

## Names of God part 26

Name: Yasha (Yaw-shah')

Passage: Isaiah 43:11

Yasha means to "be open or wide and free". We use the word Saviour for Yasha. When we know Christ as our Saviour, we find an abundant freedom and deliverance from sin. We needed to be saved from our sin and from eternal death. (Matthew 1:21) If we were to say that we had no sin and had no need of a Saviour, we would be denying God himself. God made it very clear in the book of Isaiah that there is only one Saviour for all mankind. (Isaiah 45:21-22)

Yasha provides salvation to sinner out of His great love for us. (Deuteronomy 7:7-9; John 3:16; Ephesians 2:1-8) He has saved us for the purpose of redeeming us from iniquity and to do good works! (Titus 2:13-14) Finally, Yasha saved our souls and bodies from the curse placed on all mankind. (Philippians 3:20-21; Genesis 3:8-19)

Yasha, we thank you for providing salvation to unworthy man. We do not deserve your love and redeeming work in our lives. Without you, we would be without hope forever doomed to an eternity in hell. Yasha, You alone are worthy to be called Saviour!