



## 21-Day Prayer Watch Scriptures & Feast Descriptions

Friday, September 15th - Friday, October 6th, 2023

### Scriptures on Day & Night Prayer

#### **Psalm 55:17**

*Evening and morning and at noon I will pray, and cry aloud, And He shall hear my voice.*

#### **Mark 13:35**

*Therefore keep watch because you do not know when the owner of the house will come back—whether in the evening, or at midnight, or when the rooster crows, or at dawn.*

#### **Isaiah 62:6 NKJV**

*“I have set watchmen on your walls, O Jerusalem; They shall never hold their peace day or night. You who make mention of the Lord, do not keep silent,”*

#### **Psalms 113:1-9 TPT**

*“Hallelujah! Praise the Lord! Go ahead, praise the Lord, all you loving servants of God! Keep it up! Praise him some more! For the glorious name of the Lord is blessed forever and ever. From sunrise brilliance to sunset beauty, lift up his praise from dawn to dusk! For he rules on high over the nations with a glory that outshines even the heavens. No one can be compared to God, enthroned on high! He stoops down to look upon the sky and the earth. He promotes the poor, picking them up from the dirt, and rescues the needy from the garbage dump. He turns paupers into princes and seats them on their royal thrones of honor. God’s grace provides for the barren ones a joyful home with children so that even childless couples find a family. He makes them happy parents surrounded by their pride and joy. That’s the God we praise, so give it all to him!”*

#### **Psalms 50:1-6, 8-12 NKJV**

*“The Mighty One, God the Lord, Has spoken and called the earth From the rising of the sun to its going down. Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty, God will shine forth. Our God shall come, and shall not keep silent; A fire shall devour before Him, And it shall be very tempestuous all around Him. He shall call to the heavens from above, And to the earth, that He may judge His people: “Gather My saints together to Me, Those who have made a covenant with Me by sacrifice.” Let the heavens declare His righteousness, For God Himself is Judge. Selah I will not rebuke you for your sacrifices Or your burnt offerings, Which are continually before Me. I will not take a bull from your house, Nor goats out of your folds. For every beast of the forest is Mine, And the cattle on a thousand hills. I know all the birds of the mountains, And the wild beasts of the field are Mine. “If I were hungry, I would not tell you; For the world is Mine, and all its fullness.”*

## **SUNRISE - AWAKEN THE DAWN**

### **Psalms 108:2 TPT**

*Arise, my soul, and sing his praises! I will awaken the dawn with my worship, greeting the daybreak with my songs of light.*

### **Psalms 57:8 TPT**

*“Awake, O my soul, with the music of his splendor-song! Arise, my soul, and sing his praises! My worship will awaken the dawn, greeting the daybreak with my songs of praise!”*

### **Psalms 5:1-3 TPT**

*“Listen, Yahweh, to my passionate prayer! Can’t you hear my groaning? Don’t you hear how I’m crying out to you? My King and my God, consider my every word, for I am calling out to you. At each and every sunrise you will hear my voice as I prepare my sacrifice of prayer to you. Every morning I lay out the pieces of my life on the altar and wait for your fire to fall upon my heart.*

### **Psalms 46:5 TPT**

*“God is in the midst of his city, secure and never shaken. At daybreak his help will be seen with the appearing of the dawn.”*

### **Psalms 37:6 TPT**

*“He will appear as your righteousness, as sure as the dawning of a new day. He will manifest as your justice, as sure and strong as the noonday sun.”*

### **Psalms 139:9 TPT**

*“If I fly with wings into the shining dawn, you’re there! If I fly into the radiant sunset, you’re there waiting!”*

### **Psalms 110:3 TPT**

*“Your people will be your love offerings. In the day of your mighty power you will be exalted, and in the brightness of your holy ones you will shine as an army arising from the **womb of the dawn**, anointed with the dew of your youth!”*

### **Psalms 90:14 TPT**

*“Let the sunrise of your love end our dark night. Break through our clouded dawn again! Only you can satisfy our hearts, filling us with songs of joy to the end of our days.”*

### **Psalms 84:11 TPT**

*“For the Lord God is brighter than the brilliance of a sunrise! Wrapping himself around me like a shield, he is so generous with his gifts of grace and glory. Those who walk along his paths with integrity will never lack one thing they need, for he provides it all!”*

