



GREATNESS OF THE CROSS

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Isaiah 52:13– 53:12

*“But He was wounded
for our transgressions,
He was bruised for our iniquities;
The chastisement for our peace
was upon Him,
and by His stripes we are healed.”*

1saiah 53:5

The greatest of all time—Jesus!
Seen in His character as a servant,
Who willingly suffered horribly
for us, and now,
brings healing to the world in all our
afflictions.

Ohana Groups gather to share, pray, and live out God’s Word together.

1. The Purpose of Christ’s Suffering

The cross shows how much God loves us.

The cross shows how horrific is sin and Hell.

Provision—salvation!

Privilege—eternal life!

Responsibility - serve!

2 The Emotion of Christ’s Scourging

Flagrum: He was disfigured and wounded Is 52:14

Flogging: His wounds bring our healing Is 53: 5

3 The Beauty of Christ’s Scars Jn 20:7 Rev 5:6

The eternal witness of God’s Son becoming human.

The eternal awe and appreciation of Christ dying for our sins.

Provision—His stripes!

Privilege— Our healing!

Responsibility—Believe and receive Jesus!