References

**67 Then they spit in His face and beat Him with their fists; and others slapped Him, (Matthew 26:67)**

**65 And some began to spit on Him, and to blindfold Him, and to beat Him with their fists and say to Him, "Prophecy!" Then the officers took custody of Him and slapped Him in the face.**

**(Mark 14:65)**



# **The Servant Suffers Willingly & Trusts Fully**

**7 For the Lord God helps Me,  
Therefore, I am not disgraced;  
Therefore, I have made My face like  
flint,**

**Isaiah 50:7 (NASB)**



# N.T. Cross Reference

**51 When the days were approaching for His ascension, He was determined to go to Jerusalem;**

**Luke 9:51 (NASB)**



**8 He who vindicates Me is near;**

**Who will contend with Me?**

**Let us stand up to each other.**

**Who has a case against Me?**

**Let him approach Me.**

**9 Behold, the Lord God helps Me;**

**Who is he who condemns Me?**

**Behold, they will all wear out like a garment;**

**A moth will eat them.**

**Isaiah 50:8-9 (NASB)**



# N.T. Cross References

**8 And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death: death on a cross.**

**(*Philippians 2:8*)**

**23 and while being abusively insulted, He did not insult in return; while suffering, He did not threaten, but kept entrusting Himself to Him who judges righteously;**

**(*1 Peter 2:23*)**



# **The Servant Calls Us To Trust Him In The Dark**

**10 Who is among you who fears the Lord,  
Who obeys the voice of His servant,  
Who walks in darkness and has no light?  
Let him trust in the name of the Lord and  
rely on his God.**

**Isaiah 50:10 (NASB)**



**11 Behold, all you who kindle a fire,  
Who encircle yourselves with  
flaming arrows,  
Walk in the light of your fire  
And among the flaming arrows you  
have set ablaze.**

**This you will have from My hand:  
You will lie down in torment.**

**Isaiah 50:11 (NASB)**

