

## ***Study Guide on Isaiah 11:1-9***

### **New International Version**

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.  
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
2. What does this verse mean to me?
3. Discuss your answers with the class.

### **Isaiah 11:1-9**

(Isaiah 11:1) A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse; from his roots a Branch will bear fruit.

(Isaiah 11:2) The Spirit of the LORD will rest on him-- the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding, the Spirit of counsel and of might, the Spirit of the knowledge and fear of the LORD--

(Isaiah 11:3) and he will delight in the fear of the LORD. He will not judge by what he sees with his eyes, or decide by what he hears with his ears;

(Isaiah 11:4) but with righteousness he will judge the needy, with justice he will give decisions for the poor of the earth. He will strike the earth with the rod of his mouth; with the breath of his lips he will slay the wicked.

(Isaiah 11:5) Righteousness will be his belt and faithfulness the sash around his waist.

(Isaiah 11:6) The wolf will live with the lamb, the leopard will lie down with the goat, the calf and the lion and the yearling together; and a little child will lead them.

(Isaiah 11:7) The cow will feed with the bear, their young will lie down together, and the lion will eat straw like the ox.

(Isaiah 11:8) The infant will play near the cobra's den, the young child will put its hand into the viper's nest.

(Isaiah 11:9) They will neither harm nor destroy on all my holy mountain, for the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the LORD as the waters cover the sea.

**Write the verse or verses you have been assigned in the space below:**

**Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Study**

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?