

Restoring Trust & Integrity

1980?

Isaiah 59 vs. 9-21 (vs. 14)

Proof of truthfulness of God's Word (Is. 59 vs 14) :
dishonesty & deceit revealed in media

1) Jukathagate scandal : Jukatha, other bodies

2) Disclosures CCB men : Dohichok e.g. - Stanthi

revelations of planned murders, death -

Weekly Mail, New Nation, Pye Weekly

3) Widespread actions of fraud, corruption, theft :
billions of rands - white & black

→ Easiest way of reacting.

1) "Govt is to blame" : Yes & no - example - Houliards
Ciskei, Trunkeri, etc.

2) "Jukatha is to blame" :

3) ANC : "is their slate clean?"

4) Individuals : emphasizing themselves - example govt

→ But our question has to go deeper.

1) ~~Political~~ Crisis of political integrity

2) Crisis of moral integrity - Result Is. 59 vs 14

3) Crisis of spiritual catharsis (inner cleansing)

- Isaiah 59 vs. 15-16 (Covenant)

Personal responsibility

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1) Expose with his death in our face

2) Expose it in living conscience - for salvation of sinner

3) Repentance of guilty as prerequisite

4) Integrity on life and principle

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1) Point to blame " - no example - Humble

2) Subtle to blame " - no example - Humble

3) AUG " is there blame then ?

4) Substance - substantive blame - example not

→ But our question has to do with

1) Chain of probable integrity

2) Chain of actual integrity - lowest of 2000

3) Chain of spiritual integrity (new classroom)

→ Personal responsibility - lowest of 2000 (2000)