**Psalms 143:8 TPT**

*“Let the dawning day bring me revelation of your tender, unfailing love. Give me light for my path and teach me, for I trust in you.”*

**Psalms 113:3 TPT**

*“From sunrise brilliance to sunset beauty, lift up his praise from dawn to dusk!”*

**Psalms 19:5 TPT**

*“What a heavenly home God has set for the sun, shining in the superdome of the sky! See how he leaves his celestial chamber each morning, radiant as a bridegroom ready for his wedding, like a day-breaking champion eager to run his course.”*

**Song of Songs 6:10 TPT**

*“Look at you now— arising as the dayspring of the dawn, fair as the shining moon. Bright and brilliant as the sun in all its strength. Astonishing to behold as a majestic army waving banners of victory.”*

**Joshua 6:15-16, 20 NKJV**

*“But it came to pass on the seventh day that they rose early, about the dawning of the day, and marched around the city seven times in the same manner. On that day only they marched around the city seven times. And the seventh time it happened, when the priests blew the trumpets, that Joshua said to the people: “Shout, for the Lord has given you the city! So the people shouted when the priests blew the trumpets. And it happened when the people heard the sound of the trumpet, and the people shouted with a great shout, that the wall fell down flat. Then the people went up into the city, every man straight before him, and they took the city.”*

**Luke 1:78-79 TPT**

*“The splendor-light of heaven’s glorious sunrise is about to break upon us in holy visitation, all because the merciful heart of our God is so very tender. The word from heaven will come to us with dazzling light to shine upon those who live in darkness, near death’s dark shadow. And he will illuminate the path that leads to the way of peace.”*

**Isaiah 58:8 NKJV**

*“Then your light shall break forth like the morning, Your healing shall spring forth speedily, And your righteousness shall go before you; The glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard.”*

**Mark 1:35 TPT**

*“The next morning, Jesus got up long before daylight, left the house while it was dark, and made his way to a secluded place to give himself to prayer.”*

**John 8:2 TPT**

*“Then at dawn Jesus appeared in the temple courts again, and soon all the people gathered around to listen to his words, so he sat down and taught them.”*

## **NOON - BEHOLD HUMILITY**

### **John 4:4-26 NIV**

*“Now he had to go through Samaria. So he came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of ground Jacob had given to his son Joseph. Jacob’s well was there, and Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well. **It was about noon.** When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, “Will you give me a drink?” (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.) The Samaritan woman said to him, “You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?” (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.) Jesus answered her, “If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water.” “Sir,” the woman said, “you have nothing to draw with and the well is deep. Where can you get this living water? Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did also his sons and his livestock?” Jesus answered, “Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life.” The woman said to him, “Sir, give me this water so that I won’t get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water.” He told her, “Go, call your husband and come back.” “I have no husband,” she replied. Jesus said to her, “You are right when you say you have no husband. The fact is, you have had five husbands, and the man you now have is not your husband. What you have just said is quite true.” “Sir,” the woman said, “I can see that you are a prophet. Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain, but you Jews claim that the place where we must worship is in Jerusalem.” “Woman,” Jesus replied, “believe me, a time is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. You Samaritans worship what you do not know; we worship what we do know, for salvation is from the Jews. Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth.” The woman said, “I know that Messiah” (called Christ) “is coming. When he comes, he will explain everything to us.” Then Jesus declared, “I, the one speaking to you—I am he.””*

### **John 19:14 NKJV**

*Now it was the Preparation Day of the Passover, and about the sixth hour. And he said to the Jews, “Behold your King!”*

### **Luke 23:44-47 TPT**

*“It was now only midday, yet the whole world became dark for three hours as the light of the sun faded away. And suddenly in the temple the thick veil hanging in the Holy Place was ripped in two! Then Jesus cried out with a loud voice, “Father, I surrender my Spirit into your hands.” And he took his last breath and died. When the Roman captain overseeing the crucifixion witnessed all that took place, he was awestruck and glorified God. Acknowledging what they had done, he said, “I have no doubt; we just killed the righteous one.””*

**Acts 22:6-9 TPT**

*“As I was on the road approaching Damascus, about noon, a brilliant heavenly light suddenly appeared, flashing all around me. As I fell to the ground I heard a voice say, ‘Saul, Saul . . . why are you persecuting me?’ ‘I answered, ‘Who are you, my Lord?’ ‘He said to me, ‘I am Jesus, the Victorious. I am the one you are persecuting.’ ‘Those who were with me saw the brilliant light, but they didn’t hear the voice of the one who spoke to me.”*

