

Isaiah 7:10

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

Moreover the LORD spake again unto Ahaz, saying,

Analysis

The LORD's renewed initiative—'spoke again unto Ahaz'—demonstrates divine patience despite Ahaz's faltering faith. God graciously offers Ahaz opportunity to request a confirming sign, showing that He accommodates human weakness. This divine condescension reflects God's desire that His people walk by faith supported by evidence (John 20:29-31). The offer anticipates Gideon's fleece (Judges 6:36-40) and demonstrates that seeking confirmation isn't necessarily unbelief when done with submissive spirit.

Historical Context

Ahaz's crisis demanded decision—trust God or seek Assyria's help. God's offer of a sign provided tangible evidence to strengthen faith for right choice.

Related Passages

1 Corinthians 13:4 — Characteristics of love

John 15:13 — Greatest form of love

Study Questions

1. How does God's gracious offer of signs demonstrate His compassion for our weak faith?

2. When is seeking confirmation appropriate versus evidence of hardened unbelief?

Interlinear Text

וַיֹּסֶף	יְהוָה	אֶל	אֶחָז	לֵאמֹר:
again	Moreover the LORD	spake	H413 unto Ahaz	saying
H3254	H3068	H1696	H271	H559

Additional Cross-References

Isaiah 8:5 (References Lord): The LORD spake also unto me again, saying,

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