

A new vision for broken people

Isaiah 41: 21 – 42:17

Broken people – God has a new vision for you!

- **Seeing through our Substitute gods** (41:21–29)
 - they cannot match the Living God
 - they disappoint and degrade us (24)
- **Seeing instead God's Servant**
 - The one who will bring perfection to our lives (42: 1–9)
 - His perfect suitability for this wonderful task
 - His gentle approach and its liberating effect Matthew 3: 16–17; 12: 18–21
 - His true identity and our surprising share
 - Acts 13:47, 26:16–18
- **Seeing ourselves Singing a Song of Joy**
 - which God longs to release in our souls (42: 10–17)
 - A song of joy for anyone, anywhere (10–12)
 - A song of joy at God's total commitment to blessing us (13–15)
 - A song of joy as God enters our lives (16–17)