

“God Bless America”: Why Should He?

Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord
Psalm 33:12

The Church of the Living God must _____ and _____ to an uncompromising faith in the Sovereignty of God as presented in His Word.

➤ Psalm 33:13-17

Receiving God’s blessing means:

1. **Having a firm _____ that God sees from Heaven (v. 13)**

“Sees” Hebrew “ra’ah” and means to look or behold

God sees the righteous and _____ them for their deeds

God sees the wicked and _____ them for their evil deeds

Proverbs 13:13

2. **Having an understanding that nothing goes unnoticed by the _____ and _____ of Heaven (v. 14)**

“he looks out” Hebrew “shagach” and means to _____ or _____.

Song of Solomon 2:9

3. **Being completely humbled by the fact that God is the _____ who _____ the inner being of all mankind (v. 15a)**

4. **A deep and abiding belief that God sees and _____ the _____ of all mankind (v. 15b)**

“he observes” Hebrew “biyn” and means to _____

1 Chronicles 28:9

5. **No _____ thing has ultimate power to save. All created things are _____ and _____ (v. 16)**

The word “saved” means to deliver to _____ or to be _____.

6. **Without God, no amount of _____, _____ or power can bring true freedom and security (v. 17)**

Our great nation will only be blessed by God as Christians repent of _____ and human _____ and begin to return to an unwavering _____ in God. This must begin in the hearts of the remnant of true believers who are determined to:

➤ Psalm 33:18-19

1. **Live in a holy _____ of God who watches over them (v. 18a)**
2. **Place their hope in the _____, _____ love of God (v. 18b)**
3. **Live in such a holy way, that God will _____ and _____ for them as a testimony of His great grace (v. 19)**

Romans 8:35-37

Four things must accompany this kind of _____.

1. **The very first thing that will reveal a true biblical revival is _____ instead of _____ (v. 20a)**

_____ example: **Psalm 106:13**

_____ example: **Isaiah 8:17**

2. **Patience will naturally lead to a _____ in the love and protection of God (v. 20b)**

Proverbs 3:5-7

3. **Confident trust in the love and protection of God will inexorably lead to a _____ (v. 21a)**

Deuteronomy 12:7

4. **A glad heart is set securely on an _____ in the holiness of the character of God (v. 21b)**

Isaiah 26:3-4

The Psalmist closes with a _____ that needs to become our _____ for God to work in and through His Church... through this church.

Psalm 33:22