

“Comfort”
S.O.A.P. Bible Study
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S=Scripture: Isaiah 40:1-2

O=Observation: Notice the context of Isaiah 40. Read chapter 39. What tragedy is prophesied? What is King Hezekiah’s response? The beginning of chapter 40 probably assumes decades of captivity in Babylon. What sin has been doubly paid for? See Isaiah 1:18-26. Why does God discipline his people? See Hebrews 12:4-11.

A=Application: How have you been disciplined by God’s loving hand? How has he comforted you afterwards? Since God punished Jesus for our sins, why does he still discipline us?

P=Prayer: Write out a prayer thanking God for his corrective discipline in your life.