**Song of Songs 1:7**

*Tell me, O you whom I love, Where you feed your flock, Where you make it rest at noon. For why should I be as one who veils herself By the flocks of your companions?*

**Psalms 37:6 TPT**

*“He will appear as your righteousness, as sure as the dawning of a new day. He will manifest as your justice, as sure and strong as the noonday sun.”*

**Acts 10:9 TPT**

*“The next day around noon, as Cornelius’ men were approaching Joppa, Peter went up to the flat roof of the house to pray.”*

**SUNSET - EVENING ENCOUNTER****Psalm 113:3 NIV**

*“From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets, the name of the Lord is to be praised.”*

**Luke 4:40 NKJV**

*“When the sun was setting, all those who had any that were sick with various diseases brought them to Him; and He laid His hands on every one of them and healed them.”*

**Mark 1:32 NKJV**

*“At evening, when the sun had set, they brought to Him all who were sick and those who were demon-possessed.”*

**Mark 4:35-41 NIV**

*“That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, “Let us go over to the other side.” Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, “Teacher, don’t you care if we drown?” He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, “Quiet! Be still!” Then the wind died down and it was completely calm. He said to his disciples, “Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?” They were terrified and asked each other, “Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!””*

**Matthew 26:17-20 ESV**

*“Now on the first day of Unleavened Bread the disciples came to Jesus, saying, “Where will you have us prepare for you to eat the Passover?” He said, “Go into the city to a certain man and say to him, ‘The Teacher says, My time is at hand. I will keep the Passover at your house with my*

*disciples.” And the disciples did as Jesus had directed them, and they prepared the Passover. When it was evening, he reclined at table with the twelve.”*

**Deuteronomy 16:5-7 NIV**

*“You must not sacrifice the Passover in any town the Lord your God gives you except in the place he will choose as a dwelling for his Name. There you must sacrifice the Passover in the evening, when the sun goes down, on the anniversary of your departure from Egypt. Roast it and eat it at the place the Lord your God will choose. Then in the morning return to your tents.”*

**Ephesians 4:25-27 NIV**

*“Therefore each of you must put off falsehood and speak truthfully to your neighbor, for we are all members of one body. “In your anger do not sin”: Do not let the sun go down while you are still angry, and do not give the devil a foothold\.”*

**MIDNIGHT - FIRE IN THE NIGHT**

**Numbers 9:16 NKJV**

*“So it was always: the cloud covered it by day, and the appearance of fire by night.”*

**Psalms 119:62 TPT**

*“In the middle of the night I awake to give thanks to you because of all your revelation-light—so right and true!”*

**Psalms 130:6 TPT**

*“I long for you more than any watchman would long for the morning light. I will watch and wait for you, O God, throughout the night.”*

**Matthew 25:6**

*“At midnight the cry rang out: ‘Here’s the bridegroom! Come out to meet him!’*

**Acts 16:25-26 TPT**

*“Paul and Silas, undaunted, prayed in the middle of the night and sang songs of praise to God, while all the other prisoners listened to their worship. Suddenly, a great earthquake shook the foundations of the prison. All at once every prison door flung open and the chains of all the prisoners came loose.”*

# FEASTING ON THE FEASTS

Understanding what each of the Fall Feasts mean helps us in our focus and how to posture our hearts. During these 21 days, we will fast physically and feast spiritually on the attributes of God. Here are descriptions and some Scriptures that correlate with each of the falls feasts.

## Rosh Hashanah

Sept. 15th at sundown - Sept. 17th at sundown

Rosh Hashanah is the Jewish New Year. Also called The Feast of Trumpets, this feast is marked by the blowing of the shofar.

As we feast on this feast, let's ask God for a fresh blast of awakening from the shofar horn - the horn of our salvation, Jesus - to make us fully awake and alive to what God is doing in us, through us, and around us... to be awakened for the intercession of this time ...to be positioned for God's Kingdom coming to cities and nations.

## 10 Days of Awe

Sept. 15th at sundown - Sept. 25th at sundown

These 10 days are marked by a greater, intentional focus on the Awe of Fear of God. We become equipped - prepared - made ready to go through the times that are ahead of us in the earth. Shakings will most certainly intensify. Darkness gets pretty fierce.

