## THE SERVANT ISAIAH 42-53



## **HEAD QUESTIONS**

- What are some of the characteristics of the servant found in Isa 42:1-9?
- What are some of the characteristics of the servant found in Isa 49:1-7?
- What are some of the characteristics of the servant found is Isa 52:13-53:12?
- Take some time to compare the descriptions. Do any seem contradictory? How might they fit together?
- What are links that you see to other parts of The Story so far?
- How does the ministry of the servant seem to be wider than just the nation of Israel?



## **HEART QUESTIONS**

- Do you find comfort in the way that the servant's leadership is described in Isa 42:1-3? Why or why not?
- What is the message of the servant in Isa 49:1-7? How do you think that relates to you?
- What griefs, sorrows, transgressions, and afflictions do you think the servant carried for you? (cf. Isa 53:4-6)
- How should you respond to someone who has done these things (carried your sins) for you?



## HAND QUESTIONS

- How might this description change the way you read the New Testament?
- Who are you praying for? Whose salvation are you concerned about?
- How could you communicate the things you are learning to someone else?

