

And if the bugler doesn't sound a clear call, how will the soldiers know they are being called to battle? 1st Corinthians 14:8 NLV

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Prayer Study #218

WE'VE BEEN MADE MORE THAN CONQUERORS

Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.

Romans 8:37

“Have you been attacked by the enemy? Have you been hit so hard that you've wanted to die? Has someone torn your heart out and trampled on it? Have you been betrayed, lied about or robbed? God never said this life would be easy. He only said that a life lived for Him would be worth the battle.” - Victoria Boyson

For consider Him that endured such contradiction of sinners against Himself, lest ye become wearied and faint in your minds. Hebrews 12:3

What shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation or distress or persecution or famine or nakedness or peril or sword? As it is written, For thy sake we are killed all the day long; we are accounted as sheep for the slaughter. Nay, in all things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us. For I am persuaded that neither death nor life nor angels nor principalities nor powers nor things present nor things to come nor height nor depth nor any other creation shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus, our Lord. Romans 8:35-39

We live at the end of the Age, but NOTHING can separate us from His love.

The Bad News for the World

1. Babylon is going to fall.

And I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting Gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth and to every nation and kindred and tongue and people, saying with a loud voice, Fear God and give glory to Him, for the hour of His judgment is come; and worship Him that made heaven and earth and the sea and the fountains of waters, and there followed another angel, saying, Babylon is fallen, is fallen, that great city, because she made all

nations drink of the wine of the wrath of her fornication. Revelation 14:6-8

2. Difficult times will come.

But realize this, that in the last days, difficult times will come. For men will be lovers of self, lovers of money, boastful, arrogant, revilers, disobedient to parents, ungrateful, unholy, unloving, irreconcilable, malicious gossips, without self-control, brutal, haters of good, treacherous, reckless, conceited lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, holding a form of godliness, although they have denied its power. Avoid such men as these. 2nd Timothy 3:1-5

3. The world is under judgment.

Come, my people, enter thou into thy chambers and shut thy doors about thee; hide thyself as it were for a little moment, until the indignation is past. For behold, the LORD cometh out of his place to punish the inhabitants of the earth for their iniquity; the earth also shall disclose her blood and shall no more cover her slain. Isaiah 26:20-21 KJV

The Good News for the true Christian

1. The anointing power of the Holy Spirit and the glory of God will be on those who will arise.

Arise, shine, for thy light is come, and the glory of the LORD is risen upon thee. For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth and gross darkness the peoples, but the LORD shall arise upon thee, and His glory shall be seen upon thee. Isaiah 60:1-3 KJV

2. When you see all these things, your redemption draweth nigh.

And there shall be signs in the sun and in the moon and in the stars and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity, the seas and the waves roaring, men's hearts failing them for fear and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth, for the powers of heaven shall be shaken. And then shall they see the Son of man coming in a cloud with power and glory. And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads, for your redemption draweth nigh. Luke 21:25-28

This is a generation of destiny!

Jeremiah 29:11

For I know the thoughts that I have toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you an expected end. KJV

I know what I am doing. I have it all planned out-plans to take care of you, not abandon you, plans to give you the future you hope for. The Message

1st Peter 2:9

But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a people of his own, that ye should show forth the praises of Him who hath called you out of darkness into His marvelous light.

Joel 2:28-31

And it shall come to pass afterward that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions. And I will show wonders in the heavens and in the earth blood and fire and pillars of smoke. The sun shall be turned into darkness and the moon into blood before the great and terrible day of the LORD come.

Symbol of Rising and Falling or Being on the Ground

1. Psalm 110:1, Matthew 22:44, Mark 12:36, Luke 20:43, Acts 2:35, Hebrews 1:13, Hebrews 10:13-*The LORD said unto my Lord, Sit thou at my right hand until I make thine enemies thy footstool.*
2. Romans 16:20a-*And the God of peace shall bruise Satan under your feet shortly...*
3. Ephesians 6:12-*For we wrestle [literally wrestle to the ground] not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.*
4. Genesis 3:14-*And the LORD God said unto the serpent, Because thou hast done this, thou art cursed above all cattle and above every beast of the field; upon thy belly shalt thou go, and dust shalt thou eat all the days of thy life.*
5. Psalm 68:1a-*Let God arise, let His enemies be scattered...*
6. Mal. 4:2a-*But unto them that fear my name shall the Sun of righteousness arise with healing in His wings...*
7. Isaiah 60:1-*ARISE [from the depression and prostration in which circumstances have kept you-rise to a new life]! Shine (be radiant*

with the glory of the Lord), *for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you!* AMP

We are promised in the Bible a generation that will have the following characteristics:

1. **The Greater Works Generation:** *Verily, verily I say unto you, He that believeth on Me, the works that I do shall he do also, AND GREATER WORKS THAN THESE, shall he do because I go unto my Father* (John 14:12).
2. **The Generation that Will Not Pass:** *Verily I say unto you, This generation shall not pass away, till all be fulfilled* (Luke 21:32).
3. **The Righteous Generation:** *And an highway shall be there and a way, and it shall be called The way of holiness...And the ransomed of the LORD shall return and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away* (Isaiah 35:8a and 10).
4. **The Generation that Will Seek His Face:** *This is the generation of them who seek Him, who seek thy face, O Jacob. Selah* (Psalm 24:6).
5. **The Generation that Will Not Fear Evil Tidings:** *He shall not be afraid of evil tidings; his heart is fixed, trusting in the LORD* (Psalm 112:7).
6. **The Latter Rain Generation:** *Then shall we know, if we follow on to know the LORD; His going forth is prepared as the morning; and He shall come upon us as the rain, as the latter and former rain unto the earth* (Hosea 6:3).
7. **The Bridal Company Generation:** *And I, John, saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband* (Revelation 21:2).
8. **The Mature Sons of the Kingdom:** *For the earnest expectation of the creation waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God* (Romans 8:19).
9. **The Third Day Generation:** *Come and let us return unto the LORD; for He hath torn, and He will heal us; He hath smitten, and He will bind us up. After two days will He revive us; in the third day He will raise us up, and we shall live in His sight* (Hosea 6:1-2).
10. **The Fullness Generation:** *And hath put all things under His feet and gave Him to be the head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him that filleth all in all* (Ephesians 1:22-23).