How does God want to help us and prepare us? With the Awe of God!! The Spirit of Awe (the Spirit of the fear of the Lord) prepares our hearts.

Let's **feast on this feast**. Take time these 10 days to feast and sit in the awe of God. As Holy Spirit brings us into the Awe of God - the knowledge of God - our hearts get freshly purified and we actually get an increase in our capacity to steward His power and authority to see His will carried out in cities, nations and world and national events.

How important are you to God in this time? As He shakes nations so evil will lose its grip, He needs a prayer partner in the earth so His will is done and His Kingdom comes. YOU matter, your voice matters, your prayers matter.

## Yom Kippur - Day of Atonement

Sept. 24th at sundown - Sept. 25th at sundown

The last day of the 10 days of Awe is Yom Kippur, a day of atonement for a nation, for national sins, for national cleansing. We can pray for Israel. We can pray for America. Through Jesus, as priests unto our God, we can enter the heavenly Holy of Holies and apply the blood of Jesus from the mercy seat to the sins of our nation. This is how we feast on this feast

## Feast of Tabernacles

Sept. 29th at sundown - Oct. 6th at sundown

In the Old Testament God came down and lived in the tent - the tabernacle - in the wilderness, with His people. *"Let them construct a sanctuary for Me, that I may dwell among them."* (**Exodus 25:8**)

In the New Testament, *"the Word became flesh and dwelt among them."* In the Greek, He "tabernacled" or "pitched His tent" among us. **John 1:14** goes on to say: *and we behold - gaze on - His glory.*

As we feast on this feast we can intentionally come in a greater, more focused measure into His Presence, letting Him envelop us like a tent in His Glory Love. We set ourselves in the center of His Presence to be saturated in His glory to be filled with all that's needed for what lies ahead in the New Year.

## Scriptures on the Awe & Fear of the Lord

### Psalm 33:6-22 ESV

*"By the word of the Lord the heavens were made, and by the breath of his mouth all their host. He gathers the waters of the sea as a heap; he puts the deeps in storehouses. **Let all the earth fear the Lord; let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him!** For he spoke, and it came to be; he commanded, and it stood firm. The Lord brings the counsel of the nations to nothing; he frustrates the plans of the peoples. The counsel of the Lord stands forever, the plans of his heart to all generations. Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord, the people whom he has chosen as his heritage! The Lord looks down from heaven; he sees all the children of man; from where he sits enthroned he looks out on all the inhabitants of the earth, he who fashions the hearts of them all and observes all their deeds. The king is not saved by his great army; a warrior is not delivered by his great strength. The war horse is a false hope for salvation, and by its great might it cannot rescue. **Behold, the eye of the Lord is on those who fear him, on those who hope in his steadfast love, that he may deliver their soul from death and keep them alive in famine.** Our soul waits for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. For our heart is glad in him, because we trust in his holy name. Let your steadfast love, O Lord, be upon us, even as we hope in you."*

### Psalms 93:1-5 TPT

*"Look! Yahweh now reigns as King! He has covered himself with majesty and strength, wearing them as his splendor-garments. Regal power surrounds him as he sits securely on his throne. He's in charge of it all, the entire world, and he knows what he's doing! Lord, you have reigned as King from the very beginning of time. Eternity is your home. Chaos once challenged you. The raging waves lifted themselves over and over, high above the ocean's depths, letting out their mighty roar! Yet at the sound of your voice they were all stilled by your might. What a majestic King, filled with power! Nothing could ever change your royal decrees; they will last forever! Holiness is the beauty that fills your house; you are the one who abides forevermore!"*



