The Branch and Root of Jesse

Isaiah 10:20 - 12:6

1. In 10:20-22, Isaiah speaks of a remnant people. What did these people do to become a remnant people?
2. How did God respond to His people when they trusted the Assyrians instead of Him (21:27)?
3. In 10:33-34 we are left with the idea of the Lord chopping down the proud as if they are mighty trees. Now, in 11:1, the Lord is looking over the stumps, and causes a Branch to grow out of one of them, the root of the family of Jesse, David's father. What is the significance of these verses?
4. In 11:2 this Branch isn't just barely alive; it is full of life, and full of the Holy Spirit. What are the seven aspects of the Spirit of the Lord?
5. Why was it so important for Jesus to have the Spirit of the feat of the Lord all throughout His ministry here on earth?