### **Psalms 103:1-22 NKJV**

*“Bless the Lord, O my soul; And all that is within me, bless His holy name! Bless the Lord, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits: Who forgives all your iniquities, Who heals all your diseases, Who redeems your life from destruction, Who crowns you with lovingkindness and tender mercies, Who satisfies your mouth with good things, So that your youth is renewed like the eagle’s. The Lord executes righteousness And justice for all who are oppressed. He made known His ways to Moses, His acts to the children of Israel. The Lord is merciful and gracious, Slow to anger, and abounding in mercy. He will not always strive with us, Nor will He keep His anger forever. He has not dealt with us according to our sins, Nor punished us according to our iniquities. For as the heavens are high above the earth, So great is His mercy toward those who fear Him; As far as the east is from the west, So far has He removed our transgressions from us. As a father pities his children, So the Lord pities those who fear Him. For He knows our frame; He remembers that we are dust. As for man, his days are like grass; As a flower of the field, so he flourishes. For the wind passes over it, and it is gone, And its place remembers it no more. But the mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting On those who fear Him, And His righteousness to children’s children, To such as keep His covenant, And to those who remember His commandments to do them. The Lord has established His throne in heaven, And His kingdom rules over all. Bless the Lord, you His angels, Who excel in strength, who do His word, Heeding the voice of His word. Bless the Lord, all you His hosts, You ministers of His, who do His pleasure. Bless the Lord, all His works, In all places of His dominion. Bless the Lord, O my soul!”*

### **Psalms 8:1-9 TPT**

*“Lord, your name is so great and powerful! People everywhere see your splendor. Your glorious majesty streams from the heavens, filling the earth with the fame of your name! You have built a stronghold by the songs of babies. Strength rises up with the chorus of singing children. This kind of praise has the power to shut Satan’s mouth. Childlike worship will silence the madness of those who oppose you. Look at the splendor of your skies, your creative genius glowing in the heavens. When I gaze at your moon and your stars, mounted like jewels in their settings, I know you are the fascinating artist who fashioned it all! But when I look up and see such wonder and workmanship above, I have to ask you this question: Compared to all this cosmic glory, why would you bother with puny, mortal man or be infatuated with Adam’s sons? Yet what honor you have given to men, created only a little lower than Elohim, crowned like kings and queens with glory and magnificence. You have delegated to them mastery over all you have made, making everything subservient to their authority, placing earth itself under the feet of your image-bearers. All the created order and every living thing of the earth, sky, and sea— the wildest beasts and all the sea creatures— everything is in submission to Adam’s sons. Lord, your name is so great and powerful. People everywhere see your majesty! What glory streams from the heavens, filling the earth with the fame of your name!”*

### **Psalm 68:35 NIV**

*You, God, are awesome in your sanctuary; the God of Israel gives power and strength to his people. Praise be to God!*

**Psalm 19:1 NIV**

*The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands.*

**Psalms 111:10 TPT**

*“Where can wisdom be found? It is born in the fear of God. Everyone who follows his ways will never lack his living-understanding. And the adoration of God will abide throughout eternity!”*

**Deuteronomy 10:21 BSB**

*He is your praise and He is your God, who has done for you these great and awesome wonders that your eyes have seen.*

**Proverbs 14:27 TPT**

*“To worship God in wonder and awe opens a fountain of life within you, empowering you to escape death’s domain.”*

**Luke 5:26 NLT**

*Everyone was gripped with great wonder and awe, and they praised God, exclaiming, “We have seen amazing things today!”*

**Hebrews 12:28-29 ESV**

*Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.*

**Matthew 9:6-8, NIV**

*But I want you to know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins.” So he said to the paralyzed man, “Get up, take your mat and go home.” Then the man got up and went home. When the crowd saw this, they were filled with awe; and they praised God, who had given such authority to man.*

**Proverbs 22:4 NIV**

*“Humility is the fear of the Lord; its wages are riches and honor and life.”*

**Proverbs 2:1-9 NKJV**

*“My son, if you receive my words, And treasure my commands within you, So that you incline your ear to wisdom, And apply your heart to understanding; Yes, if you cry out for discernment, And lift up your voice for understanding, If you seek her as silver, And search for her as for hidden treasures; **Then you will understand the fear of the Lord, And find the knowledge of God.** For the Lord gives wisdom; From His mouth come knowledge and understanding; He stores up sound wisdom for the upright; He is a shield to those who walk uprightly; He guards the paths of justice, And preserves the way of His saints. Then you will understand righteousness and justice, Equity and every good path.”*

## Description, Scriptures & Insights on Fear of Man

Excerpts from Give Him 15 by Dutch Sheets, September 12th - 14th, 2023.

**Proverbs 29:25** *“Fear and intimidation is a trap that holds you back. But when you place your confidence in the Lord, you will be seated in the high place.”* (TPT)

*“The fear of human opinion disables; trusting in God protects you from that.”* (MSG)

*“The fear of man brings a snare, But one who trusts in the Lord will be protected.”* (NASB)

The fear of human opinion leads to people-pleasing, compromised values, yielding to peer pressure, and bowing to political correctness. A desire in the church to be viewed by the world as progressive and tolerant is a snare Satan has used to conform people into his way of thinking. The need to be liked and accepted outweighs the Word of God to many believers, causing compromise, lukewarmness, and a lack of fruit. The damage has been catastrophic to our nation, causing the spiritual decay of three generations.

“This fear is an anxious need to receive affirmation from those around us. The fear of man manifests as people-pleasing, compromised values, peer pressure, and a choice not to share our faith. The fear of man can be a snare when we allow it to influence our decisions. Rather than obey the voice of the Holy Spirit (John 10:27), we opt to avoid unpleasant interactions. It’s easier to heed the fear of man than to invite the possibility of consequences.

“The fear of man is a snare in that it supplants the fear of God in our lives. Since the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom (Psalm 111:10), the fear of man sets us on the road to foolishness.

“The fear of man has replaced biblical conviction in some so-called Christian circles today. Public opinion has overridden the clear teaching of Scripture on many social issues. Entire denominations are caving to the fear of man, and it has become a snare to them. The desire to be viewed by the world as progressive, enlightened, tolerant, or politically correct is a snare Satan has used to reel people into his way of thinking. The need to be liked and accepted has become more important than the Word of God to many professing believers, thus proving the truth of Proverbs 29:25.”

It is time for the church to reject the fear of man. We must make the decision that God’s Word will always be our final authority, that we will never be ashamed of it, nor will we be intimidated by those who don’t believe it.

### Pray with me:

Father, we have failed to take heed to Your warning, and the results have been catastrophic. The greatest nation on earth has become a byword and a laughing stock among the nations. We have played the fool. We embrace the humility and desperation this is producing, yet we mourn the spiritual destruction our arrogance and rebellion have caused.

We pray today for Gen X, the Millennials, and Gen Z. We introduced them to an incomplete and inaccurate version of You. Most of them were offered only religion, watered-down messages, and rituals. Predictably, they walked away from this as soon as possible. We are asking for a great rescue. We declare the word of the Lord into the atmosphere of America: God is coming to save them! Prodigals will come home, the confused will have a clear mind, the fatherless will find acceptance and identity in God. A great presence movement is coming, one that will introduce millions here in America and around the world, to a person, not a religion. That person is Jesus.

And we pray for the church. We pray that the fear of man will be broken off of the body of Christ. All people-pleasing mindsets, performance tendencies, political correctness, and a desire to fit in with the world around us. We pray that we would once again be salt and light - preservers, flavorers, lights in the darkness, and compassionate voices of truth. We know we are called to demonstrate both - Your love and Your truth.

Father, we often fall prey to the strategies of those who oppose You. One of those strategies is to allow our self-worth to be determined by what they think of us. How absurd. This has conformed us to their ways, defiled our message, and weakened our resolve. And it has no doubt offended You, as we have refused to honor Your Word and ways. Like Saul's Israel, we allow the giants to intimidate us.

We ask You to break this spirit of intimidation and its fruit of compromise off the church. Align us with Your plumbline of truth, which never has and never will change. Cause leaders in the church to fall in love with Your Word again, to have a renewed allegiance to it. Give us integrity enough to acknowledge how our neglect of Your Word has helped destroy our nation.

Awaken us! Whatever it takes, awaken us. Shake, convict, release holy fire, pour out Holy Spirit. We need a course correction, a reset. Bring this, we pray. You have said America will be saved. We believe it, we decree it, and we thank You for it.

*“And now, Lord, look at their threats, and enable Your bond-servants to speak Your word with all confidence, while You extend Your hand to heal, and signs and wonders take place through the name of Your holy servant Jesus.” And when they had prayed, the place where they had gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak the word of God with boldness. And the congregation of those who believed were of one heart and soul; and not one of them claimed that anything belonging to him was his own, but all things were common property to them. And with great [megas - mega](2) power, the apostles were giving testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and abundant [megas - mega](3) grace was upon them all.”*  
(Acts 4:29-33 NASB)

#### **Our decrees:**

- We decree that a remnant of believers is arising that will not bow to the fear of man.
- We decree that in the church, the fear of man is being transformed into a fear of the Lord, bringing the promised wisdom.
- We decree that Jesus is building a church the gates of hell cannot overcome.